

**Elections to the Mahatma Gandhi University Departments Students' Union
for the year 2019-20**

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Students shall desist from disfiguring the class rooms, compound walls and buildings in the campus by pasting posters or writing on them as part of their election campaign. They shall not disfigure the compound walls of the neighbouring buildings as well. If it is found that any student acts in violation of this rule, then it is competent for the Vice-Chancellor to take disciplinary proceedings against him and also to realize the damages from him.
2. Election campaign/ propaganda on the campus shall be limited to the issue of pamphlets and bit notices, display of banners and posters and conducting group meetings to present the candidates.
3. Persons who are not on the electoral rolls concerned shall not take part in the propaganda work on the Campus.
4. Students shall not arrange election propaganda/Campaign/meeting during working hours except with the specific sanction of the Patron.
5. There shall not be any sort of canvassing/propaganda on the day fixed for the poll within a radius of 100 metres of the Polling Booth.
6. Students shall not use loudspeakers/amplifiers in connection with the election campaign/propaganda on the Campus.
7. The Candidates/Agents shall not carry mobile phones or any kind of communication devices inside the halls where the scrutiny of nominations, the polling and the scrutiny and counting of votes are done.
8. No Candidate/agent will be allowed to enter/leave the hall while the counting of votes is in progress.
9. If any candidate/agent feels that any procedure adopted by the Returning Officer in counting the votes is not agreeable, the same can be brought before the Vice-Chancellor by filing an election petition as provided under these Rules.
10. The Returning Officer shall have the power to expel an elector or a candidate or agent from the Polling Station/Counting Hall, if he finds that the conduct of that person is causing hindrance to the smooth conduct of the Polling/Counting.

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