



B.Sc. Geography: Course Structure under CBCS
(For the candidates admitted from the academic year 2016-2017 onwards)

(NAAN MUDHALVAN SCHEME was Implemented in 6th semester alone for 2020-21 Batch)

Sem.	Part	Course	Title	Inst. Hours/ Week	Credit	Exam	Marks		Total
						Hours	Int.	Ext.	
I	I	Language Course-I (LC) – Tamil*/Other Languages + #		6	3	3	25	75	100
	II	English Language Course - I (ELC)	Communicative English I	6	3	3	25	75	100
	III	Core Course-I (CC)	Earth Science	6	6	3	25	75	100
		First Allied Course-I (AC)	Statistics I	6	4	3	25	75	100
		First Allied Course-II (AP)	Statistics (P)	4	2	3	40	60	100
		Add on Course – I ##	Professional English I	6	4	3	25	75	100
	IV	Value Education	Value Education	2	2	3	25	75	100
Total				30	24				700
II	I	Language Course-II (LC)– Tamil*/Other Languages + #		6	3	3	25	75	100
	II	English Language Course-II (ELC)	Communicative English II	6	3	3	25	75	100
	III	Core Course-II (CC)	Geomorphology	6	5	3	25	75	100
		Core Practical – I (CP)	Representation of Terrain and Map Making (P)	6	4	3	40	60	100
		First Allied Course-III (AC)	Statistics II	4	4	3	25	75	100
		Add on Course – II ##	Professional English II	6	4	3	25	75	100
	IV	Environmental Studies	Environmental Studies	2	2	3	25	75	100
Total				30	25				700
III	I	Language Course – III (LC)– Tamil*/Other Languages + #		6	3	3	25	75	100
	II	English Language Course-III (ELC)		6	3	3	25	75	100
	III	Core Course – III (CC)	Climatology	5	5	3	25	75	100
		Core Course – IV (CC)	Human Geography	5	5	3	25	75	100
		Second Allied Course – I (AC)	Geoinformatics I	4	4	3	25	75	100
		Second Allied Course-II (AP)	Geoinformatics (P)	2	2	3	40	60	100
	IV	Non Major Elective I - for those who studied Tamil under Part-I a) Basic Tamil for other language students b) Special Tamil for those who studied Tamil up to +2 but opt for other languages in degree programme	Geography of Tourism @	2	2	3	25	75	100
Total				30	24				700

IV	I	Language Course –IV (LC) - Tamil*/Other Languages + #		6	3	3	25	75	100
	II	English Language Course – IV (ELC)		6	3	3	25	75	100
	III	Core Course – V (CC)	Oceanography	5	5	3	25	75	100
		Core Practical – II (CP)	Representation of Climatic and Socio-Economic data (P)	5	4	3	40	60	100
		Second Allied Course - III	Geoinformatics II	4	4	3	25	75	100
	IV	Non Major Elective II-for those who studied Tamil under Part I a) Basic Tamil for other language students b) Special Tamil for those who studied Tamil upto +2 but opt for other languages in degree programme	Disaster Management @	2	2	3	25	75	100
		Skill Based Elective I		2	2	3	25	75	100
Total				30	23				700
V	III	Core Course – VI (CC)	Cartography	6	6	3	25	75	100
		Core Course – VII (CC)	Economic Geography	6	5	3	25	75	100
		Core Practical – III (CP)	Map Projection and Surveying (P)	6	4	3	40	60	100
		Major Based Elective – I	Bio-geography	6	5	3	25	75	100
	IV	Skill Based Elective –II		2	2	3	25	75	100
		Skill Based Elective – III		2	2	3	25	75	100
		Soft Skills Development	Soft Skills Development	2	2	3	25	75	100
Total				30	26				700
VI	III	Core Course – VIII (CC)	World Regional Geography	6	5	3	25	75	100
		Core Course – IX (CC)	Geography of India	6	5	3	25	75	100
		Core Practical – IV (CP)	Map and Image Interpretation (P)	6	4	3	40	60	100
		Major Based Elective II	Settlement Geography	6	5	3	25	75	100
		Major Based Elective III	Regional Planning	5	5	3	25	75	100
	V	Extension Activities **	Extension Activities	-	1	-	-	-	-
		Gender Studies	Gender Studies	1	1	3	25	75	100
	VI	Naan Mudhalvan Scheme (NMS) @@	Naandi / Unnati / Quest / IBM Skills Build	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total				30	26			
Grand Total				180	148				4100

List of Allied Courses:

First Allied Course

Second Allied Course

Statistics

Geoinformatics

Language Part – I	-	4
English Part –II	-	4
Core Paper	-	9
Core Practical	-	4
Add-on Course	-	2
Allied Paper	-	4
Allied Practical	-	2
Non-Major Elective	-	2
Skill Based Elective	-	3
Major Based Elective	-	3
Environmental Studies	-	1
Value Education	-	1
Soft Skill Development	-	1
Gender Studies	-	1
Extension Activities	-	1 (Credit only)
Naan Mudhalvan Scheme	-	1 (No Credits)

* For those who studied Tamil upto 10th +2 (Regular Stream).

+ Syllabus for other Languages should be on par with Tamil at degree level.

Those who studied Tamil upto 10th +2 but opt for other languages in degree level under Part- I should study special Tamil in Part – IV.

The Professional English – Four Streams Course is offered in the 1st and 2nd Semester in all UG Courses. It will be taught apart from the Existing hours of teaching / additional hours of teaching (1 hour /day) as a 4 credit paper as an add on course on par with Major Paper and completion of the paper is must to continue his / her studies further. The Extra 6 hrs / cycle will be utilized for the Add on Professional English Course. (As per G.O. No. 76, Higher Education (K2) Department dated: 18.07.2020).

@ NCC Course is one of the Choices in Non-Major Elective Course. Only the NCC cadets are eligible to choose this course. However, NCC Course is not a Compulsory Course for the NCC Cadets.

** Extension Activities shall be outside instruction hours.

@@ Naan Mudhalvan Scheme as per Government instruction.

Non Major Elective I & II – for those who studied Tamil under Part I

- Basic Tamil I & II for other language students
- Special Tamil I & II for those who studied Tamil upto 10th or +2 but opt for other languages in degree programme

Note:

	Internal Marks	External Marks
1. Theory	25	75
2. Practical	40	60
3. Separate passing minimum is prescribed for Internal and External marks		

FOR THEORY

The passing minimum for CIA shall be 40% out of 25 marks [i.e. 10 marks]

The passing minimum for University Examinations shall be 40% out of 75 marks [i.e. 30 marks]

FOR PRACTICAL

The passing minimum for CIA shall be 40% out of 40 marks [i.e. 16 marks]

The passing minimum for University Examinations shall be 40% out of 60 marks [i.e. 24 marks]
