

# VISION AND MISSION OF THE DEPARTMENT



## VISION

The department envisions achieving excellence in teaching and to provide quality education to students, and prepare professional leaders to address the emerging global economic and social challenges.

## MISSION

1. To prepare students for acquiring applied knowledge of economics to enhance their employability and entrepreneurship.
2. To equip students with skills to formulate and implement theoretical and applied knowledge for nurturing future researchers and specialists in economics.
3. To provide a vibrant and innovative environment for students to acquire knowledge necessary for developing themselves into qualified professionals

## *Programme Learning Outcomes in BA. with Economics*

- To acquaint the students with basic concepts of economic theories, public, corporate and rural economics, business and managerial economics.
- To acquaint theories that helps students to understand consumers and producer behaviors.
- To learn the analytical frame work of business and management concepts and its approach applied to various field.
- To learn the fiscal framework and monetary framework of country.
- To understand the role of state and public sector in economic development.
- To understand the impact of economic policies of the government on economic development.
- To understand key issues of Indian Economy rural development of the country and state economy.
- To prepare students for different competitive examination as economics as elective subject in IAS, HAS, IES and other specialized exams.

## **Comprehensive Continuous Assessment (CCA) and yearly Scheme in BA with Economics in Three years degree course**

Scheme of Examination

English/Hindi shall be the medium of instructions and Examinations.

Examinations shall be conducted at the end of each year as per the academic calendar notified by H.P. University Shimla-5.

To complete degree BA with Economics students have to complete 132 Credits in three years. The term end examination will carry 100 marks and will have following components:

***I. Yearly Examination***

70 Marks

***II. Comprehensive Continuous Assessment 30 marks***

- a) Mid-Term Examination 15 marks
- b) Attendance 05 marks
- c) Assignment/ Seminar /Class test CCA 10 marks

***Courses in Economics***

Discipline Specific courses (DSC)	6 credits	6 x 4 = 24	
Skill Enhancement courses (SEC)	4 credits	4 x 4 = 16	
Discipline Specific Elective (DSE)	6 credits	6 x 2 = 12	
Generic Elective (for other than elective subject as Economics)	(GE) 6 credits		6 x 2 = 12

*Criterion for marks on the basis of Class-room attendance (0 - 5 marks) under component CCA/ IA be defined as follows:*

- a) Attendance 75 -- 80% = 3 marks
- b) Attendance 81 – 90 % = 4 marks
- c) Attendance 91% and above = 5 marks
- d) Candidates securing 75% Attendance after condonation will not be entitled to get any mark.

## **Assessment methods**

Assessment methods have two major objectives:

- The primary one is to assess the learning outcomes of the course in tune with the broad outcomes of strengthening core theoretical knowledge base and practical laboratory skills. This is assessed by comprehensive summative end-semester examinations conducted for both theory and practical courses. Also In-course assessments are given in every course in order to assess the student's mastery of various learning outcomes. These assessments include individual assignments, group assignments, , written reports, quizzes, class tests and periodical tests.
- Another objective is to improve the students' learning and teachers' teaching. Results of assessments and their critical analysis are used to improve the process further by focusing on the areas that need conceptual strengthening, laboratory exposure or design of new experiments.