

LNCT UNIVERSITY, BHOPAL

Ordinance No. 91

FOUR YEARS BACHELOR OF SCIENCE(Hons) AGRICULTURE

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1. TITLE OF THE DEGREE:

Bachelor of Science in Agriculture B.Sc.(Hons) Agriculture

2. DURATION OF THE COURSE:

Four Years (Eight semesters)

2.1 NAME OF STATUTORY /REGULATORY BODY :-

Recommendation given by 5th Dean Committee Constituted by ICAR

3. ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION:

Candidates who have passed duly recognized following examination:-

Final examination of the 10+2 system by any recognized Central Board, such as Central Board of Secondary Education, New Delhi; Council for Indian School Certificate Examination, New Delhi or any State Board such as M.P. Board of Secondary Education Bhopal or Others.

Or

H.S.C. Vocational Examination by any recognized Central /State Board.

Or

Senior Secondary School Examination conducted by the National/any state open schooling with a minimum of five subjects of relevant and required fields.

Or

Any Public School/ Board / University examination in India or in any foreign country recognized as equivalent to 10+2.

Or

Final Examination of the two year course of the Joint Services Wing of the National Defense Academy.

Or

General Certificate Education (GCE) Examination (London / Cambridge /Sri Lanka) at the Advanced (A) Level.

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Any other examination equivalent to 10+2 by Central /State Government.

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Candidate with Agriculture Stream/Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics/Physics, Chemistry, Biology/Physics, Chemistry, Biotechnology/Physics, Chemistry, Computer Science or any other suitable combination of subjects should have passed in all

the subjects with minimum requirement, as prescribed by the UGC/Recommendation given by 5th Deans committee constituted by ICAR.
Relaxation for SC/ST/other as per Govt. of Madhya Pradesh rules.

Note: Candidate who is appearing or has appeared for any qualifying examination during the current academic session as a regular or a private candidate can also apply for admission on provisional basis, subject to the condition that the candidate must pass the qualifying examination with required percentage of marks or equivalent grade.

4. ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION TO NRI/OTHER PRIVILEGED CANDIDATES:-

Non-resident Indian and other privileged candidate shall be eligible for admission to these courses in accordance with the directives of Govt. of India and/or State Government.

5. ADMISSION PROCEDURE:

The eligible candidates as specified in clause 4 above, should secure a place in the merit list prepared on the basis of academic credentials or through The University entrance test/Examination consisting of Aptitude Test/Group Discussion/ Personal Interview or through Counseling or the University may also use the score card of various Institute/Board/other Professional Bodies/Organizations or any other mode as decided by the UGC/ Recommendation given by 5th Deans committee constituted by ICAR. from time to time.

6. BRANCH/SPECIALIZATION DISTRIBUTION:

Admission to the particular branch/Specialization of study shall be as decided by the University on the basis of counseling/ personal interview.

7. INTAKE :

The intake for each of these courses shall be decided by the University from time to time, taking care of the norms of the concerned regulatory body Recommendation given by 5th Deans committee constituted by ICAR.

8. ACADEMIC CYCLE/YEAR:

There will be one/two academic cycle for these courses every year like summer & Winter as decided by the University.

9. COURSE STRUCTURE :

Course structure shall be as per the recommendation of the concerned Board of studies of the faculty of the University duly

approved by the Academic Council following the norms of Recommendation given by 5th Deans committee constituted by ICAR.

10. MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION :

The medium of instruction and examination shall be English and Hindi.

11. EXAMINATION :

a.) Examinations will be conducted as per the appropriate Statutes, Ordinances and Regulations made in this respect. The scheme of examination, promotion to subsequent semesters and course of studies shall be as per the recommendations of the concerned Board of Studies with due approval of Academic Council.

b.) The studies and examination of these courses shall be on the basis of either marks/ marks-cum-credit/ credit system as recommended by the concerned Board of Studies from time to time.

12. ELIGIBILITY FOR DEGREE:

a) A student shall be declared to be eligible for award of the degree if he/she has:

b) Registered and successfully completed all the core courses, optional courses, practical/Lab classes, including seminars, workshops, presentations, Group discussion, Field Work/Training, Industrial Visit, Educational Tour, Extension Science, Project Work/Dissertation or Thesis and other assignments etc where ever applicable.

c) Successfully acquired the minimum required the minimum required credits as specified in the regulation corresponding to the branch of his/her study within the stipulated time, where ever applicable;

d) Earned the specified credits in all the categories of subjects if applicable;

e) Secured a minimum CGPA of 4.5 or 45% in aggregate overall. However the award of the Division/Class shall be as per recommendation of concerned Board of Studies of the University.

i. No dues to the University, Hostels, Libraries, NCC/NSS etc; and

ii. No disciplinary action is pending against him/her.

In addition to the conditions prescribed for passing (as above), the B.Sc.-(Hons) Agriculture students must maintain an average of 6.0 or 60% in aggregate overall and acquire stipulated additional credits in addition to

minimum required credits for award of B.Sc.-(Hons) Agriculture Degree as stipulated in regulations. Otherwise, they will be awarded only B.Sc.-(Hons) Agriculture

13. ATTENDANCE REQUIREMENT :

A candidate must have at least 75% attendance. Provided that, in case of illness or because of other reasonable cause it shall be relaxed by the Vice Chancellor as admissible within applicable regulations.

14. MAXIMUM DURATION OF COMPLETION OF COURSE:

A candidate has to complete the entire course of B.Sc.-(Hons) Agriculture Degree ordinarily within a maximum period of Eight year from the session of first admission. However, for any exceptional case the matter shall be decided by the University as per the provisions of relevant rules and regulations.

15. GENERAL INSTRUCTION :

- i.) The admission to the B.Sc.-Ag (Hons.) courses shall be governed in Accordance and provisions with the rules/Directives of UGC/relevant Regulatory Body Recommendation given by 5th Deans committee constituted by ICAR. or any other competent authority of the Govt. of India/State Government as amended time to time.
- ii.) The relaxation in eligibility conditions, age and reservation etc. shall be in accordance with the Rules/Directives of UGC/relevant Regulatory Body Recommendation given by 5th Deans committee constituted by ICAR. or any other competent authority of the Govt. of India/State Government as amended time to time.

- 16. At present in the faculty of Agriculture Science & Technology, degree of B.Sc.-(Hons)Agriculture shall include the branches/Specialization of Agronomy, Agriculture, Economics, Horticulture, Entomology, Agriculture Extension, Plant Breeding & Genetics, Plant Pathology, Plant Psychology, Soil Science, Seed Science & Technology, Agriculture Biotechnology, Agriculture Engineering, Floriculture etc.**
- The list of various Branches/specializations of B.Sc.-(Hons) Agriculture course shall include the current courses/programmes. However, the graduate degree Programmes /Courses in Agriculture/Agriculture related/allied streams like, B.Sc. (Horticulture), B.Sc. (Floriculture), B.Sc.(Food Technology), B.Sc.(Agriculture Biotechnology), B.Sc.(Sericulture) etc. and B.Sc.(Ag.) /B.Sc.-(Hons.) Agriculture Programmes with their various Honours Courses shall run and governed through this ordinance.**

The above courses shall run on all possible modes of imparting education including the use of latest innovative technologies like- on-line, e-learning, face-to-face, through webinar etc.

17. These programmes are offered by the Faculty of Agriculture Science & Technology recommended by the concerned Board of Studies and after approval of Academic Council and Board of Management of the University.

18. **GENERAL**

The University shall also offer more number of Bachelor degree programmes with various specialization titles, which shall run under this ordinance on the recommendation of concerned Board of Studies, of University alone and/or in collaborations with or tie-up with other Educational or Academic Institute/Organizations/Universities/Research Organizations/Industries and duly approved by the Private University Regulatory Commission.

19. Notwithstanding anything stated in this Ordinance , for any unforeseen issues arising, and not covered by this Ordinance, or in the event of differences of interpretation, the Vice-chancellor may take a decision after Obtaining, if necessary, the opinion/advice of a Committee consisting of any or all the Directors of Schools .The decision of the Vice- Chancellor shall be final.