## अकादमिक कालदर्शिका (Academic Calender)

| गतिविधियां | प्रवेश सत्र- जुलाई | प्रवेश सत्र- जनवरी |
|---|---|---|
| प्रवेश प्रारम्भ की तिथि | 1 जुलाई से 31 अगस्त | 1 जनवरी से 28/29 फरवरी |
| क्षेत्रीय केंद्र एवं अध्ययन केंद्र परिवर्तन की अंतिम तिथि | प्रवेश की अंतिम तिथि से 30 दिनों में | |
| पाठ्य सामग्री प्रेषण की अंतिम तिथि | 15 अक्टूबर | 15 अप्रैल |
| विद्यार्थियों का आमुखीकरण | अक्टूबर माह में | अप्रैल माह में |
| परामर्श/शिक्षण कक्षाएं * | 15 अक्टूबर से 30 अप्रैल | 15 अप्रैल से 31अक्टूबर |
| प्रायोगिक परीक्षाएँ * | 16 अप्रैल से 30 मई तक | 16 अक्टूबर से 20 दिसम्बर तक |
| आंतरिक गृह कार्य/ प्रोजेक्ट जमा करवाने की तिथि | 15 मई तक (जिन्हें जून परीक्षा में सम्मिलित होना हैं) | 15 नवम्बर तक (जिन्हें दिसंबर परीक्षा में सम्मिलित होना हैं) |
| सैद्धान्तिक परीक्षा का केंद्र परिवर्तन के लिए आवेदन (केवल ऑनलाइन)प्रस्तुत करने की तिथि | 1 अप्रैल से 30 अप्रैल (जून परीक्षा में सम्मिलित होने वाले विद्यार्थी) | 1अक्टूबर से 31 अक्टूबर (दिसम्बर परीक्षा में सम्मिलित होने वाले विद्यार्थी) |
| प्रायोगिक परीक्षा का केंद्र परिवर्तन के लिए आवेदन (केवल ऑनलाइन)प्रस्तुत करने की तिथि * | 1 अप्रैल से 15 अप्रैल (जून परीक्षा में सम्मिलित होने वाले विद्यार्थी) | 1अक्टूबर से 15 अक्टूबर (दिसम्बर परीक्षा में सम्मिलित होने वाले विद्यार्थी) |
| वेबसाइट पर परीक्षा अनुमति पत्र जारी करने की तिथि | 25 मई | 15 दिसम्बर |
| परीक्षा प्रारंभ होने की तिथि | 1 जून | 21 दिसम्बर |
| वेबसाइट पर परिणाम घोषित करने की तिथि | परीक्षा समाप्त होने के पश्चात् लगभग 60 कार्य दिवसों के भीतर | |
| अंकतालिका प्रेषित करने की तिथि | परीक्षा परिणाम जारी होने के पश्चात् लगभग 20 के भीतर | |
| पुनर्मूल्यांकन के आवेदन (केवल ऑनलाइन) की तिथि | परीक्षा परिणाम घोषित होने के पश्चात् 15 दिन के भीतर | |
| उपाधि प्रेषण | प्रशासनिक निर्णय के अनुसार | |
| परीक्षा फार्म भरने की तिथि डिफाल्टर्स (केवल ऑनलाइन) एवं श्रेणी सुधार (केवल ऑफलाइन) | 1 अप्रैल से 30 अप्रैल तक | 1 अक्टूबर से 31 अक्टूबर तक |
| परीक्षा फार्म भरने की तिथि डिफाल्टर्स प्रायोगिक परीक्षा के लिये (केवल ऑनलाइन)* | 1 अप्रैल से 15 अप्रैल तक | 1 अक्टूबर से 15 अक्टूबर तक |

* सर्टिफिकेट कार्यक्रमों में प्रायोगिक परीक्षाओं का आयोजन 10 नवम्बर से 10 दिसम्बर तक (प्रवेश सत्र जुलाई हेतु), व 1 मई से 30 मई तक (प्रवेश सत्र जनवरी हेतु) किया जाता हैं। B.Sc. कार्यक्रम के प्रायोगिक संबंधी विशेष जानकारी, इस बिवरणिका के B.Sc. कार्यक्रम के अन्तर्गत दी गई है उसे अवश्य देखें।

* ऐसे डिफाल्टर विद्यार्थी जो सत्रांक परीक्षा में प्रायोगिक के साथ सैद्धान्तिक /प्रोजेक्ट/लघुशोध परीक्षा में सम्मिलित होना एवं परीक्षा शहर में परिवर्तन भी चाहते हैं, ऐसे परीक्षार्थी सिर्फ एक बार ही ऑनलाईन परीक्षा फॉर्म जून परीक्षा हेतु 1 अप्रैल से 15 अप्रैल एवं दिसम्बर परीक्षा हेतु 1 अक्टूबर से 15 अक्टूबर तक ही भर सकते हैं।

All the details of the programmes of personal contact programme are enclosed is Annexure – 14(B)

**University Grants Commission**
**Distance Education Bureau**

**Recommendations of the Standing Appellate Committee (SAC) – For ODL Programmes**

| Name of HEI | |
|---|---|
| State | Vardhman Mahaveer Open University |
| Year of establishment of HEI | Rajasthan |
| Type of HEI | July, 1987 |
| Mode (Single/Dual mode) | State Open |
| Registration ID | Single |
| Number of ODL Programmes 'Recommended' | HEI-U-0428 |
| | 22 |
| Number of ODL Programmes 'NOT Recommended' | |
| | 14 |
| Date of UGC Communication to HEI | |
| Date of Appeal Received | 03.01.2024 |
| | 01.02.2024 |

**I. Appeal Received Status:**

| Number of UG Programme(s) | |
|---|---|
| | 00 |
| Number of PG programmes(s) | |
| | 03 |
| Number of Post Graduate Diploma programme(s) | |
| Payment Amount | 00 |
| | 35,400/- |

**II. Recommendations:**

**1. Institutional Level Compliance status (as applicable):**

| Reason(s) for 'NOT Recommended' status | Details of documentary evidence received | Complied (C) / Not Complied (NC) as per Regulation |
|---|---|---|
| UGC Communication | NA | |
| Appeal Received | | |

**Programme Level Assessment Checklist:**

**I. Programme offered in Conventional mode (P.O.C.M.)**

a. Programme offered in conventional mode with same nomenclature
b. One batch passed out
c. Compliance of programme offered not only through affiliated colleges

**II. Faculty**

a. Adequate Faculty availability
b. Faculty on full-time/ dedicated basis
c. Appropriate designations

**III. PPR & SLM**

a. PPR approved by HEI Statutory Authorities
b. SLM approved by HEI Statutory Authorities
c. Minimum 60% contents developed in-house and details of outsourced content (if applicable)
d. SLM readiness

c. Learning Outcomes defined

IV. **Regulatory Authority Approval; if applicable**

V. **Intake and LSC (for science programmes only):**

a. Intake – max. 3 times the conventional intake

b. Programme to be offered from the Head Quarters and/or only from such Learner Support Centres which are offering same programme under conventional mode atleast for seven year

2. **Programme Level Compliance status**

   1. **Programme wise Status (other than Science programme)**

| S. No. | Programme 'NOT Recommended' | Reason(s) for 'NOT Recommended' | Details of documentary evidence received | Complied (C) / Not Complied (NC) as per Regulation | If Complied, reconfirmation of 4 Assessment Points | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | I. P.O.C. M. | II. Faculty | III. FPR & SLM | IV. RA Approval; if applicable |
| 1. | Master of Arts (Education) | Inadequate faculty as per UGC (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020. | Yes | Complied (C) | NA | Yes | Yes | NA |
| 2. | Master of Arts (Sociology) | | Yes | Complied (C) | NA | Yes | Yes | NA |
| 3. | Master of Arts (Geography) | | Yes | Complied (C) | NA | Yes | Yes | NA |

**Note:** Checklist of Assessment points (I, II, III, and IV) is above

   2. **Science based Programme Status:-**

| HEI eligible for offering science programmes | Yes |
|---|---|
| (Eligibility: NAAC score of 3.26 and above or by the Open universities or by the HEI having rank in top-100 in University category of NIRF, at least twice in three preceding cycles) | |

| S. No. | Programme 'NOT Recommended' | Reason(s) for 'NOT Recommended' | Details of documentary evidence received | Complied (C) / Not Complied (NC) as per Regulation | If Complied, reconfirmation of 4 Assessment Points | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | I. P.O.C. M. | II. Faculty | III. FPR & SLM | IV. RA Approval; if applicable | V. Intake and LSC |
| | | | | NC | | | | | |

**Note:** Checklist of Assessment points (I, II, III, and IV) is above

3. **Recommendations Summary:**

| Sr. No. | Programme Name | Recommendations | Reason(s); if not recommended |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | Appeal disposed of (appeal rejected)/to be considered(recommended for recognition ) | |
| | | | |

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1. | Master of Arts (Education) | to be considered (recommended for recognition) | |
| 2. | Master of Arts (Sociology) | to be considered (recommended for recognition) | |
| 3. | Master of Arts (Geography) | to be considered (recommended for recognition) | |

Note:-Programmes under the ambit of Regulatory Authorities have been considered based on communication/recommendation received separately from respective Regulatory Authority. In case of approvals/recommendations received from the Regulatory Authority, HEI shall abide by the conditions such as number of seats, valid academic year etc. mentioned in the relevant Regulatory Authority letter.

**4. Overall Remarks, if any:**

The HEI may offer the programmes mentioned as Recommended in Table (3) above from the academic session beginning February 2024 and onwards.

Kindly start to the admissions of these three academic programmes also as per the directions of Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor with immediate effect.

B.Arun Kumar
28/2/24
Dir. Academic

Dir. R.S.D

5. The **Vardhman Mahaveer Open University**, Rajasthan was invited for a Virtual Interface Meeting with the Expert Committee duly constituted by the Hon'ble Chairman, UGC on **21st December, 2023**.

6. The Interface Expert Committee, based on the submitted application, compliance to deficiency(ies) or defect(s) communicated earlier, the presentation made by the Higher Educational Institution in the Interface Meeting and as per the provisions of University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendment, made recommendations for consideration of the Competent Authority/Commission.

7. Based on the recommendations of Interface Expert Committee and its approval by Competent Authority/Commission, I am directed to issue this Order, thereby communicating the programme wise recognition for the programmes to be offered in **Open and Distance Learning** mode from academic year 2023-24, academic session beginning February, 2024 by **Vardhman Mahaveer Open University, Rajasthan** as detailed in point no. 8 below. The **assessment sheet duly approved by Competent Authority has already been communicated to the Higher Educational Institution through UGC-DEB** portal on 03.01.2024.

8. **Programme-wise Recognition status**

(i) **Open and Distance** Learning **Programmes Recognized-22**

(Assessment Sheet communicated to the HEI through UGC-DEB web portal on **03.01.2024**):-

| S. No. | Name of the ODL Programmes | Period of Recognition |
|---|---|---|
| 1. | Bachelor of Education | 2023-24, academic session beginning from Feb, 2024 only. |
| 2. | Bachelor of Library & Information Science | 2023-24, academic session beginning from February-2023 to 2028-29 (upto July, 2028 only) |
| 3. | Bachelor of Journalism | |
| 4. | Bachelor of Arts (Combination of 3 Subjects) | |
| 5. | Master of Arts (Rajasthani) | |
| 6. | Master of Arts (Sanskrit) | |
| 7. | Master of Arts (English) | |
| 8. | Master of Arts (Psychology) | |
| 9. | Master of Arts (History) | |
| 10. | Master of Arts (Hindi) | |
| 11. | Master of Arts (Police Administration) | |
| 12. | Master of Arts (Political Science) | |
| 13. | Master of Arts (Economics) | |
| 14. | Bachelor of Science (Combination of 3 Subjects) | |
| 15. | Master of Science (Physics) | |
| 16. | Master of Science (Chemistry) | |
| 17. | Master of Science (Zoology) | |
| 18. | Master of Science (Botany) | |
| 19. | Master of Science (Computer Science) | |

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|---|---|---|
| 20. | Master of Science (Mathematics) | |
| 21. | Master of Commerce | |
| 22. | Master of Business Administration* | |
| | | 2023-24, academic session beginning from February-2024 to 2027-28 (upto Jan, 2028 only) as per the AICTE letter no. F.No. North-West/2023-24/1-43376576948 dated 10.06.2022 |

Note: *Programmes falling under the ambit of regulatory authority i.e. MBA & MCA programmes have been recognized on the basis of communication/recommendations received from respective Regulatory Authority. The HEI shall strictly abide by the conditions such as nomenclature, valid academic year, period of recognition etc. mentioned in the relevant Regulatory Authority document.

**(ii) Open and Distance Learning Programmes:- Not Recognized- 14**

| S.No. | Name of the ODL Programmes | Reason(s) for refusal |
|---|---|---|
| 1. | Bachelor of Commerce | |
| 2. | Bachelor of Business Administration | |
| 3. | Bachelor of Social Work | |
| 4. | Bachelor of Computer Applications | |
| 5. | Master of Social Work | |
| 6. | Master of Library & Information Sciences | Inadequate faculty as per UGC (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020. |
| 7. | Master of Journalism | |
| 8. | Master of Arts (Mathematics) | |
| 9. | Master of Arts (Geography) | |
| 10. | Master of Arts (Public Administration) | |
| 11. | Master of Arts (Education) | |
| 12. | Master of Arts (Sociology) | |
| 13. | Master of Computer Application | |
| 14. | Master of Science (Geography) | |

9. For the programmes recognised in 8(i) above, the Higher Educational Institution shall comply with all the provisions of the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes & Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments, while offering the programmes in Open and Distance Learning mode. Some specific provisions for compliance have been mentioned in **Annexure-1**.

10. For the programmes not recommended for recognition as per 8(ii) above, the Higher Educational Institution may prefer an appeal to the Commission within a period of 30 days from the date of communication of Interface Meeting Sheet through UGC-DEB portal as per the provision at sub-regulation (1) of Regulations 6 of Part-II of the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes & Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020. However, the appeal submitted by the HEI has been processed as per University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes & Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and accordingly, assessment sheet has been communicated to the HEI through UGC-DEB web portal on 27.02.2024. The detailed commission order regarding the appeal submitted by the HEI will be communicated subsequently.

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**UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION**
**DISTANCE EDUCATION BUREAU**

19th March, 2024

F. No. 30-30/2023 (DEB-II)

**List of HEIs recognized to offer Open and Distance Learning (ODL) Programmes for** Academic Year 2023-24 (Academic Session beginning February, 2024) onwards.

I   University Grants Commission had invited online applications from the eligible Higher Educational Institutions (HEIs) as per Regulation 3(A) and Regulation 3(B)(b) of UGC (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments for recognition of Programmes under Open and Distance Learning (ODL) mode. On the basis of applications submitted by the HEI under UGC (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments, list of HEIs recognized to offer Open and Distance Learning (ODL) Programmes for academic year 2023-24 (academic session beginning February, 2024) is attached herewith.

II   Programmes under the ambit of Regulatory Authorities have been considered on the basis of NOC/ approval/ recommendation received from the respective Regulatory Authority. The HEI shall strictly abide by the conditions such as the number of seats, valid academic year, etc. mentioned in the relevant Regulatory Authority letter.

III   The Higher Educational Institution shall scrupulously abide by all the terms and conditions as stipulated in the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments and other instructions/notices issued by UGC and other statutory/regulatory bodies from time to time.

IV   The Higher Educational Institution shall also adhere to the policy of Territorial Jurisdiction and Learner Support Centers (LSC) as specified in Annexure III and VIII of University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments.

V   UGC decision on last date of admission for offering ODL and Online programmes for academic session February, 2024 academic session and the last date to upload the student admission details on UGC-DEB web portal is as under:

- **Last Date for Admission: 31st March, 2024.**
- **Last Date for Submission of Student Data on the Portal: 15th April, 2024.**

VI   The Higher Educational Institutions have submitted an affidavit to the effect that in case any information, documentary evidence submitted/produced by the Higher Educational Institution is found to be false or wrong at a later stage or in case there is any violation of University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendments by the HEI, the Higher Educational Institution shall be solely liable and responsible for any such contravention/violation and for any consequences thereof. In such events, the HEI may also be subject to the consequences stipulated under Regulation 7 of University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 (including any amendments thereto).

(Prof. Manish R. Joshi)
Secretary

| S. No. | STATE | TYPE OF HEI | HEI NAME | LIST OF PROGRAMMES RECOGNISED FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 2023-24 (ACADEMIC SESSION BEGINNING FEBRUARY, 2024) | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | NO. OF PROGRAMMES RECOGNISED | NAME OF THE PROGRAMMES |
| 49. | RAJASTHAN | STATE OPEN UNIVERSITY | VARDHMAN MAHAVEER OPEN UNIVERSITY | 25 | 1) BACHELOR OF EDUCATION |
| | | | | | 2) BACHELOR OF LIBRARY & INFORMATION SCIENCE |
| | | | | | 3) BACHELOR OF JOURNALISM |
| | | | | | 4) BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) (GENERAL) (FROM UGC LIST) |
| | | | | | 5) BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) |
| | | | | | 6) MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION |
| | | | | | 7) MASTER OF COMMERCE |
| | | | | | 8) MASTER OF ARTS (RAJASTHANI) |
| | | | | | 9) MASTER OF ARTS (SANSKRIT) |
| | | | | | 10) MASTER OF ARTS (ENGLISH) |
| | | | | | 11) MASTER OF ARTS (PSYCHOLOGY) |
| | | | | | 12) MASTER OF ARTS (HISTORY) |
| | | | | | 13) MASTER OF ARTS (HINDI) |
| | | | | | 14) MASTER OF ARTS (POLICE ADMINISTRATION) |
| | | | | | 15) MASTER OF ARTS (POLITICAL SCIENCE) |
| | | | | | 16) MASTER OF ARTS (ECONOMICS) |
| | | | | | 17) MASTER OF ARTS (EDUCATION) |
| | | | | | 18) MASTER OF ARTS (SOCIOLOGY) |
| | | | | | 19) MASTER OF ARTS (GEOGRAPHY) |
| | | | | | 20) MASTER OF SCIENCE (PHYSICS) |
| | | | | | 21) MASTER OF SCIENCE (CHEMISTRY) |
| | | | | | 22) MASTER OF SCIENCE (ZOOLOGY) |