PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMISSIONER OF COLLEGIATE EDUCATION A.P. :: MANGALAGIRI

Present: Dr. Pola Bhaskar, IAS.

Proc.No.76/O.P-II/2023-1

Sub: Collegiate Education- UG courses -Single Major programmes in Government Degree Colleges-from the Academic Year 2023-2024 -Orders issued - Reg.

- Read: 1. Lr.No.APSCHE/AC/CBCS-2019-20/Review from Secretary, APSCHE, Mangalagiri dated:24-04-2023.
 - 2. Procgs. Rc. No.2/ CCE-Acad-Cell / Sing.Maj/AC-06/2023, dt: 24.05.2023 of the Commissioner of Collegiate Education, AP, Mangalagiri.

Date: 04-07-2023

3. This Office U.Note.No.1/AC-01/2023-24 Dt.3.7.2023.

The National Education Policy-2020, mainly emphasis, on improvement of quality of higher education, which plays an extremely important role in promoting human as well as societal wellbeing and in developing India as envisioned in its Constitution. Quality of higher education is must aim to develop good, thoughtful, well-rounded, and creative individuals. It must enable an individual to study one or more specialized areas of interest at a deep level, and also develop character, ethical and Constitutional values, intellectual curiosity, scientific temper, creativity, spirit of service. A quality higher education must enable personal accomplishment and enlightenment, constructive public engagement, and productive contribution to the society. It must prepare students for more meaningful and satisfying lives and work roles and enable economic independence.

Accordingly, the AP State Council of Higher Education (APSCHE) revised the curricular framework of General UG Programmes in accordance with NEP 2020 and Revised Curricular Structure of UGC. The major change in the proposed curriculum is a shift from three majors to single majors along with multiple entry and exit options. In this connection the Secretary, APSCHE, Mangalagiri, in his letter cited in the 1st reference, requested the Commissioner of Collegiate Education, AP (CCE-AP) to initiate the process of conversion of three majors into single majors in all Government Degree Colleges to be in effect from 2023-24 academic year

By taking into account of the prevailing scenario in the Colleges, to design the overall development of the student in multifaceted way with available infrastructure in the Colleges, sanctioned posts, admissions made in the Colleges for the past three years, series of meetings have been convened on conversion of existing UG Programs in Three Majors to Single Major from the Academic Year 2023 -2024, with Principals, IQAC Coordinators and Subject **Experts from the Government Degree Colleges**, to represent a student in a society to meet the global challenges after completion of their under graduation, in the job market, on the strength of the representations received from all Government Degree College Principals in the State, to change the old adopted programs to meet the global demand, series of meetings have been conducted in various platforms with subject experts and other academicians including all the Principals of Government Degree Colleges and during the course of deliberate discussions and suggestions made by them, at their request, the single major programmes are finalized.

In the above back drop, as per the proposals submitted by the Principals in various platforms and after having deliberate discussions, with all the Principals of Government Degree Colleges in the state, while enclosing the College wise, Single Major programme, permitted to run in their respective Colleges as mentioned against each Government Degree College, they are directed to take further steps, for the ensuing admissions being carried for the academic year 2023-2024.

Further they are also requested to intimate the changes to the respective Affiliating University Registrars in their jurisdiction for its recognition/affiliation of programmes and further necessary action.

Receipt of these proceedings should be acknowledged.

Sd/- **Dr. Pola Bhaskar, IAS**Commissioner of Collegiate Education

Encl: Annexure.

To The Principal, GDC, Bheemunipatnam, Visakhapatnam Dt.

Copy:

Copy Submitted to the Principal Secretary to Government Higher Education, Velagapudi, Guntur.

Copy Submitted to the Secretary to APSCHE-AP Guntur.

Copy to all the Registrars of Universities concerned.

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Joint Director of Collegiate Education

Annexure (CCE's Proc.No.76/O.P-II/2023-1, dated 04-07-2023) Commissionerate of Collegiate Education, Govt. of A.P. :: Mangalagiri

GDC, Bheemunipatnam, Visakhapatnam Dt., (Affiliated to Andhra University)

S#	Single Major Programme	Medium	Intake
1	B A Honours (History)	English	40
2	B Com Honours (General)	English	60
3	B Sc Honours (Physics)	English	40
4	B Sc Honours (Zoology)	English	40

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