

MANIPUR UNIVERSITY  
CANCHIPUR : IMPHAL

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To  
Deans of Schools of Studies, MU  
Heads of Departments, MU  
Principals of affiliated colleges, Manipur

Subject- Ordinance for Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science  
(Six-Semester System)

Sir/Madam,

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of the Ordinance for Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science (Six-Semester System) which was approved by the Academic Council in its Special meeting held on 14.6.2010 for favour of necessary action.

Encl.: a.a.

Yours faithfully

  
(Prof. N. Lokendra Singh)  
Registrar

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Manipur University  
Canchipur, Imphal

ORDINANCE

BACHELOR OF ARTS AND BACHELOR OF SCIENCE  
(SIX-SEMESTER SYSTEM)

There shall be a six-semester (three year) course of study leading to the award of Bachelor of Arts (Honours)/Bachelor of Science (Honours) degree. Each semester shall consist of 90 working days.

1. Eligibility:

A student who has passed 10+2 examination of Council of Higher Secondary Education, Manipur, or equivalent examination recognised by Manipur University is eligible for admission to BA/B Sc course.

2. A student of Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science shall offer the following subjects:

1) Modern Indian Language (Any one of the following):

(i) Bengali, (ii) Hindi, (iii) Hmar, (iv) Manipuri, (v) Mizo,  
(vi) Nepali, (vii) Paite (in the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> semesters)

OR

General English

In the 1st and 2nd  
semesters

2) a) Regional Development (Northeast) (In 3<sup>rd</sup> semester)  
b) Environmental Studies (in 4<sup>th</sup> Semester)

3) Elective and Honours subjects (Any three of the following):

BA Course			B Sc Course		
S No.	Subject	Status	S No.	Subject	Status
1	Anthropology	Elective & Honours	1	Anthropology	Elective & Honours
2	Economics		2	Biochemistry	Elective only
3	Education		3	Botany	Elective & Honours
4	English		4	Chemistry	
5	Geography		5	Computer Science	Elective only
6	Hindi		6	Defence Studies	
7	History		7	Economics	Elective & Honours
8	Home Science		8	Environmental Science	Elective only

BA Course			B Sc Course		
S No.	Subject	Status	S No.	Subject	Status
9	Linguistics	Elective & Honours	9	Electronics	Elective only
10	Manipuri		10	Geology	Elective & Honours
11	Mathematics		11	Geography	
12	Philosophy		12	Home Science	
13	Political Science		13	Mathematics	
14	Sociology		14	Physics	
			15	Statistics	
			16	Zoology	

(Please see the course structure below)

Provided that:

- i) No student shall be allowed to opt Biochemistry/Chemistry/Botany/Zoology unless he/she has passed the 10+2 (Higher Secondary/Senior Secondary) examination with Chemistry.
- ii) No student shall be allowed to opt Computer Science/Mathematics/Physics/ Statistics unless he/she has passed the 10+2 (Higher Secondary/Senior Secondary) examination with Mathematics.
- iii) No student shall be allowed to opt Electronics/Physics unless he/she has passed the 10+2 (Higher Secondary/Senior Secondary) examination with Physics.

3. Course structure for BA (Honours) and B Sc (Honours) under the semester system:

Semester	Subject	No. of Paper	Full Marks
I	MIL/GE Paper I	1	100
	Elective I Paper I		
	Elective II Paper I		
	Elective III Paper I		
II	MIL/GE Paper II		
	Elective I Paper II		
	Elective II Paper II		
	Elective III Paper II		
III	Regional Development (Northeast) RD(NE)		
	Elective I Paper III		
	Elective II Paper III		
	Elective III Paper III		
IV	Environmental Studies		
	Elective I Paper IV		
	Elective II Paper IV		
	Elective III Paper IV		
V**	Honours Paper I		
	Honours Paper II		
	Honours Paper III		
VI**	Honours Paper IV		
	Honours Paper V		
	Honours Paper VI		

\*\* Honours paper shall be one of the Electives offered in the previous semesters.

For a subject involving Practical/Laboratory classes:

- a) the practical examination will carry at least 30% overall weightage.
- b) for an elective paper of 100 marks comprising of Theory and Practical components, the distribution of marks shall be, generally:

Theory - 75 marks  
Practical - 25 marks.

However, for certain subjects, (e.g. Geography), a different distribution may be adopted.

- c) Honours Paper III in the 5th Semester and Honours Paper VI in the 6th Semester may be practical papers.

Details of marks distribution shall be as provided in the respective syllabus.

4. Pass marks:

Theory Paper		Practical Papers	
Full Marks	Pass Marks	Full Marks	Pass Marks
100	35	100	40
75	25	25	10
50	17	50	20

5. Maximum time allowed for theory and practical examinations.

Theory Paper		Practical Paper	
Full Marks	Maximum Time Allowed	Full Marks	Maximum time allowed
100	3 hours	100	4-6 hours (even may spread for two days depending upon the nature of the subject)
50	2 hours	50	3-5 hours (depending upon the nature of the subject)
75	3 hours	25	2-4 hours (depending upon the nature of the subject)

6. Eligibility to appear at the End-Semester Examination:

6.1 A student who has studied a regular course of study for a semester in an affiliated or permitted college may be admitted to the end-semester examination provided the student has attended not less than 75 percent of the lectures delivered, including practicals.

6.2 A student who has enrolled himself/herself in more than one college/institute simultaneously shall not be admitted into the end semester examinations.

7. Promotion:

- 7.1 A student who has passed all the papers of the semester examination will be promoted to the next higher semester.
- 7.2 A student who has failed in one or two papers in a semester may also be promoted to the next higher semester provided that in no case a student will be promoted to next higher semester if he/she has more than four failed papers at a time.

8. Admission into degree and award of certificate:

A degree under the seal of the university shall be awarded to a student who has passed all the papers of all the semester examinations.

9. Classification and Class and Grade:

9.1 A student who has passed all the six semesters in regular attempt shall be placed in the class "Honours with Distinction" if he/she secured at least 85% marks in aggregate of all the subjects in all the semesters.

9.2 For the award of class and grade (except the class of "Honours with Distinction"), the marks obtained in the subject of Honours (Honours papers and corresponding elective papers) will be counted.

E.g: For a student offering History as the Honours subject, the marks obtained in the Honours (History) Papers and elective (History) Papers shall be counted.

9.2.1 A student who secured 60% or above marks in the Honours subject (Honours paper and corresponding elective papers) shall be placed in First Class Honours.

9.2.2 A student who has secured 45% or more marks, but below 60% marks, will be placed in Second Class Honours.

9.2.3 A student who has passed all the papers but secures less than 45% marks will be placed in "Pass only" class.

10. Admission of the unsuccessful and absentee candidates:

A student who was admitted into a semester examination, but could not pass/could not be promoted to the next higher semester may be permitted to appear at the next available regular semester examination as a casual student on payment of necessary prescribed fee.

11. Notwithstanding anything contained in the above clauses a student must complete the course within a continuous span of ten semesters from his/her initial admission.



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OFFICE ORDERS NO. 1062  
Dated, the 18th April, 2013

No.MU/2-6/2006: In anticipation of the approval of the Academic Council, the Vice Chancellor is pleased to approve the following amendment of the Sub-Clause 7.2(v) of Clause 7 'Promotion' of the BA/BSc/BCom Ordinance, 2010 as under:

"A student who has appeared at the fifth semester examination may be allowed to attend sixth semester classes immediately after he/she has appeared at the fifth semester examination and will be allowed to appear the sixth semester examination if he/she has a maximum of four back papers only in first, second, third, fourth and fifth semester examinations taken together".

Other sub-clauses of the Office Order No.570 dated, the 23<sup>rd</sup> August, 2011 shall remain the same.

(Prof. N. Lokendra Singh)  
Registrar

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OFFICE ORDER NO. 4229  
Dated, the 4<sup>th</sup> February, 2016

No. MU/3-44/Ord/Aca/14: In anticipation of the approval of the Academic Council, the Vice-Chancellor has been pleased to amend the Clause 11 of the Ordinance for BA/BSc/BCom/BSc Biotech/BBA/BCA courses as under:

“Notwithstanding anything contained in the above clause a student must complete the course within a continuous span of twelve semesters from his/her initial admission.”

(Dr. R.K. Joteen Singh)  
Deputy Registrar/Aca

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