

University of Kerala

(Abstract)

Regulations relating to the First Degree Programmes under Choice Based Credit and Semester (CBCS) system - Amendment – exclusion of marks for attendance in Continuous Evaluation for UG programmes - Approved - Orders issued.

ACADEMIC 'A V' SECTION

No.Ac.AV.1/Attendance marks/CE/2021

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 17-09-2021

- Read:-
- 1) U.O.No.Ac.AV/1.ULMC/2020 dated 17.06.2020
 - 2) U.O.No.Ac.AV/1.ULMC/2020 dated 30.09.2020.
 - 3) Item.No.30.58.8 of the Minutes of the meeting of the Syndicate held on 23.07.2021

ORDER

The University Level Monitoring Committee (ULMC) at its meeting held on 19.02.2020 approved the recommendations of the Sub-Committee constituted to study the complaints regarding internal marks, to exclude the marks for attendance in Continuous Evaluation (CE) for First Degree Programmes under CBCS system and the minimum marks prescribed for Continuous Evaluation (CE) for UG courses. Further recommended that marks for attendance in Continuous Evaluation (CE) for practical courses and all other rules regarding attendance for First Degree Programmes shall remain as such.

The University Level Monitoring Committee (ULMC) at its meeting held on 28.02.2020 recommended to amend the following clauses relating to Continuous Evaluation (CE) stipulated in the regulations relating to First Degree Programmes under CBCS system and to implement the same from the academic year 2020 admissions.

sl.No	Clauses	Amendment
1.	7.11	Attendance: Students who secure a minimum of 75% attendance in the aggregate for all the Courses of a semester taken together alone will be allowed to register for End Semester Evaluation. Others have to repeat the semester along with the next batch, unless they could make up the shortage of attendance through condonation. However the award of Grade for attendance in CE shall be made course-wise for practicals only. Condonation of shortage of attendance to a maximum of 10 days in a semester subject to a maximum of two times during the whole period of a Degree Programme shall be granted by the University on valid grounds. This condonation shall not be considered for awarding marks for CE in practicals. Benefits of attendance for a maximum of 10 days in a semester shall be granted to students who participate/ attend University Union activities, meetings of the University Bodies and Extra Curricular Activities, on production of participation/ attendance certificate by the University Authorities/Principals as the case may be. But in such cases, condonation will be considered for award of marks for CE in practicals only.
2.	9.2.2	The allotment of marks for attendance for practicals shall be as follows: Attendance less than 51 % - 0 mark

		51% to 60% 61% to 70% 71% to 80% 81% to 90% 91% to 100%	- 1 mark - 2 marks - 3 marks - 4 marks - 5 marks
3.	12.3	<i>The marks of CE shall be consolidated by adding the marks of Assignment/ Seminar and Test paper respectively for a particular Course.</i> (a)Assignment/Seminar :10marks (b)Test Paper :10 marks	
4.	12.7	<i>A minimum of 35% marks (E Grade) shall be required for passing a course with a separate minimum of 35% (E Grade) for End Semester Evaluation (ESE).</i>	
5.	12.16 (third para)	<i>In both cases (i.e. failure to obtain 'E' Grade for individual Course/Courses and 'SCPA of 4.00) students shall not be allowed to repeat the Semester, but the marks secured by them for the CE part shall be carried over and added to the marks obtained in the ESE they reappear. Those who fail to secure a pass minimum of 35% (E Grade) for a course will have one chance to improve CE marks for the course.</i>	

The Syndicate at its meeting held on 28.04.2020 approved the above recommendations of the University Level Monitoring Committee (ULMC). Further resolved to convene a meeting with the Teacher's Organisations and Student's Organisations for a detailed discussion regarding the Continuous Evaluation (CE) marks in the First Degree Programmes under CBCS System. A U.O read as (1) above had been issued in this regard.

The Syndicate vide item.no.10.169.33, at its meeting held on 28.04.2020, resolved to entrust the Standing Committee of the Syndicate on Examinations to convene a meeting with the Teacher's Organisation and Student's Organisation for a detailed discussion regarding the Continuous Evaluation (CE) marks in the First Degree Programmes under CBCS system.

The Syndicate at its meeting held on 14.08.2020 resolved to keep the U.O read as (1) above in abeyance. A U.O vide paper read as (2) above had been issued in this regard.

The Standing Committee of the Syndicate on Examinations at its meeting held 19.07.2021, considered the suggestions put forth by all stakeholders and recommended to implement the recommendations of the University Level Monitoring Committee (ULMC) relating to Continuous Evaluation (CE) stipulated in the Regulations relating to First Degree Programmes under CBCS System and to implement the same from 2020 admission onwards.

The Syndicate vide paper read (3) above, resolved that the above recommendation of the Standing Committee of the Syndicate on Examinations, be approved.

Sanction has therefore been accorded by the Vice-Chancellor to amend the clauses 7.11, 9.2.2, 12.3, 12.7 and 12.16 relating to Continuous Evaluation (CE) stipulated in the Regulations relating to First Degree Programmes under CBCS System as detailed above and to implement the same from 2020 admission onwards.

The Regulations relating to First Degree programmes under CBCS System, 2013 stands modified to this extent.

The U.O vide paper read as (1) and (2) above stands cancelled.

Orders are issued accordingly.

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