

MAHATMA GANDHI UNIVERSITY
(Abstract)

Mahatma Gandhi University – Awarding of grace marks to students who participate in Sports & Games, N.C.C, N.S.S and Cultural activities and approved norms for awarding grades – sanctioned – Orders issued.

ACADEMIC AVIII SECTION

No.5244/03/10/Ac.AVIII

Dated, P.D. Hills 25.06.2010

Read:- 1) Item No. 35/10.05/3306 of minutes of the combined meeting of the Syndicate Standing Committee on Examination and academic affairs held on 24.04.2010.

2) Extract of the minutes of the meeting (10.05) of the Syndicate held on 05.06.2010.

3) No.Ac.A1/1/2661/2003 dated, P.D. Hills 31.12.2003

4) No. 692/A1/2010/Acad dated, P.D. Hills 28.01.2010.

ORDER

The Syndicate at its meeting held on 05.06.2010 considered the recommendations of the combined meeting of the Syndicate Standing Committee on examination and Academic Affairs held on 24.04.2010. Considering the recommendations of this Committee, the Syndicate has resolved to implement the proposals for awarding the grace grades for participation of candidates in different categories in Sports & Games, N.C.C, N.S.S and Cultural activities etc as per the following details. As the undergraduate programme of the University has changed to semester systems with grading, the award of gracemarks for Sports & Games, N.C.C, N.S.S, Cultural activities, Blind, Deaf and Dumb are to be replaced by Grace Grade points. The same for various activities are given in the following tables:

CATEGORY	ACTIVITIES	ACTIVITY CODE	GRACE GRADE POINTS	MAX. LIMIT
SPORTS & GAMES	INTER-COLLEGIATE			10.0
	First	SP 01	2.8	
	Second	SP 02	2.0	
	Third	SP 03	1.2	
	STATE			
	First	SP 04	2.0	
	Second	SP 05	1.6	
	Third	SP 06	1.2	
	INTER-STATE			
	First	SP 07	4.8	
	Second	SP 08	4.0	
	Third	SP 09	2.8	
	Participation	SP 10	2.0	
	INTER-UNIVERSITY			
	First	SP 11	4.0	
	Second	SP 12	3.6	
	Third	SP 13	3.2	
	Participation	SP 14	2.8	
	Non-Participation	SP 15	2.4	
ALL INDIA INTER-UNIVERSITY				
First	SP 16	6.8		
Second	SP 17	5.6		
Third	SP 18	4.8		
Representation/Participation	SP 19	4.0		
Representing India In World Competitions	WC 01	10.0		
NCC	10 DAY Annual Trg Camp/75% Parade attendance	NC 01	1.2	6.0
	Certificate B	NC 02	1.6	
	Certificate C	NC 03	2.0	
	NIC/TSC/NSC/VSC/ALC/NCC Sports (National Level)/Adventure Camps(National level) and other centrally organized camps/Inter Group Competitions	NC 04	2.4	
	National level RD or ID Parade/Camp/YEP	NC 05	2.8	

NSS	Special Camps (7 days)+75% attendance for regular programmes	NS 01	0.8	4.0
	NIC/Youth Festival/National camps	NS 02	2.0	
	RD camp at New Delhi/YEP	NS 03	2.8	
CULTURAL	UNIVERSITY YOUTH FESTIVAL			2.0
	First	YF 01	2.0	
	Second	YF 02	1.6	
	Third	YF 03	1.2	
	A grade	YF 04	2.0	2.4
	SOUTH INDIA INTER UTU Y/F			
	First	YF 05	2.4	
	Second	YF 06	2.0	1.6
	Third	YF 07	1.6	
	NATIONAL Y/F			4.0
First	YF 08	4.0		
Second	YF 09	2.8		
	Third	YF 10	2.0	
Deaf & Dumb candidates with 40% or above disability (certificate of the Medical board to be produced)		DD 01	10.0	10.0
Blind candidates securing I/II/III places in Sports/Cultural/Youth Festival conducted by Kerala Federation of the blind/University/Inter-University level		BL 01	2.0	2.0

Following shall be the guidelines for awarding grace Grade points.

1. The Grace Grade Points given above are for the activities performed by the candidate in an year.
2. No candidate can claim grace grade points for both NCC and NSS.
3. The maximum Grace Grade points eligible for a candidate for an year shall not exceed 10.0.
4. The performing year shall be from 01 June to 31 May.
5. There shall be two modes of effecting grace points:
 - a) Regular: The candidate can submit the application before starting the even semester examination. In this case, the eligible grace points will be equally distributed for all the written courses in the performing year.
 - b) Custom: The candidate can submit the application with in two months after publishing the even semester results. In this case, the eligible grace points can be distributed for courses for which the candidate failed. After distribution for failed courses, the remaining points, if any, shall be equally distributed for all the courses in the performing year.
6. Grace points shall be normally distributed for written (external) exams. But if the candidate fails to get pass minimum in viva/Practical, the eligible grace points shall be effected to get a pass in these components.
7. A candidate is not eligible for grace points for a course, if he/she fail to secure a minimum of 5% of the credit for the course.
8. The grace points effected to a course shall be carried over to its reappearance/improvement in the immediate next chance.

9. Grace points are not applicable for medical/paramedical courses like BAMS, BHMS, MBBS, BDS, B.Pharm, B.Sc Nursing etc.
10. Grace Points awarded shall not be considered for ranking. The CGPA after effecting grace points shall be 0.1 below that of the third rank.
11. Method of application:
 - a) The candidate shall submit the application to the Principal of the College in the prescribed format along with the relevant documents in original and a Photostat copy.
 - b) The Principal after personal verification of the documents and the records in the college shall forward the application along with the attested copy of the documents to the following:

Sport & Games	- Director of Physical Education, M.G. University
NCC	- The Controller of Examinations
NSS	- NSS Programme co-ordinator
Cultural/Deaf & Dumb/Blind - DSS	
 - c) The Above officers shall recommend for Grace points after proper verification and submit them to the Controller of Examinations.
(The original documents are to be produced to the University by the candidate if they are called for)
12. The award of Grace Points shall be made effective from the academic year 2009-10 onwards.

Orders are issued accordingly.

Sd/-
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For REGISTRAR

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1. The Principals of All Arts & Science Colleges
2. PS to VC/PVC
3. PA to Registrar/CE
4. PRO/DSS/Programme Co-ordinator N.S.S
5. JR/DR/AR (Exam/Academic)
6. All tabulation Section
7. Ac.AIII/AIV/AV/AVII/Ac.D/Ac.L/Legal/Ac.C/Ad.AV Sections
8. Enquiry/Information Centres/FRIENDS
9. Deputy Director General N.C.C Trivandrum
10. Members of the Syndicate
11. Registrars – University of Kerala/Calicut/Kannur/CUSAT with C/L
12. Kerala Sports Council, Thiruvananthapuram
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