



AQAR 2021-22

1.1 Curriculum Design and Development

1.1.2 History – Board of Studies

**Department of History
St. Joseph's College (Autonomous)
Tiruchirappalli**

Minutes of Board of Studies Meeting held on 18.05.2021

Board of Studies meeting was held at Department Google Classroom at 10.00 am on 18th May, 2021 through online mode. The meeting began at 10.15 am to discuss UG History Syllabus 2021. The meeting was inaugurated by Dr. K. Lingammal, Head (i/c) with a prayer. She welcomed the panel members of BoS i.e. University Representative, Subject Expert, Industrial Expert and Student Representative and internal members for the meeting. Then Dr K. Lingammal requested Dr. S. Manikandan to present UG History Syllabus 2021 to the panel members for discussion.


Dr. S. Manikandan started presenting the syllabus by giving an introduction to the revised syllabus and exploring the idea followed to revise and update the UG History Syllabus 2021. He explained that the present syllabus was revised based on Learning Outcome Based Curriculum Framework (LOCF) proposed by UGC. Beside he assured that the revised syllabus would have importance of local, regional, national and international history and the revised syllabus would fulfill the expectations of the students who try for higher education, interested in Competitive exams and would be qualified for job opportunities available in tourism industry, record offices and museums particularly.

At first Dr. S. Manikandan presented Programme Outcome and Programme Specific Outcome of the Department. He sought the panel members for suggestions after presenting Course Outcome and content of each paper. He completed his presentation by 12.50 pm. The experts shared their views on revised syllabus and gave their valuable suggestions. They congratulated the department for hard work rendered by faculty members of the Department of History to prepare a model syllabus and they appreciated for introducing 13 new subjects for fulfilling the needs of the next generation. They expressed their satisfaction on the UG History Syllabus 2021 which was prepared based on LOCF and they expressed their happiness on their participation in the Board of Studies meeting.

The following table gives details about the suggestions given by the panel members and action taken by the dept.

Sl. No.	Name of the Course	Expert's Suggestions	Action Taken	Remarks
1	Ancient History of India (upto 711AD) 21UHS13CC01	1.Suggested to place other term instead of Sanskritization in IV unit. 2. Asked to add Places of Mahajanapatha as map work.	Accepted to replace	-
2	Basics of History Learning 21UHS13CC01A	Suggested to include some more approaches in History	Explanation given that it was a basic course	Experts were happy
3	History of Tourism 21UHS13AC01	Suggested to remove Future and scope in the unit I which are repeating	Removed	-


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4	History of Tamil Nadu – II (1736 AD – 2016 AD) 21UHS23CC04	1. Asked to justify the giving importance of Muhammad Yusuf Khan. 2. Suggested to add Justice party and Tamil Nadu before 1947. 3. Suggested to remove the term Tiger and Goat Politics in Unit V and to replace by other term.	1. Justification was given. 2. Removed and added the points which suggested by the experts	Experts accepted his justification
5	Modern History of India (1707 AD – 1947 AD) 21UHS33CC05	Suggested to remove Krishna Reddy from Book for study and to add some more books for study	Removed and added experts suggestion to include books for study	-
6	Select Civilizations of Ancient World 21UHS33CC06	Suggested to change the title Selected Civilization instead of Select.	Faculty members clarified it.	Experts accepted the view.
7	Basics of Archaeology 21UHS33SE01	1. Suggested to include Stratigraphy method. 2. suggested to add Important archaeological sites in India apart from Tamil Nadu	1. Faculty members justified that Harris Matrix, Archaeologist used the term Stratigraphy in Archaeological excavation, therefore no need to use separate term for stratigraphy. 2. Added	Experts accepted
8	Social and Cultural History of Tamil Nadu 21UHS43CC07	Suggested to remove Keeladi from Unit I ongoing excavation.	Accepted and made changes	-
9	History of Modern World 21UHS43CC08	Suggested to change Krishna Reddy book in Book for reference	Accepted to Change	-
10	Tourism Automation 21UHS43AO02A	Suggested to change Ways of Travel instead of Roadways, Railways in the unit II	Staff members clarified that while question paper setting it may create confusion.	Experts accepted
11	Historiography 21UHS53CC09	Experts suggested to order historians in Unit V based on chronological order	Accepted to change	-
12	Indian Polity and The Constitution 21UHS53CC10	1. Suggested to interchange the place of IV into Unit II place, Unit 2 into in the place of Unit 4. 2. suggested to replace the term Quazi Federal into Federal Setup	Changed and added.	-

13	Indian Geography 21UHS53ES01A	Suggested to include Agriculture in Unit IV.	Included	
14	Social and Cultural Movements in Modern India 21UHS63CC11	1. Suggested to add Bardoli Satyagraha movement. 2. suggested to remove one content from unit V.	1. Faculty members clarified that content of the course is too vast. It is not easy to complete numerous movements. 2. Removed	Experts accepted the view of staff members
15	Intellectual History of Modern India 21UHS63ES03A	1. Suggested to add Patel in Unit 1 and add Ayothidasar and Kumarappa in unit 2.	added	
16	Archive Keeping 21UHS63ES04B	Suggested to add Roja Muthiah Library in Unit V.	added	
17	Participatory Democracy 21UHS63SE04	Suggested to include State Election Commission in Unit IV and enquired about Confusing Candidate	Added and gave clarification about confusing candidates.	Experts accepted.
18	Intellectual Revivalism in Tamil Nadu 21UHS63EG02	1. Suggested to add Percival in unit I.	Included	

Finally Dr. K. Lingammal proposed the vote of thanks. The meeting came to an end at 1.10 pm.

The following both internal and external members attended the meeting:

External Members

1. Dr. A. Akbar Hussain – University Representative
Associate Professor and Head
Department of History, Jamal Mohamad College, Tiruchirappalli.
2. Dr. Jeyakumari Gnanadeepam – Subject Expert
Assistant Professor, Department of History, MAM College, Dindigul.
3. Dr. R. Ramachandran – Industrial Expert
Advocate, Tiruchirappalli District Court, Tiruchirappalli.
4. Mr. P. Prasanna – Student Representative
Ph.D. Research Scholar, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli.

Internal Members

1. Rev. Dr. M. Arockiasamy Xavier, SJ
2. Dr. S. Manikandan
3. Dr. K. Lingammal HOD (i/c)
4. Ms. T. Beatinal Amalorpava Mary
5. Dr. S. Santhanakkumar
6. Mr. S. Vadivel

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