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## VALUE-ADDED COURSES - 2021-22

The curriculum for teacher education must be all encompassing, paving the ways for accumulating the pedagogical knowledge and socio-psycho-philosophical foundations of education. It further must prepare the prospective teachers to live the fruitfully and make it a life- long learning. Hence our college being the autonomous offers value-added courses to strengthen the life skills of prospective teachers and develop them holistically.

Our college offers the Value-added courses with the following Course Learning Outcomes:

# **Course Learning Outcomes**

# The prospective teacher

- 1. develops employability skills
- 2. bridges the skill gap and become ready for teaching profession
- 3. familiarizes with technical skills
- 4. understands the expectations of the schools and students
- 5. recognizes as job providers rather job seekers

Following are the titles of the value-added courses for 2021-22

- 1. Intensive English Training
- 2. Creative Crafts
- 3. Yoga for Human Excellence
- 4. The Language of Hindi
- 5. Web 3.0 Tools for Prospective Teachers
- 6. E-content Development

## Duration

The duration of value added course is 30 hours with a combination of theory and practical. However, the combination of theory and practical shall be decided by the course-coordinator with the approval of the Principal.

## **Examination and Evaluation**

Value-added courses are purely internal and the examination is conducted by the coursecoordinator in consultation with the Principal; the answer scripts are valued by the coursecoordinator.

## **Awarding Certificate**

The students who successfully complete the Value - added Courses shall be issued certificates by St. Xavier's College of Education (Autonomous), Palayamkottai.

## Guidelines for conducting value added courses

- Value Added Course is mandatory to qualify for the completion of B.Ed. programme.
- Classes for value added courses are conducted outside the regular class hours.
- Resource persons from other Institutions may be invited for the value added courses.
- 90% of attendance is compulsory to write the Examination.
- There will be Course-coordinator to look after the programme.

#### **Course I: Intensive English Training**

#### B.Ed.: Sem. I

#### **Course Code: VCIET**

#### **Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs):**

#### **The Prospective Teacher**

- 1. learns the basic Grammar of English language
- 2. increases the knowledge of English and English Grammar
- 3. develops the skills of Listening, Speaking, Reading and Writing in English
- 4. learns to speak native English fluently
- 5. over comes the fear of making errors in usage of English

#### Unit I: Tenses

Present Tense: Simple Present, Present Continuous, Present Perfect and Present Perfect Continuous - Past Tense: Simple Past, Past Continuous, Past Perfect and Past Perfect Continuous - Future Tense: Simple Future, Future Continuous, Future Perfect and Future Perfect Continuous - Conjugation

#### **Unit II: Formation of Sentence**

Noun: Meaning, types - Pronoun: Meaning and usages - Types of Sentence: Simple, Imperative, Interrogative and Exclamatory - Question Pattern: 'Wh' questions, 'Verbal' (Yes or No) questions, Positive and Negative questions - Question Tag

#### **Unit III: Basic Grammar Components**

Articles: Meaning, Types: Definite and Indefinite - Prepositions: Meaning, Types: Simple, Compound and Complex - Phrase and Clause: Meaning, Types, differences and usage - Auxiliary verbs: Meaning, Types: Auxiliary: be verbs, do verbs and have verbs -Modals: Pure Modals and Semi Modals - Framing questions using Auxiliary verbs: Positive and Negative

#### **Unit IV: Speech and Voice**

Direct Speech: Meaning and usages - Indirect Speech: Meaning and usages - Active Voice: Meaning and usages - Passive Voice: Meaning and usages - Degrees of Comparison: Meaning, types: Positive degree, Comparative degree and Superlative degree, usages

#### **Unit V: Developing English Language**

Language Lab: Listening to English Grammar and using in daily speech - Reproducing the speeches of great people: memorizing and delivering the speech - Loud reading practice: Pronunciation, Intonation and Identification of Sound Units - Composition writing: Guided composition, Free composition and Picture composition - Spotting the error in daily usage of English - Dialogue delivery: Conversation practice, Good manners practice and Dialogue practice

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# **Course II: Creative Crafts**

#### B.Ed.: Sem. I

# **Course Code: VCCC**

#### **Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs):**

#### The prospective Teacher

- 1. exercises the use and mastery of the elements of arts
- 2. produces creative works that demonstrate innovation in concepts, formal language and/or materials
- 3. demonstrates the problem-solving skills by providing a step-by-step approach to specific issue
- 4. develops the technical skills and conceptual skills necessary to create a cohesive body of artwork
- 5. uses a variety of brainstorming techniques to generate novel ideas

#### Unit I: Natural art

Freehand Drawing, Pencil Shading, Nature Work, Figurative Work, Creative Designs - Coconut shell craft - Pebbles art

#### **Unit II: Handwriting**

Aim of Teaching Handwriting - Basic Script - The Cursive Style - Capitals -Numerals Consistency of Movement and Shape - Italic writing - practice of Italic writing

#### **Unit III: Flower making**

Basic Flower Arranging Techniques - Flowers as Gifts - Flowers for the Home - Practice of preparing bouquet - Organdy - Socks cloth - Crepe paper

#### **Unit IV: Fabric Painting**

Nature Work - Creative Designs - Figurative Work - Fabric Colours - Pearl Colours - 3D & Spray Colours - Glass painting - Jewelry making

## **Unit V: Creative Art**

Coffee painting - Woolen hanging - Landscape on disc - Dream catcher - Geometrical pattern coasters

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#### **Course III: Yoga for Human Excellence**

# B.Ed.: Sem. I

**Course Code: VCYHE** 

#### **Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs):**

#### The prospective teacher

- 1. understands the importance of good health
- 2. practices the steps in maintaining mental hygiene
- 3. develops emotional stability
- 4. recognizes the importance of yoga in developing moral values
- 5. learns to do the yoga and asanas

#### **Unit I: Introduction to Yoga**

Yoga: Definition, Meaning, Types and Stages - Introduction of Kriya, Bandha and Mudra - Difference between Asana and Exercise

## Unit II: Effects of Asana

Physical and physiological effects of the following: Padmasana, Paschimottasana, Vakarasana, Vrakshasana, Trikonasana, Shalabhasana, Bhujangasana, Makrasana

#### **Unit III: Producers and Benefits of Asanas**

Sarvangasana, Halasana, Savasana, Sirasana, Mayurasana, Dhanurasana and Surya Namaskar

#### **Unit IV: Pranayama Practice**

Meaning of Pranayama - Purka - Kumbhaka - Rechaka - Nadisuddhi - Suryabedhana - Sittaki and Sitkari

## **Unit V: Asanas for Diseases**

Effects of Asanas on various human systems - Asanas for Diabetes, Blood Pressure, Back pain - Obesity - Yogic Therapy

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- 2. Iyenger, B.K.S. (1982). Light of Yoga. Great Britain: Geroga Allen & Unwin.
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# **Course IV: The Language of Hindi**

# B.Ed.: Sem. II

# **Course Code: VCLH**

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# **Course V: Web 3.0 Tools for Prospective Teachers**

## B.Ed.: Sem. II

## **Course Code: VCWT**

## **Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs):**

## The prospective teacher

- 1. understands the aims and objectives of web3.0 tools
- 2. masters the techniques of word processing and presentation software
- 3. familiarizes with the different teaching technologies used in the classroom
- 4. acquires the knowledge of E-content development
- 5. obtains knowledge in Wordpress

## **Unit I: Word-processing and Presentation**

Microsoft-word: Basic structure, Mail-merge, Creating table, Layout - PowerPoint: Slide layout, Insert options, Templates, Making video

## Unit II: Spreadsheet, Database and OneNote

Spread sheet: Basics, Using graphs, Preparing mark sheets and reports, Using simple statistical calculations

Access: Creating a database, Record maintenance - OneNote: Preparing work notebook, Create a sharable content library - Outlook basics

## **Unit III: Image processing**

Photoshop: Layers, Filters, Editing techniques - CorelDraw: Combine techniques, Import and Export

## Unit IV: Web development

Creating blogs - Creating a website using Wordpress - Google-sites

## **Unit V: Online test and Evaluation**

Google forms: Conducting classroom test, preparing report with graphs, Using Flubaroo inside the Google spreadsheet - Conducting quiz using Khahoot

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#### **Course VI: E-content Development**

## B.Ed.: Sem. II

#### **Course Code: VCECD**

## **Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs):**

#### The prospective teacher

- 1. understands the aims and objectives of e-content development
- 2. develops multimedia contents using PPT
- 3. familiarizes with different graphic and animation tools
- 4. acquires the knowledge of various video capturing tools and video creation software
- 5. recognizes the effective way of e-content presentation

#### Unit I: Introduction to E-content and its Basics

E-content: Meaning, Need and Importance - Power Point Presentation: Basics, Simple presentation, Animated Presentation, Multimedia Presentation

#### **Unit II: Graphic and Animation Tools**

Meaning, Use of Graphic and Animation Tools in E-content Preparation - Identification of Proper Tools - How to Use the Tool in E-content Preparation - Infographics Tools: Meaning, Need and Use - Podcasting Tools: Need and Importance

## **Unit III: Open E-resources**

Meaning, Purpose and Uses - Image Download Tools: Purpose, Uses and Free Tools -Audio Download Tools: Purpose, Uses and Free Tools

#### **Unit IV: Online Video Creation**

Video Creation: Online Video Capturing Tools: Identification and Uses - Video Creation Software: Free Online Video Creation, Identification and Strategies to Use

#### **Unit V: Survey Tools and Presentation of E-content**

Survey Tools: Need, Importance and Free Survey Tools - Quiz Tools: Need, Importance and Free Online Quiz Tools - Tips for Effective Presentation - Tips for Effective E-content

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