

MAHATMA GANDHI UNIVERSITY

(Abstract)

**Award of Grace Mark FOR COURSES OTHER THAN PROFESSIONAL COURSES – Norms for NSS Activities-
Modification of UO No.2180/01/Ac. AVIII/2016 dated 16.04.2016 - Approved- Orders issued.**

ACADEMIC A. VIII SECTION

U.O. No. 3649/01/Ac.AVIII/2016

Dated, P.D. Hills, 05/07/2016.

Read: 1. Letter dated 22-06-2016 of Sri. Manoj George and Kum. Aishwarya Lekshmi R, NSS Volunteers and Members University Level Advisory Committee on NSS , Baselius College, Kottayam and Alphosnsa College, Pala respectively.

2. Proposal of NSS Programme coordinator of this University dated 02.07.2016.

3. U O No.2180-/01/AcAVIII dated 16.04.2016.

ORDER

Sri. Manoj George and Kum. Aishwarya Lekshmi R, NSS Volunteers and Members University Level Advisory Committee on National Service Scheme (NSS), Baselius College, Kottayam and Alphosnsa College, Pala respectively in their letter read (1) above have requested to raise the grace marks awarded for Republic Day Camp (RDC) to 7% as awarded to NCC Cadets for the same event due to the similar nature of the RDC. The NSS Programme coordinator has also suggested the same vide proposal (2) read above.

The NSS Programme coordinator has further suggested (1) to grant 10% grace marks (grace grade point-4) to Indira Gandhi National Service Scheme (IGNSS) Awardees as given in the case of representations in All India Inter University Sports. (2) to modify the norms for granting grace marks to NSS volunteers to the effect that they can claim grace marks under all five categories mentioned in Sl. no.12 of the UO read (3) above limited to a maximum of 10% as in the case of NCC cadets. (3) to extend grace marks of 2% for NSS certificate holders for two years (performing years) instead of one year.

The Vice-Chancellor in exercising powers u/s 3.10 (17) of Mahatma Gandhi University Act 1985 has approved the above suggestions and consequently the revised norms for award of grace marks to NSS Volunteers is modified as in the Table in next page.

Table

Sl. No.	Items to which Grace Marks shall be awarded	Percentage of Grace Marks
12.	<p>NSS volunteers</p> <p>a) NSS certificate holders</p> <p>b) Attending National Camp with attendance certificates (NIC, National Youth Festival, Mega Summer Camp, Adventure Camp, Pre-RD Camp etc. with at least 5 days duration)</p> <p>c) NSS State awardees and National Awardees</p> <p>d) Republic Day Camp (This camp should be of at least one month duration)</p> <p>e) NSS Volunteers nominated by State NSS Cell who have attended International Programmes</p> <p>f) Indira Gandhi National Service Scheme (IGNSS) Awardees.</p> <p>(NSS volunteers can claim grace marks under all the six categories subject to the limit of 10%)</p>	<p>2% for two years (performing years)</p> <p>3%</p> <p>3%</p> <p>7%</p> <p>8%</p> <p>10%</p>

Orders are issued accordingly. The UO read (3) above stands modified to this extent.

Sd/-

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