

Syllabus for BA in Journalism and Mass Communication (Under NEP 2020)

Based on the Karnataka State Higher Education Council Model

5th and 6th Semester Syllabus

With effect from 2023-24

SCHEME OF EXAMINATION

(Discipline Core [DSC], Discipline Elective [DSE], Discipline Vocational [DSV], Skill Enhancement (SEC) courses)

Sem.	Code No.	Paper	Theory Exam		tal	lits		
Sciii.	Code 140.	Тарст	Marks*	IA Test	Assign ments	Practic al	Total	Credits
	KUJMC DSC-5	Introduction to Communication (Theory)	60	20	20	-	100	4
V		Introduction to Communication (Practical)	-	-	-	50	50	2
		Fundamentals of Radio and TV (Theory)	60	20	20	-	100	4
	KUJMC DSC-6	Fundamentals of Radio and TV (Practical)	-	-	-	50	50	2
	KUJMC DSC-7	Media Laws and Ethics (Theory)- NA (Not Applicable)	60	20	20	-	100	4
	KUJMC DSE-1a	Web Journalism- NA (Not Applicable) Technical Content Writing- NA	60	20	20	-	100	3
	KUJMC DSE-1b	(Not Applicable)						
	KUJMC DSV-1a	Videography- NA (Not Applicable)	60	20	20	-	100	3
	KUJMC DSV-1b	News Reading- NA (Not Applicable)						
	SEC-4	Cyber Security (2 Credit)/ General aptitude (3 Credits)	60	20	20	-	100	2/
VI	KUJMC DSC-8	Introduction to Digital Media (Theory)	60	20	20	-	100	4
		Introduction to Digital Media (Practical)	-	-	-	50	50	2
	WHILL DOG 0	Advertising and Corporate Communication (Theory)	60	20	20	-	100	4
	KUJMC DSC-9	Advertising and Corporate Communication (Practical)	-	-	-	50	50	2
	KUJMC DSC-10	Theories of Communication- NA (Not Applicable)	60	20	20	-	100	4
	KUJMC DSE-2a	DSE 2-1 Film Appreciation- NA (Not Applicable) Social media- NA (Not	60	20	20		100	
	KUJMC DSE-2b	Applicable) Fundamentals of Audio-video-	60	20	20	-	100	3
	KUJMC DSE-2c	lights- NA (Not Applicable)						
	KUJMC DSV-2a	Radio Jokey- NA (Not Applicable)	60	20	20	-	100	3
	KUJMC DSV-2b	Event Management- NA (Not Applicable)						
	SEC-5	Internship/Project Work/ Dissertation	-	-	-	50	50	2

SEMESTER - V

KUJMC DSC-5 (Theory): Introduction to Communication

KUJMC DSC-5 (Practical): Introduction to Communication

KUJMC DSC-6 (Theory): Fundamentals of Radio and TV

KUJMC DSC-6 (Practical): Fundamentals of Radio and TV

(DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSES (DSCC) for 12 Credits)

SEC-4: Cyber Security (2 Credits) or General Aptitude (3 Credits)

SEMESTER – VI

KUJMC DSC-8 (Theory): Introduction to Digital Media

KUJMC DSC-8 (Practical): Introduction to Digital Media

KUJMC DSC-9 (Theory) Advertising and Corporate Communication

KUJMC DSC-9 (Practical): Advertising and Corporate Communication

(DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSES (DSCC) for 12 Credits)

SEC-5: Internship or Project Work/ Dissertation (2 Credits)

Effective from 2023-24 AS PER N E P – 2020-21

Bachelor of Arts in Journalism and Mass Communication <u>5th Semester</u>

Program Name	BA in Journa Communicat		Semester	V			
Course Title	Introduction	Introduction to Communication (Theory)					
Course Code:	KUJMC DSO	C-5	No. of Credits	4			
Contact hours	60 Hours		Duration of SEA/Exam	2 hours			
Formative Assessment Marks 40		Summative Assessment Marks	60				

Course Pre-requisite(s):

- > Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the major communication theories and key concepts relevant to the field of communication.
- > Understand the dynamics of media discourses in the shaping of culture and social attitudes.
- > Select and apply arguments and positions related to media theory to examine a contemporary issue or phenomenon in concerning the mass media
- > Apply knowledge of the regulatory frameworks that affect media and cultural production and consumption.

Contents	60 Hrs
UNIT-I Definition of Communication- Need for Communication- Difference between human communication and machine communication- Process of Communication- the scope and limitations of Communication- How to improve your communication skills.	15
UNIT-II Types of Communication- verbal and non-verbal Communications – Difference between verbal and non-verbal communication – Techniques of verbal communication- Essentials of good writing- Techniques of public speaking- Types of non-verbal communication- Sign language-object language- Body language- Para language- Touch- Space- Time and Silence as non-verbal communication.	15
UNIT-III Levels of Communication- Intra-personal communication- Interpersonal communication- Group communication- Public communication and Mass communication-Essentials of Intrapersonal communication- Importance of Interpersonal communication- The process of Mass communication- Scope and limitations of Mass Communication.	15
UNIT-IV Introduction to Mass media- Mass media and society - Types of mass media-Print-Electronic (Radio and Television)- Folk- Web media and Social media. Digital Status of Mass media. Convergence of media- Contemporary issues in mass media	15

Course Title	Introduction to Communication (Practical)			Practical Credits	2
Course Code	KUJMC DSC-5			Contact Hours	30 Hours
Formative Assessment		25 Marks	Summative Assessment		25 Marks

- 1. The art of writing letters Minimum of 5 exercises in letter writing like letters to editor
- 2. Practicing public speech 02 exercises
- 3. Communication Skill Practicing Group Discussion- 02 exercises
- 4. Writing editorials and articles. Minimum of 2 exercises each in editorial and article writing
- 5. Interview- Practicing Job Interview (Mock Interview) 02 exercises

Books for reference:

- Baran, Stanley S and Davis, Dennis K. (2014). *Introduction to Mass communication theory*. NewDelhi: Cengage learning.
- Bell, Bernard, Brouwer, Jan, Das, Biswajit, Parthasarathy, Vibodh and Poitevin, Guy (2005). *Media and mediation: Communication process.* (Vol. 10). New Delhi: Sage.
- DeFleur, Melvin, L. (2016). *Mass communication theories: Explaining origins, processes and effects.* New York: Routledge.
- Croucher, Stephen, M. (2016). *Understanding communication theory: A beginner's guide*. New York: Routledge.
- Herman, E S, and Chomsky, Noam (1994). *Manufacturing consent: The political economy of the mass media*. London: Vintage..
- McQuail, Dennis (2010). McQuail's Mass communication theory. New Delhi: Sage.
- Narula, Uma (2010). *Mass communication: Theory and practice*. New Delhi: Har-Anand Publications.
- Rosenberry, Jack and Vicker, Lauren, A. (2009). *Applied mass communication theory: A guide for media practitioners*. New York: Pearson Allyn & Bacon.
- Vilanilam, J V. (2005). *Mass communication in India*. New Delhi: Sage.
- Watson, James, D. (2008). *Media communication: An introduction to theory and process*. London: Palgrave Macmillan.

Program Name	BA in Journalism and Mass Communication		Semester V				
Course Title	Fundamental	Fundamentals of Radio and TV (Theory)					
Course Code:	KUJMC D S	S C - 6	No. of Credits	4			
Contact hours	60 hours		Duration of SEA/Exam	2 hours			
Formative Assessment Marks 40			Summative Assessment Marks	60			

Course Pre-requisite(s):

- Introduce the concepts, technology and skills behind audio and video production
- Highlight the techniques of programme production in Radio
- Highlight the techniques of programme production in TV
- Discuss the past and present status of these two media

Contents	60 Hrs
UNIT-I: Characteristics of Audio-Visual Media: Characteristics of Radio & Television as media of mass communication. Effective communication skills for Radio and TV. Presentation techniques; Voice modulation, appearance, Facial expression, Body language, General knowledge etc.	15
UNIT-II: Introduction to Radio: Nature and characteristics of radio, Evolution of radio in India, Types of radio stations (AM/FM), Organizational structure of AIR and Private radio, Community radio, Present status of radio in India, Impact and reach of radio. Major radio networks in India & Karnataka.	15
UNIT-III: Introduction to Television: Nature and characteristics of television, Growth of television in India, Organizational structure of Dooradarshan, Satellite TV Channels. Regional channel, Major TV networks in India & Karnataka. Recent trends in television field.	15
UNIT- IV: Script writing for Radio &TV: Writing skills for broadcast media. Importance of scripting. Various elements of script for radio and TV, principles of script writing, script formats, style sheet, grammar etc.	15

Program Name	BA Journalis Communicat	alism and Mass cation		Semester	V		
Course Title	Fundamenta	Fundamentals of Radio and TV (Practical)					
Course Code:	ode: KUJMC DSC-6			No. of Credits	02		
Contact hours	30 Hours		Duration of SEA/Exam		2 hours		
Formative Assessment Marks 25		Summative Assessment Marks		25			

- A. Scripting for Radio announcements-02 exercises
- B. Scripting for Radio Jingles-02 exercises
- C. News reading for Radio 2 (2 min) exercises
- D. Writing news item for TV 2 (1min) exercises
- E. News reading script for TV 2 (2 min) exercises
- F. Scripting for a programme in TV -2 (2 min) exercises

Books for Reference:

- Baruah, U L (1983). *This is All India Radio: A handbook of radio broadcasting in India*. Govt. of India: Publications Division.
- Nanda, Vartika (2017). Radio journalism in India. New Delhi: Kanishka Publishers
- Neelamalar, M (2018). Radio programme production. New Delhi: Prentice Hall
- White, Ted (2005). Broadcast news writing, reporting, and production. New York: Focal Press, Elsevier.
- Zachariah, Aruna (2009). Radio jockeying and news anchoring. New Delhi: Kanishka Publishers
- Aiyer, Balakrishna (2008) Digital television journalism, New Delhi: Neha Publishers.
- Brown, Lucy & Duthie, Lyndsay (2016). The TV Studio Production Handbook, London: IB Tauris Publishers.
- Donald, Ralph and Thomas Spann (2000). *Fundamentals of television production*, Iowa: Iowa State University Press.
- Millerson, Gerald (2016). Effective TV Production, London: Focal Press.
- Robert L. Hilliard, L Robert (2007). Writing for television, radio, and new media, Connecticut: Wadsworth.

SEC- 4 (Compulsory Course)

Course Title	CYBER SECURITY					
Course Code:	SEC- 4		No. of Credits	2		
Contact hours	30 Hours		Duration of SEA/Exam	2 hours		
Formative Assessment Marks 40		Summative Assessment Marks	60			

Not Applicable for 2023-24 batches

Program Name	BA in Journa Communicat	alism and Mass tion		Semester	V		
Course Title	Media Laws	Media Laws and Ethics (Theory)					
Course Code:	KUJMC DSC-7			No. of Credits	4		
Contact hours	Contact hours 60 Hours			Duration of SEA/Exam 2 hours			
Formative Assessment Marks 40		Sumi	mative Assessment Marks	60			

Program Name	BA in Journa Communicat	nalism and Mass ation		Semester	V		
Course Title	Web Journal	Web Journalism					
Course Code:	KUJMC DSE- 1a			No. of Credits	03		
Contact hours	45 hours		Duration of SEA/Exam		2 hours		
Formative Assessment Marks 40		Summative Assessment Marks		60			

Program Name	BA in Journa Communicat	nlism and Mass ion	Semester	V			
Course Title	Technical Co	Technical Content Writing					
Course Code:	KUJMC DSI	E- 1b	No. of Credits	03			
Contact hours	45 hours		Duration of SEA/Exam	2 hours			
Formative Assessment Marks 40		Summative Assessment Marks	60				

Program Name	BA in Journalism and Mass Communication				Semester	v		
Course Title Videography								
Course Code:	KUJMC DSV-1a			No. of Credits			03 (2+1)	
Contact hours	30 hours		Duration of SEA/Exam			2 hours		
Formative Asses	Formative Assessment Marks 40		Summative Assessment Marks		60			
Course Title Videography (Practical)				Practical Cr		edits	1	
Course Code KUJMC DSV-1a					Contact Hou	ırs	30 Hours	

Program Name	BA in Journa Communicat	urnalism and Mass nication		Semester	V
Course Title	News Reading				
Course Code:	KUJMC DSV-1b			No. of Credits	03 (2+1)
Contact hours	30 hours Duration of SEA/Exam		2 hours		
Formative Assessment Marks 40		Sum	mative Assessment Marks	60	

Course Title	News Reading (Practical)	Practical Credits	1
Course Code	KUJMC DSV-1b	Contact Hours	30 Hours

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Program Name	BA in Journa Communicat	alism and Mass ion	Semester	VI
Course Title	Introduction to Digital Media (Theory)			
Course Code:	KUJMC DSC-8		No. of Credits	4
Contact hours	60 Hours Duration of SEA/Exan			2 hours
Formative Assessment Marks 40		Summative Assessment Marks	60	

Course Pre-requisite(s):

- Discuss the influence of target audience on digital media production with identifying deployment strategies for various types of digital media formats.
- Describe the design methodology from concept to production with simple animations and other influencing digital formats.
- Explore a variety of programs used to create digital media along with teamwork in digital media production.
- Create a simple multimedia presentation.

Contents	60 Hrs
UNIT-I: Introduction to the Digital Media: Concept and Definitions of Digital Media, Evolution and Development, Nature and Scope of Digital Media, Characteristics of Digital Media, Advantages and Disadvantages of Digital Media. New trends in Digital Media.	15
UNIT –II: Digital Media Platform: Web Site, Blog, Face Book, <i>WhatsApp</i> , News Portals, E-Papers, YouTube, Instagram, LinkedIn, Twitter, Wikis, Blogs and Social Media Platforms.	15
UNIT -III: Emerging trends in Digital media: AI in news rooms, Augmented reality, Virtual Reality and Mixed Reality, Introduction to data driven journalism	15
UNIT -IV: Digital media Literacy: Creation of digital media content, Concept of Misinformation and disinformation, fact checking tools, Fact checking initiatives in India.	15

Program Name	BA in Journa Communicat	alism and Mass ion	Semester	VI
Course Title	Introduction to Digital Media (Practical)			
Course Code:	KUJMC DSC-8		No. of Credits	2
Contact hours	60 Hours		Duration of SEA/Exam	2 hours
Formative Assessment Marks 25		Summative Assessment Marks 25		

- ✓ Content writing for Blog and posting it. -2 assignments
- ✓ Create social media post on social cause and post it on your wall— 2 assignments
- ✓ Create 2-3 min video for You tube channel-2 assignments
- ✓ Creation of news reels-2 assignments
- ✓ Design a layout of a website. -2 assignments

Books for reference

- Anton et.al. (1998). *Using Quark Xpress 4*. Indianapolis: Que Publ.
- Anton, Kelly Kordes & Tina DeJarld (2017). *Adobe InDesign CC classroom in a book*. Adobe Press Publications
- Bauer & Foster (2003). *Using Adobe Photoshop 7*. Indianapolis: Que Publ.
- Brugger, Niels & Ian Milligan (2018). *The Sage handbook of web history*. New Delhi: Sage Publications.
- Gane, Nicholas & David Beer (2008). *New media*. New York: Berg.
- Hill, Steve & Paul Lashmar (2013). *Online journalism: The essential guide*. New Delhi: Sage Publications
- Hjorth, Larissa & Sam Hinton (2019). *Understanding social media* (2nd Ed.). New Delhi: Sage Publications.
- Siapera, Eugenia (2018). *Understanding new media* (2nd Ed.). New Delhi: Sage Publications.
- Warf, Barney (2018). The Sage encyclopedia of the internet. New Delhi: Sage Publications.
- Witschge, Tamara; C. W. Anderson, David Domingo, & Alfred Hermida (2016). *The Sage handbook of digital journalism*. New Delhi: Sage Publications.

Program Name	BA in Journa Communicat	alism and Mass ion		Semester	VI
Course Title	Advertising and Corporate Communication (Theory)				
Course Code:	KUJMC DSC-9			No. of Credits	4
Contact hours	60 Hours Duration of SEA/Exam		2 hours		
Formative Assessment Marks 40		Sumi	mative Assessment Marks	60	

Course Pre-requisite(s):

- Introduce the basic concept of advertising
- Familiarize with the concept of copywriting as selling through writing
- Learn the process of creating original, strategic, compelling copy for various media
- Generate, develop and express ideas effectively in advertising

Contents	60 Hrs
Unit 1: Understanding Advertising	15
Definition, nature and scope of advertising, Role & functions of advertising, Evolution of advertising in India & World including the current trend, Advertising as a Tool of Communication, Comparison with Public Relations, advertising, publicity and propaganda.	
Unit 2: Types of Advertising Types of Advertisements- Classifieds, Retail, Display, Corporate, Product and Public Service, Ad Agency - Functions, Types and Structure. Elements of Advertising copy - headlines, signature, slogans & logos. Techniques of developing ad copy.	15
Unit 3: Introduction to Corporate Communication Definition, nature and scope of Corporate Communications. Structure of corporate organization Core functions of corporate communications. Qualities of a Corporate Communication officer, crisis management, Corporate Social Responsibilities.	15
Unit 4: Corporate Communication Tools Print Media – House Journals, Newsletters, Brochures & Handouts/Flyers, Electronic Media – Ads & Corporate Films, Digital Media – Social Media, Blogs, Vlogs	15

Program Name	BA in Journa Communicat	alism and Mass ion	Semester	VI
Course Title	Advertising and Corporate Communication (Practical)			
Course Code:	KUJMC DS	IMC DSC-9 No. of Credits		2
Contact hours	30 Hours		Duration of SEA/Exam	2 hours
Formative Assessment Marks 25		Summative Assessment Marks	25	

Prepare Classified Advertisements – 05 assignments

Preparing Brochures-02 assignment

Ad Copy content writing-02 assignments

Prepare Display Advertisements – 02 assignments

Prepare media kit – 1 assignment

Books for Reference

- Kleppner, Otto; Fundamentals of Advertising; Prentice Hall; New Jersey. 1980.
- Gupta, Sen; Brand Positioning; Tata McGraw Hill; New Delhi; 1990.
- Hart, Norman; The practice of advertising; Heinemann Pub.; London. 1990.
- Mooij, Mariekae de; Advertising Worldwide (2nd edn.); Prentice Hall; UK.1994
- Cornelissen, Joep; Corporate Communication: A Guide to Theory and Practice; Sage. 2011
- Argenti, Paul A. (2008). Corporate communication. New York. McGraw-Hill Irwin
- Bhattacharya CB et. al. (2011). Leveraging corporate responsibility, London: Cambridge University Press.
- Cornellisen, J.P. (2004). Corporate communication: theory and practice, New Delhi: Sage.
- Fernandez, Joseph (2004). Corporate Communications. Chennai: Sage.
- Jaithwaney, J. (2010). Corporate communication: principles and practice, New Delhi: Sage.

SEC- 5 Internship or Project Work/ Dissertation (Mandatory)

Program Name	BA in Journa Communicat	alism and Mass Semester tion		VI	
Course Title	Internship/ Project Work/ Dissertation				
Course Code:	SEC-5	SEC- 5 No. of Credits 2			
Formative Assessment Marks 25		Summative Assessment Marks	25		

Internship

All the students of Sixth semester shall go for an internship at any of the recognized media houses – print and electronic in both public and private enterprises/advertising agencies/corporate houses, NGOs approved by the Department Council, for a period of four weeks (one month), after the examination of the Sixth semester. The students must mandatorily submit a letter of internship, which shall be evaluated by the Department Council based on the nature, quality and quantity of work undertaken. Failure to complete the internship and submit the internship letter will render the candidate ineligible for the award of the degree.

Marks allotment:

Byline news/articles/feature writing during the internship period - 5 marks each (maximum 25 marks) Successful completion of internship- 25 marks.

Project Work/Dissertation

Students shall carry out a Project Work / Dissertation Work in the Sixth semester under the guidance of a faculty member. Project Work / Dissertation work is compulsory for all the students. The topics shall be approved by the department council. All the faculty members shall guide the students. Dissertation Work Evaluation right from the stage of defining the problem, the candidate has to submit the progress report periodically and also present his/her progress in the form of seminars in addition to the regular discussion with the guide.

Components of evaluation:

Component – I (C1): Periodic progress and progress reports -10 marks.

Component – II (C2): Results of work and draft report -15 marks

Component – III (C3): Final viva-voce and evaluation- **25** marks [The report evaluation is for **15** marks and the viva-voce examination is **10** marks]

For Component-III (C3), evaluation and viva-voce examination shall be made by both internal and external examiners like practical examination.

Not Applicable for 2023-24 batches

Program Name	BA in Journa Communicat	alism and Mass Semester		VI	
Course Title	Theories of Communication				
Course Code:	KUJMC DSC-10		No. of Credits	4	
Contact hours	60 Hours Duration of SEA/Exam		Duration of SEA/Exam	2 hours	
Formative Assessment Marks 40		Summative Assessment Marks	60		

Program Name		A in Journalism and Mass ommunication		Semester	VI
Course Title	Film Appreciation				
Course Code:	KUJMC DSE- 2a		N	No. of Credits	3 (2+1)
Contact hours	30 Hours		Duration o	of SEA/Exam	2 hours
Formative Assessment Marks 40		Summative Assessme	ent Marks	60	

Course Title	Film Appreciation (Practical)	Practical Credits	1
Course Code	KUJMC DSE- 2a	Contact Hours	30 Hours

Program Name	BA in Journalism and Mass Communication		Semester	VI
Course Title	Social Media			
Course Code:	KUJMC DSE- 2b		No. of Credits	3 (2+1)
Contact hours	30 Hours		Duration of SEA/Exam	2 hours
Formative Assessment Marks 40		Summative Assessment Marks	60	

Course Title	Social Media (Practical)	Practical Credits	1
Course Code	KUJMC DSE- 2b	Contact Hours	30 Hours

Program Name	BA in Journalism and Mass Communication		Semester	VI
Course Title	Fundamentals of Audio-video-lights			
Course Code:	KUJMC DSE- 2c		No. of Credits	3 (2+1)
Contact hours	30 Hours		Duration of SEA/Exam	2 hours
Formative Assessment Marks 40		Summative Assessment Marks	60	

Course Title	Fundamentals of Audio-video-lights (Practical)	Practical Credits	1
Course Code	KUJMC DSE- 2c	Contact Hours	30 Hours

Program Name	BA in Journalism and Mass Communication		Semester	VI
Course Title	Radio Jokey			
Course Code:	KUJMC DSV-2a		No. of Credits	3 (2+1)
Contact hours	30 Hours		Duration of SEA/Exan	2 hours
Formative Assessment Marks 40		Summative Assessment Marks	60	

Course Title	Radio Jokey (Practical)	Practical Credits	1
Course Code	KUJMC DSV-2a	Contact Hours	30 Hours

Program Name	BA in Journalism and Mass Communication		Semester	VI
Course Title	EVENT MANAGEMENT			
Course Code:	KUJMC DSV-2b		No. of Credits	3 (2+1)
Contact hours	30 Hours		Duration of SEA/Exam	2 hours
Formative Assessment Marks 40		Summative Assessment Marks	60	

Course Title	EVENT MANAGEMENT (Practical)	Practical Credits	1
Course Code	KUJMC DSV-2b	Contact Hours	30 Hours

CBCS Question Paper Pattern for UG Semester Examination DSC. DSE & OEC Papers

Paper Code:		Paper Title:				
Duration of Exam	2 Hours			Max Marks	60	
Instruction:	Answer all the section	ons		1	-	
		Sectio	n-A			
Answer any five	(2x5 marks)				10Marks	
Section-B						
Answer any 4 (5)	x4=20 marks)				20Marks	
		Sectio	n-C		_	
Answer any 2 (15	5x2=30)				30 Marks	