



Education to Excel

SBRR Mahajana First Grade College (Autonomous)

Jayalakshmiapuram, Mysuru - 570 012

Affiliated to University of Mysore & Accredited with 'A' Grade by NAAC

College with Potential for Excellence

Examination Reforms

The institutional reforms in all the activities of the examination system are kept in par with the reforms pushed by the UGC for all the programs. There have been several positive impacts of reforms on the Examination procedures and process including IT integration and continuous Internal Assessment.

The College adopts CBCS (CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM) which provides an opportunity for the students to choose courses from the prescribed set Comprising core, Elective/Minor or Skill based courses. The courses are evaluated in the grading system. CBCS allows students to choose inter-disciplinary, intra-disciplinary courses, skill-oriented papers (even from other disciplines according to their learning needs, interests and aptitude) and are more flexibility for students.

The college is committed to develop an efficient and flexible continuous evaluation system with emphasis on a high-quality Teaching-Learning process. Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) includes one Internal Test in a semester for each course and periodical assignments/tests/quiz/presentations, followed by a Semester-end examination to keep the students meaningfully engaged with the subject content throughout the semester. The CGPA (Cumulative Grade Point Average) system of evaluation has built-in continuous and comprehensive evaluation and is adopted for all programs that is being offered.

The reforms in examination includes OBE(Object Based Education) frame work for Assessment process, evaluation of higher order abilities and professional skills in different forms like Project works, Internships, Field work and Bloom's taxonomy for assessment design etc.

Integration of IT

The college has ERP integrated examination platform for pre- and post-examination process. Candidate list, Internal assessment Mark, End term Marks are uploaded on ERP portal by concerned faculty members through their credentials using web-based ERP portal online. Hall tickets are also generated and printed through ERP by the Examination Cell. Results are also published in ERP. Few additional features:

- Online display of Exam notices through ERP and website
- Online registration for the End Semester Examination through ERP
- Automated seating arrangement through ERP
- Online publication of seating arrangement
- Utilization of Barcode Scanners for coding/decoding
- Online entry of CIA marks
- Online publication of results

In addition, the college uses the UUCMS (Unified University College Management System) Portal for Admission, Examination Process and for Result declaration for the NEP batch students.

Blooms Taxonomy is being introduced for preparing question papers. It is a methodology used to classify the educational learning objectives in various levels of complexity. Here every question is mapped with the learning outcomes, which describes the level of difficulty, differentiating one question with the other question.

Reforms and Positive Impact

- Three sets of question papers are maintained for each subject / course to maintain confidentiality in the question paper selection.
- Setting the question papers from all the units with internal choice and moderation of question papers to maintain standards and coverage of syllabus among all the units so that Students are required to study all the units in a given course.
- Inclusion of seminar's project, assignment, seminar presentation etc. as components of evaluation.
- Preparation of detailed scheme of evaluation by internal subject / course experts to maintain Uniformity in the evaluation among the evaluators.
- Security features are included in the printing of Marks Cards and Transcripts to ensure no certificates are duplicated.
- To maintain strict vigilance and for smooth conduct of examinations squad consisting of senior faculty members are appointed from reputed institutions and internal faculty as room imvigilators to monitor the semester end examinations.
- Special provisions for differently abled students have been created for their benefit. They are given separate rooms with adequate facilities for writing the exam and also additional time, if required.
- CCTVs in the vicinity of the examination rooms are installed to curb untoward incidents of malpractice.
- Encoding and decoding of answer booklets are done to provide confidentiality and unbiased evaluation.
- Photo copies of answer scripts will be provided to the desired students on application.
- The Examination Centre has been renewed by adding additional floor space for the purpose of storing of answer booklets and other documents. Additional furniture space has been added for valuation work. New equipment such as copier machines, Barcode Scanners have been added to the center.
- All old question papers are available in the college website and in the college library.
- As a green initiative cloth bags are used for examination purposes thereby avoiding plastic usage, also the number of sheets in the answer booklet has been reduced.
- Workshops are conducted to the faculty members on best practices involving question paper setting. Also, the new faculties are oriented on the Examination conduction Process

Workshop on Evaluation of Evaluation

The Examination Section and IQAC organized One-day workshop on Evaluation of Evaluation on 06.04.2024 for all the teaching faculty members. The objective of the workshop was to train teachers to maintain precision by excluding extraneous details during the question paper preparation.

Dr. H.N. Vishwanth, Senior Faculty of Education, Sarada Vilas Teachers College, Mysuru was the resource person who holds Doctoral degree in Education and Master's in Psychology and has profound knowledge in the preparation of question papers, lesson plan, work diary, formative and summative assessments.




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