



**MURALIDHAR GIRLS' COLLEGE**  
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**ADMISSION TO SEMESTER-WISE 3-YEAR B.A. GENERAL 2020-2021**  
**UNDER CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM (CBCS) CONDUCTED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA.**

**OUTLINE OF CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM**

**Academic Year:** Two consecutive (one odd + one even) semesters constitute one academic year.

**Course:** Usually referred to, as 'papers' is a component of a programme. All courses need not carry the same weight. The courses should define learning objectives and learning outcomes. Different courses may have different marks. A course may be designed to comprise lectures/ tutorials/laboratory work/ field work/ outreach activities/ project work/ vocational training/viva/ seminars/ term papers/assignments/ presentations/ self-study etc. or a combination of some of these.

A) **Core Course (CC):** A course, which should compulsorily be studied by a candidate as a core requirement is termed as a Core course.

**Modalities of selecting Core Course (CC) by a student of General programme shall be as follows:**

a) In case of B.A. General programme a student shall have to study 4 Core Courses of each of the 2 chosen subjects as specified for each of the first 4 Semesters. In addition 4 Core Courses to be studied; two courses each from two language subjects: LCC1- English & LCC2- MIL (Bengali)/ Alternative English as specified for each of the last 4 semesters.

B) **Elective Course:** Generally a course which can be chosen from a pool of courses and which may be very specific or specialized or advanced or supportive to the discipline/subject of study or which provides an extended scope or which enables an exposure to some other discipline/subject/domain or nurtures the candidate's proficiency/skill is called an Elective Course.

i) **Discipline Specific Elective (DSE) Course:** An elective course which may be offered by the main discipline/subject of study is referred to as Discipline Specific Elective. This course is to advance knowledge and skill in the core course domain.

**Modalities of selecting DSE by a student of B.A. General programme shall be as follows:**

a) In case of B.A. General programme, a student shall have to study 4 DSE courses strictly on 2 subjects, opted for pursuing Core Courses, taking exactly 2 courses from each subject. Such a student shall have to study the curriculum of DSE of the subject concerned as specified for the relevant semester, i.e., DSE-A in the 5<sup>th</sup> and DSE-B in 6<sup>th</sup> semester.

b) *Each General subject shall have two groups (A & B) of DSE papers. A student shall have to choose one paper from Group A of each of the two subjects in the fifth semester and one paper from Group B of each of the two subjects in the sixth semester.*

c) **Dissertation/Project:** An elective course designed to acquire special/advanced knowledge, is termed as dissertation/ project. This is considered as a special course involving application of knowledge in solving/ analyzing/ exploring a real life situation/ difficult problem. A dissertation/ project work will be of 6 credits. A dissertation/ project work may be given in lieu of a Discipline Specific Elective.

ii) **Generic Elective (GE) Course:** An elective course chosen generally from an unrelated discipline /subject, with an intention to seek wide exposure, is called Generic Elective.

**Modalities of selecting GE by a student of B.A. General programme shall be as follows:**

a) In case of B.A. General programme, a student shall have to choose 2 Generic Elective papers strictly from one particular subject [which will be different from the core subjects including the Core Languages (LCC1 & LCC2)] as specified for the 1st and 2nd semester.

**N.B.:** A core course offered in a discipline/subject may be treated as an elective by other discipline/subject and such electives may also be referred to as Generic Elective. [A Core Course (CC) of B.A./B.Sc. General may be treated as Generic Elective for B.A./B.Sc. (Honours) and B.A. (General)].

- C) **Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC):** The Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC) may be of two kinds: Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC) and Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC).
- a) **Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC):** AECC courses are the courses based upon the content that leads to Knowledge enhancement. These are mandatory for all disciplines.
- i) AECC1 : Communicative English / MIL (Bengali);
- ii) AECC2: Environmental Studies.
- b) **Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC):** These courses may be chosen from a pool of courses designed to provide value-based and/or skill-based knowledge and are aimed at providing competencies, skills, etc.

**Modalities of selecting SEC by a student of B.A. General programme shall be as follows:**

- a) In case of B.A. General programme, a student shall have to study 4 Skill Enhancement courses strictly on 2 subjects, opted for pursuing Core Courses, taking exactly 2 courses from each subject. Such a student shall have to study the curriculum of SEC of the subject concerned as specified for the relevant semester.
- b) *Each General subject shall have two groups (A & B) of SEC papers. A student shall have to choose one paper from Group A of each of the two core subjects in the third and fifth semesters and one paper from Group B of each of the two core subjects in the fourth and the sixth semester.*

**Practical/ Tutorial:** Every Core, Discipline Specific and Generic Elective Course shall have a Practical/ Tutorial component. Wherever there is a practical, there will be no Tutorial and vice-versa.

**COURSE STRUCTURE FOR B.A. GENERAL**

Course Components	B.A. General
Core Course (CC)	8**
Language Core Course (LCC)	4**
Generic Elective (GE)	2
Discipline Specific Elective (DSE)	4**
Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC)	2
Skill Enhancement Elective Course (SEC)	4**
<b>Total no. of courses</b>	<b>24</b>

\*\*Covering 2(two) subjects

**CREDIT STRUCTURE FOR B.A. (GENERAL) COURSES**

Course Type & Credit	Number of Courses × Credit (With practical)		Number of Courses × Credit (With Tutorial)	
	Theory	Practical	Theory	Tutorial
Core Course (CC) (6 credit)	8×4=32	8×2=16	8×5=40	8×1=8
Language (LCC) (With Tutorial only) (6 credit)	4×5=20	4×1=4	4×5=20	4×1=4
Generic Elective (GE) (6 credit)	2×4=8	2×2=4	2×5=10	2×1=2
Discipline Specific Elective (DSE) (6 credit)	4×4=16	4×2=8	4×5=20	4×1=4
Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC) (2 credit)	2×2=4	0	2×2=4	0
Skill Enhancement Course (SEC) (2 credit)	4×2=8	0	4×2=8	0
<b>Total Courses (Credits)</b>	<b>24(88)</b>	<b>18(32)</b>	<b>24(102)</b>	<b>18(18)</b>
<b>Total Courses= 42 (24TH+18P/TU)</b>	<b>Total Credits= 120 (88TH+32P) / (102TH+18TU)</b>			

## SCHEME FOR CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM IN B.A. GENERAL

	Sem-1	Sem-2	Sem-3	Sem-4	Sem-5	Sem-6
<b>Core Course (CC)</b>	2TH+ 2P/TU CC-1	2TH+ 2P/TU CC-2	2TH+ 2P/TU CC-3	2TH+2 P/TU CC-4		
<b>Language(LCC)</b>			1TH+ 1TU LCC 1(1)	1TH+ 1TU LCC 2(1)	1TH+ 1TU LCC 1(2)	1TH+ 1TU LCC 2(2)
<b>Generic Elective( GE)</b>	1TH+ 1P/TU GE-1	1TH+ 1P/TU GE-2				
<b>Discipline Specific Elective (DSE)</b>					2TH+ 2P/TU DSE- A (1A+2 A)	2TH+ 2P/TU DSE- B (1B+2 B)
<b>Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course(AECC)</b>	1TH+ 0P/TU AECC -1	1TH+ 0P/TU AECC -2				
<b>Skill Enhancement Course(SEC)</b>			1TH+ 0P/TU SEC- A(1)	1TH+ 0P/TU SEC- B(1)	1TH+ 0P/TU SEC- A(2)	1TH+ 0P/TU SEC- B(2)
<b>Total No. of Courses and Marks</b>	<b>4</b> ×100= <b>400</b>	<b>4</b> ×100= <b>400</b>	<b>4</b> ×100= <b>400</b>	<b>4</b> ×100= <b>400</b>	<b>4</b> ×100= <b>400</b>	<b>4</b> ×100= <b>400</b>
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>TH= Theory</b>		<b>P= Practical</b>		<b>TU=Tutorial</b>		

**CC/LCC/GE/DSE:** Each Theory and Practical Course has 4 and 2 Credits respectively / Each Theory and Tutorial Course have 5 and 1 Credit(s) respectively

**CC:** 4 courses each from 2 subjects (one course from each subject under each semester)

**LCC:** LCC1-English courses; LCC2- MIL/Alternative English

**GE:** Two courses from one subject different from core subjects including LCC

**DSE:** 2 courses each from 2 subjects

**AECC/SEC:** Each Course has 2 Credits

**AECC-1:** Communicative English/MIL, **AECC-2:** Environmental Studies

**SEC:** 4 courses; 2 courses each from two subjects

**DSE/SEC:** Group (A & B) for specified semesters

**Semester Work-load**

**Each Semester: 15-18 weeks of academic work**

**Theory / Tutorial: 1 Credit = 1 hr./week**

**Practical: 1 Credit = 2 hrs. /week**



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**Modalities of selecting Core Course (CC) by a student of General programme shall be as follows:**

a) In case of B.Sc. General Programme a student shall have to study 4 Core Courses of each of the 3 chosen subjects as specified for each of the first 4 Semesters.

B) **Elective Course:** Generally a course which can be chosen from a pool of courses and which maybe very specific or specialized or advanced or supportive to the discipline/subject of study or which provides an extended scope or which enables an exposure to some other discipline/subject/domain or nurtures the candidate's proficiency/skill is called an Elective Course.

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**Modalities of selecting DSE by a student of General programme shall be as follows:**

a) In case of B.Sc. General programme, a student shall have to study 6 DSE courses strictly on 3 subjects, opted for pursuing core courses, taking exactly two courses from each subject. Such a student shall have to study the curriculum of DSE of the subject concerned as specified for the relevant semester, i.e., DSE-A in the 5<sup>th</sup> and DSE-B in 6<sup>th</sup> semester.

b) *Each General subject shall have two groups (A & B) of DSE papers. A student shall have to choose one paper from Group A of each of the three subjects in fifth semester and one paper from Group B of each of the three subjects in sixth semester.*

c) **Dissertation/Project:** An elective course designed to acquire special/advanced knowledge, is termed as dissertation/ project. This is considered as a special course involving application of knowledge in solving/ analyzing/ exploring a real life situation/ difficult problem. A dissertation/ project work will be of 6 credits. A dissertation/ project work may be given in lieu of a Discipline Specific Elective.

ii) **Generic Elective (GE) Course:** An elective course chosen generally from an unrelated discipline/subject, with an intention to seek wide exposure, is called Generic Elective.

**Modalities of selecting GE by a student of General programme shall be as follows:**

a) In case of B.Sc. General programme, a student shall not have to choose and study any Generic Elective course.

C) **Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC):** The Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC) may be of two kinds: Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC) and Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC).

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i) AECC1 : Communicative English / MIL (Bengali);

ii) AECC2: Environmental Studies.

- b) **Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC):** These courses may be chosen from a pool of courses designed to provide value-based and/or skill-based knowledge and are aimed at providing competencies, skills, etc.

**Modalities of selecting SEC by a student of Honours/ General programme shall be as follows:**

- a) In case of B.Sc. General programme, a student shall have to study 4 Skill Enhancement Courses strictly on 2 subjects out of the three, opted for pursuing core courses, taking exactly two courses from each subject. Such a student shall have to study the curriculum of SEC of the subject concerned as specified for the relevant semester.
- b) *Each General subject shall have two groups (A & B) of SEC papers. One paper from Group A of each of the two Core subjects to be chosen in the third and fifth semester; one paper from Group B of each of the two core subjects to be chosen in the fourth and sixth semester.*

**Practical/ Tutorial:** Every Core, Discipline Specific and Generic Elective Course shall have a Practical/ Tutorial component. Wherever there is a practical, there will be no Tutorial and vice-versa.

### COURSE STRUCTURE FOR B. SC. GENERAL

Course Components	B.Sc. General
Core Course (CC)	12*
Language Core Course (LCC)	0
Generic Elective (GE)	0
Discipline Specific Elective (DSE)	6*
Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC)	2
Skill Enhancement Elective Course (SEC)	4**
<b>Total no. of courses</b>	<b>24</b>

\*Covering 3(three) subjects \*\*Covering 2(two) subjects

### CREDIT STRUCTURE FOR B. SC. (GENERAL) COURSES

Course Type & Credit	Number of Courses × Credit (With practical)		Number of Courses × Credit (With Tutorial)	
	Theory	Practical	Theory	Tutorial
Core Course (CC) (6 credit)	12×4=48	12×2=24	12×5=60	12×1=12
Discipline Specific Elective (DSE) (6 credit)	6×4=24	6×2=12	6×5=30	6×1=6
Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC) (2 credit)	2×2=4	0	2×2=4	0
Skill Enhancement Course (SEC) (2 credit)	4×2=8	0	4×2=8	0
<b>Total Courses (Credits)</b>	<b>24(84)</b>	<b>18(36)</b>	<b>24(102)</b>	<b>18(18)</b>
<b>Total Courses= 42 (24TH+18P/TU)</b>		<b>Total Credits= 120 (84TH+36P) / (102TH+18P)</b>		

## SCHEME FOR CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM IN B. Sc. GENERAL

	Sem-1	Sem-2	Sem-3	Sem-4	Sem-5	Sem-6
<b>Core Course (CC)</b>	3TH+3P/TU CC-1	3TH+3P/TU CC-2	3TH+3P/TU CC-3	3TH+3P/TU CC-4		
<b>Discipline Specific Elective (DSE)</b>					3TH+3P/TU DSE-A (1A+2A+3A)	3TH+3P/TU DSE-BA(2) (1B+2B+3B)
<b>Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course (AECC)</b>	1TH+0P/TU AECC-1	1TH+0P/TU AECC-2				
<b>Skill Enhancement Course (SEC)</b>			1TH+0P/TU SEC-A(1)	1TH+0P/TU SEC-B(1)	1TH+0P/TU SEC-A(2)	1TH+0P/TU SEC-B(2)
<b>Total No. of Courses and Marks</b>	4 ×100=400	4 ×100=400	4 ×100=400	4 ×100=400	4 ×100=400	4 ×100=400
<b>Total Credits</b>	20	20	20	20	20	20
<b>TH= Theory</b>		<b>P= Practical</b>		<b>TU=Tutorial</b>		

**CC/DSE:** Each Theory and Practical Course has 4 and 2 Credits respectively/ Each Theory and Tutorial Course have 5 and 1 Credit(s) respectively

**CC:** 4 courses each from 3 subjects (one course from each subject under each semester)

**DSE:** 2 courses each from 3 subjects (one course from each subject under each semester)

**AECC/SEC:** Each Course has 2 credits

**AECC-1:** Communicative English/ MIL; **AECC-2:** Environmental Studies

**SEC:** 4 courses; two courses each from two subjects

**DSE/SEC:** Group (A & B) for specified semesters

### Semester Work-load

**Each Semester: 15-18 weeks of academic work**

**Theory / Tutorial: 1 Credit = 1 hr./week**

**Practical: 1 Credit = 2 hrs. /week**



## Admission: B.A. General 2020-21

For B.A. General Course of study a student is required to choose 2 Core Course (CC) and 1 Generic Elective (GE) subject from the following combination groups, taking not more than one subject from one group. The Chosen Core Course (CC) and the Generic Elective (GE) cannot be from the same group.

- GROUP 1: Political Science/English/Economics/Bengali
- GROUP 2: Sociology/Sanskrit/ Education/ Film Studies/
- GROUP 3: Journalism/Psychology/ Geography/Philosophy/History  
*(English and Bengali can be taken as Generic Elective (GE) only. Cannot choose English & Bengali simultaneously)*
- For B.A. General *Students cannot opt for two (2) science elective subjects.*
- Science Subject: Film Studies; Economics; Psychology; Geography

**SUBJECT CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO B.A. General 2020-21:**  
(The marks requirement at the (10+2) level)

CC/GE SUBJECTS	MARKS REQUIREMENTS (10+2 LEVEL)
Journalism	55% in either English or Bengali
Psychology	50% in Aggregate
Geography	50% in Subject & 40% in aggregate
Sociology	50% in Aggregate
Film Studies	60% either in English or Bengali
Economics	50% in Aggregate
Political Science	40% in Aggregate
Education	55% in Aggregate

**A candidate shall not be allowed to take up any subject if she has failed in the subject in the previous qualifying examination. College authority will not be responsible, in any way, for wrong combinations chosen by the students.**

For B.A. General Course of study a student is required to choose any one of the Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECCI) for their First Semester

AECCI: Communicative English / MIL (Bengali)

### ALLOCATION OF GENERAL SEATS FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2020-21

Subject	Total No of seats	No of seats for General Caste	No of seats for SC	No of seats for ST	No of seats for OBC-A	No of seats For OBC-B
B.A. (GENERAL)	350	192	77	21	35	25

Subjects like Film Studies, Geography, Psychology, Journalism & Mass Communication will be offered subject to availability of seats. (Confirmation at time of counselling).

**Sports Quota is available for eligible candidates. For details check the college website.**

**N.B. : 3% of all category reserved for PWD (Visually Handicapped / Hearing Impaired / Orthopedically Handicapped) candidates.**

## Admission: B.Sc. General 2020-21

For B.Sc. General Course of study a student is required to choose 3 Core Course (CC) subjects from the following combination groups, taking not more than one subject from one group.

- GROUP 1: Microbiology/Chemistry/Statistics
- GROUP 2: Zoology/Physics/Economics
- GROUP 3: Mathematics/Botany/Geography

**(Only combinations allowed for Economics & Geography:**

**1) Economics, Mathematics & Statistics**

**2) Economics, Statistics & Geography**

### SUBJECT CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO B.Sc. General 2020-21:

[Marks requirement at the (10+2) level]

CC SUBJECTS	MARKS REQUIREMENTS (10+2 LEVEL)
Botany or Biology	40% in Subject
Mathematics	40% in Subject
Statistics	Passed in Statistics /Business Mathematics / Mathematics in (10+2)
Chemistry	40% in Subject (should Pass in Practical)
Physics	Passed in Subject (should Pass in Practical) and Mathematics
Microbiology	Passed in Biology/Bio-Technology and Chemistry/ Physics
Zoology	Passed in Zoology/Biology/ Bio-Technology
Economics	50% in Aggregate
Geography	50% in Subject & 40% in aggregate

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For B.Sc. General Course of study a student is required to choose any one of the Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECCI) for their First Semester

**AECC1: Communicative English / MIL (Bengali)**

### Allocation of General Seats (Combination-wise) for the Academic Year 2020-21

Subject	Total No of seats	No of seats for General Caste	No of seats for SC	No of seats for ST	No of seats for OBC-A	No of seats for OBC-B
B.Sc. (GENERAL)	80	44	18	05	08	05

Subjects like Geography, Psychology will be offered subject to availability of seats. (Confirmation at time of counselling).

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