Syllabus of B.A. (Prog.) Hindustani Music (Vocal/ Instrumental)

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CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM IN B.A. PROGRAMME HINDUSTANI MUSIC (VOCAL/INSTRUMENTAL)

Semester	CORE COURSE (12)	Ability Enhancement	Skill Enhancement	Elective: Discipline	Elective: Generic (GE) (2)
		Compulsory Course(AECC) (2)	Course (SEC) (2)	Specific DSE (4)	
1	English/MIL-1	(English/MIL Communication)/			
	DSC-1A Theory of Indian Music: Unit-1	- Environmental Science			
	Practical: Unit-2				
II	Theory of Indian Music General & Biographies Unit-I	Environmental Science/(English/MI L Communication)			
TTT	Practical: Unit-II		SEC-1		
III	Theory: Unit-1 Ancient Granthas & Contribution of musicologists		Value based & Practical		
	Practical : Unit-2		Oriented course for Hindustani		
			Music (Vocal/Instrum ental)		
IV	Theory: Unit-1		Credits-2 SEC-2		
IV	Medival Granthas & Contribution of Musicians		Value based & Practical		
	Practical : Unit-2		Oriented course for Hindustani		
			Music (Vocal/Instrum ental)		
V	Theory: Unit-1		Credits-2 SEC-3	DSE-1A Theory:	Generic Elective
	Study of Ancient Granthas & Ragas		Value based & Practical	Vocal / Instrumental	-1 (Vocal/ Instrumental
	Practical : Unit-2		Oriented course for Hindustani	(Hindustani Music)	Music) Theory
			Music (Vocal/Instrum	DSE-2A Practical:	
			ental) Credits-2	Vocal / Instrumental (Hindustani Music)	
VI	Theory: Unit-1 Musicology & Study of Ragas & Talas		SEC-4 Value based & Practical	DSE-1B Theory: Vocal /	Generic Elective -2 (Vocal/ Instrumental
	Practical : Unit-2		Oriented course for Hindustani	Instrumental (Hindustani Music)	Music) Practical
			Music (Vocal/Instrum ental) Credits-2	DSE-2B Practical: Vocal /	
			- 12	Instrumental (Hindustani Music)	

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Syllabus for B.A. (Prog.) Hindustani Music (Vocal/ Instrumental)

SEM-I	Total Marks	Credits
Paper - I : Theory	38+12 = 50	4
Paper - I : Practical	50	6
SEM-II		
Paper - II : Theory	38+12 = 50	4
Paper - II : Practical	50	6
SEM-III		
Paper - III : Theory	38+12 = 50	4
Paper - III : Practical	50	6
SEM-IV		
Paper - IV : Theory	38+12 = 50	4
Paper - IV : Practical	50	6
SEM-V		
	38+12 = 50	4
Paper - V : Theory		-
Paper - V : Practical	50	6
SEM-VI		
Paper - VI : Theory	38+12 = 50	4
Paper - VI : Practical	50	6
	600	60

Semester-I

Layout & Course of Study HINDUSTANI MUSIC (Vocal & Instrumental)

Duration Paper-I Theory (Unit-I) Max Marks Credits 3 hours. 50(38+12) 4

Theory of Indian Music (General) & Biographies of Musicians, Composers & Musicologists.

There will be three sections, candidates shall have to answer one question from each section & two from any of the three sections & two from any of the three sections, thus five questions in all.

SECTION-I

1. Definition of the following terms:-

Sangeet, Swara, Saptak, Laya, Rãga, Varna

- 2. Study of the following:
 - a. Rãga ki Jati-

Audav – Shadav – Sampuran

- b. Nãd Nãd ki Jati Tarta, Tivrata, Gun
- c. Ãroha, Avroha, Pakad
- 3. Basic knowledge of the following instruments:-

Tãnpura/Sitar, Tabla/Harmonium

SECTION-II

Biographies & contributions of the following-

Amir Khusro, Swami Haridas, Tansen, Maseet Khan, Raza Khan, Faiyaz Khan, Ameer Khan

SECTION-III

Study of prescribed Rãgas & Tãlas

Rãga – Alhaiya Bilawal, Kafi, Bhairav

Tãla – Teentãl, Dadra

Internal Assessment 12 Marks

4 Lectures /week

Hindustani Music Paper-I Practical (Unit-II)

Max Marks Credits 50 6

Rãga –

- 1. Alhaiya Bilaval
- 2. Kafi
- 3. Bhairav

Vocal Music

- a. Five Alankars in all the Ragas.
- b. Swarmallika in all the Rãgas
- c. Lakshangeet or Drut Khyãl in all Rãgas.

Instrumental Music

- a. Five Alankars in all the Ragas.
- b. Razakhanigat in all the Rãgas
- c. Basic technique of Jhala Playing.

Vocal & Instrumental

Ability to recite the following Thekas with Tãli & Khãli

Teentãla, Dadra

Vocal - Playing of Tanpura is compulsory
Basic knowledge of Playing Harmonium

Books Recommended

- 1. Bhatkhande Sangeet Shastra- V. N. Bhatkhande
- 2. Sangeet Visharad- Basant
- 3. Kramik Pustak Mallika- Part II V. N. Bhatkhande
- 4. Raag Vigyan V. N. Patwardhan
- 5. Sangeet Bodh Sharad Chandra Pranjpayee
- 6. Hamare Sangeet Ratna- Laxmi Narayan Garg
- 7. Tantri Naad Part-I Pt. Lal Mani Mishra
- 8. Kramik Pustak Mallika, Part-III V. N. Bhatkhande
- 9. Ragini Trivedi Ragvibodha Mishrabani, Vol. I & II
- 10. Also Books Recommended by teachers.

SEMESTER-II

Duration 3 hours

Paper-II Theory (Unit-I)

Max Marks Credits 50 (38 + 12) 4

Theory of Indian Music (General) & Biographies of Musicians, Composers & Musicologists.

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SECTION-I

Study of the following terms:-

Mela (Thất), Ãshray Rãga, Rãga, Lakshana, Shruti, Alankar, Gamak, Vadi-Samvãdi-Anuvãdi-Vivãdi, Vakra Swara, Varjit-Swara.

SECTION-II

Biographies & contributions of the following:-

Jaidev, Mansingh Tomar, Abdul Karim Khan, Tyagaraja, Pt. Bhatkhande, Pt. Ravi Shankar

SECTION-III

Study of following Ragas & Tala

Rãga- Yaman, Jaunpuri, Khamaj

Tãla- Ektãl, Jhaptãl

Internal Assessment 12 Marks

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Paper-II Practical (Unit-II)

Max Marks Credits 50 6

Rãga - Yaman, Jaunpuri, Khamãj

Vocal Music

- a. Swaramalika/Lakshangeet or Drut Khyãl in all three Rãgas
- b. Vilambit- Khãyal in any one Rãga.

Instrumental Music

- a. Razakhani gat / Swaramallika in all the Rãgas
- b. Maseetkhani gat in any one of the Rãgas

Vocal & Instrumental

Ability to recite the following Talas with Tali & Khali –

- 1. Ektãl
- 2. Jhaptãl

Vocal - Playing of Tanpura is compulsory

- Basic knowledge of Playing Harmonium

Books Recommended

- 1. Sangeet Visharad Basant
- 2. Kramik Pustak Mallika- Part II & III
- 3. Raag Vigyan V. N. Patwardhan
- 4. Brihaddeshi Matang Muni
- 5. Sangeet Bodh Sharad Chandra Pranjpayee
- 6. Great Composers by P. Sambamoorthy
- 7. Hamare Sangeet Ratna- Laxmi Narayan Garg
- 8. Hindustani Sangeet Mein Raag ki Utpatti Dr. Sunanda Pathak
- 9. Sangeet Sarita Dr. Rama Saraf
- 10.Ragini Trivedi Ragvibodha Mishrabani, Vol. I & II

Hindustani Music SEMESTER-III

Duration 3 hours

Paper-III Theory (Unit-I)

Max Marks Credits 50 (38 + 12) 4

Theory of Indian Music, Ancient Granthas & Contribution of musicologists.

There will be three sections, candidates shall have to answer one question from each section & two from any of the three sections thus five questions in all.

SECTION-I

Genaral discussion and definition of the following:-

- a. Khyãl, Maseet Khani Razakhani gat, Dhrupad, Tarana, Meend, Soot, Murki, Kan, Khatka, Krintan, Harmony, Melody
- b. Writing of Bhatkhande Swarlipi Paddhati
- c. Writing of Talas & Compositions in Notation
- d. Detailed study of Rãgas (Rãga- Bihag, Malkauns, Vrindavani Sarang)
 & Tãlas prescribed in syllabus and comparative study of Rãgas with the Rãgas of the previous semester
- e. Essay, Shastriya Sangeet(Classical Music) & Sugam Sangeet(Light Music)

SECTION-II

- a. Vedic Music Samvedic Sangeet, Swara, Vadya, Bhakti, Vikãr
- b. General study of Natyashastra, Sangeet Ratnakar

SECTION-III

Life & Contribution of the following:-

Pt. V. D. Paluskar, S. M. Tagore, Captt. William Willard

Internal Assessment 12 Marks

Hindustani Music Paper-III Practical (Unit-II)

Max Marks Credits 50 6

Rãga – Bihag, Malkauns Vrindavani. Sarnag

- 1. One Vilambit Khyãl/Maseetkhani Gat in any of the given Rãgas.
- 2. Madhyalaya Khyãl/Razakhani Gat in all the Rãgas.
- 3. Dhrupad/Dhamar in any one of the Rãgas or Drut Gat in any Tãla(other than Teentãla)

Any composition in light music.

4. Ability to recite the Thekas of Chautala Dhamar, Roopak

Playing of Tanpura is compulsory.

Basic knowledge of playing Harmonium with Alankars.

Books Recommended

- 1. Sangeet Visharad-Basant
- 2. Bhartiya Sangeet ka Itihas Sarat Chandra Pranjpayee
- 3. Natya Shastra Bharat Muni
- 4. Sangeet Ratnakar Sharangdeva
- 5. Sangeet Bodh- Sharad Chandra Pranjpayee
- 6. Indian Music Thakur Jaidev Singh
- 7. Kramik Pustak Mallika V. N. Bhatkhande, Part II & III
- 8. Raag Vigyan V. N. Patwardhan
- 9. Ragini Trivedi Ragvibodha Mishrabani, Vol. I & II

Hindustani Music SEMESTER-IV

Duration Paper-IV Theory (Unit-I) Max Marks Credits 3 hours 50 (38 + 12) 4

Theory of Indian Music, Medieval Granthas & Contribution of Musicians & Musicologists.

There will be three sections, candidates shall have to answer one question from each section & two from any of the three sections thus five questions in all.

SECTION-I

Theory of Indian Music-

General discussion & definition of the following:-

- a. Älãp- Jor- Jhãla, Thumri, Dãdra, Tappa, Sandhi Prakash Rãga, Parmelpraveshak Rãga-
 - 1. Teentãla
 - 2. Ektãla
 - 3. Chautala
 - 4. Rupak
 - 5. Kherva
 - 6. Dadra
- b. Detailed study of Rãgas (Rãga Bageshree, Bhupali , Puriya Dhanashri Tãla)
 & Tãlas (Teentãlã, Ektãla Chautãla , Rupak, Kherva, Dadra) and comparative study of Rãgas from previous semester
- c. Writing of Talas and compositions in notation.

or

d. Essay on Rãga ka Samay Siddhant

SECTION-II

Study of following Granthas:-

Sangeet-Parijat, Swamel Kalanidhi, Chaturdandi Prakshika.

SECTION-III

Life & Contributions of the following:-

Pt. Krishan Narayan Ratanjankar, K. D. Banerjee, Vilayat Khan

Internal Assessment 12 Marks

Hindustani Music Paper-IV Practical (Unit-II)

Max Marks Credits 50 6

Rãga – Bageshri, Bhupali, Puriya Dhanashri

- 1. One Vilambit Khyãl/ Maseet Khani Gat in any of the Rãgas.
- 2. Madhyalaya Khyãl/Razakhani Gat in all the Rãgas.
- 3. Dhrupad/Dhamar in any one of the Rãgas or Drut Gat in any Tãla(other than Teentãla)
- 4. Ability to recite the Thekas of Teental, Ektal, Chautal, Dhamar, Rupak, Kaherva, Dadra
- 5. Knowledge of playing Harmonium.

Books Recommended

- 1. Sangeet Paddhatiyon ka Tulnatmak Adhayan Pt. V. N. Bhatkhande
- 2. Sangeet Parijaat Pt. Ahobal
- 3. Swarmel Kala Nidhi Pt. Ramamatya
- 4. Chaturdandi Prakashika Pt. VenkatMukhi
- 5. Hamare Sangeet Ratna Prabhulal Garg
- 6. Sangeet Sarita Rama Saraf
- 7. Ragini Trivedi Ragvibodha Mishrabani, Vol. I & II

Hindustani Music SEMESTER-V

Duration 3 hours

Paper-V Theory (Unit-I)

Max Marks Credits

50 (38 + 12) 4

Theory of Indian Music and study of ancient granthas and Ragas.

There will be three sections, candidates shall have to answer one question from each section & two from any of the three sections thus five questions in all.

SECTION-I

- a. Study of Gram, Murchanna and Jati as treated in Natya Shastra and its relevance in present context.
- b. Musical reference found in Ramayana and Mahabharata.

SECTION-II

Discuss the following:-

- a. Avirbhav, Tirobhav
- b. Gayak Ke Gun Avagun
- c. Margi Desi
- d. Tãal and its Das Pran

SECTION-III

- a. Detailed study of Rãgas (Todi Kedãr, Bahãr) and Tãlas (Teen Tãla, Ektãla, Chautãla, Keherva, Dadra) prescribed in syllabus.
- b. Writing of composition in Notation

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c. Importance of Media in the promotion of Music

Internal Assessment

12 Marks

Hindustani Music Paper-V Practical (Unit-II)

Max Marks Credits 50 6

Rãga – Todi, Kedãr, Bahãr

- 1. One Vilambit Khyãl/ Maseet Khani Gat in any of the Rãgas.
- 2. Madhyalaya Khyãl/Razakhani Gat in all the Rãgas.
- 3. Dhrupad/Dhamãr in any one of the Rãgas

or

Dhrut Gat in any Tãla (other than Teentãla)

- 4. Ability to recite the Thekas of Teentala, Ektala, Chautala, Dhamar, Roopak, Kaherva, Dadra
- 5. Knowledge of playing Harmonium.

Books Recommended

- 1. Bharatiya Sangeet Ka Itihas Saraschandra Sridhar Paranjpayee
- 2. Bharatiya Sangeet Ka Itihas Thakur Jaidev Singh
- 3. History of Indian Music- BC. Deva
- 4. Natya Shastra- Bharat Muni
- 5. Sangeet Ratnakar- Vol.1- Pt. Sharangdeva
- 6. Sangeet Visharad- Pt. Lakshmi Narayan Garg
- 7. Kramik Pustak Mallika-V. N. Bhatkhende
- 8. Raag Vigyan- Vinayak Rao Patwardhan
- 9. Ragini Trivedi Ragvibodha Mishrabani, Vol. I & II
- 10. Also books recommended by teachers.

Hindustani Music SEMESTER-VI

Duration 3 hours

Paper-VI Theory (Unit-I)

Max Marks Credits 50 (38 + 12) 4

SECTION-I

Internal Musicology and Study of Raags and Talas

Defination of the following:-

- a. Nibadha
- b. Anibadha
- c. Prabandha,
- d. Kaku
- e. Sthaya
- f. Varna
- g. Orchestra (Vadyavrind), Opera (Geet Natya)
- h. Chorus (Vrindgana)
- i. Equal Temprament
- j. Comparative study of musical scale of Hindustani and Karnataka Paddhati.
- k. Classification of Musical Instruments

SECTION-II

Study of Ragas and Talas.

Forms of Music – Thumri, Tappa, Dadra, Chaturung Concept of Gharana or Baj in Sitar

SECTION-III

Visit to AIR, Doordarshan or any media.

Books Recommended

- 1. Sangeet Ratnakar, Vol. 2
- 2. Sangeet Visharad- Basant
- 3. Sangeet Mein Nibadha Anibadha ki avdharna
- 4. Kramik Pustak Mallika Part 3 and 4- V. N. Bhatkhande
- 5. Classical Musical Instruments Suneera Kasliwal

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Paper-VI Practical (Unit-II)

Max Marks Credits 50 6

Rãga – Bhimpalasi, Des, Gaud Sarang

- a. One Vilambit Khyãl/ Maseet Khani Gat in any of the Rãgas.
- b. Madhyalaya Khyãl/ Razakhani Gat in all the Rãgas.
- c. Dhrupad/Dhamar in any one of the Ragas or
- d. Dhrut Gat in any Tãla (other than Teentãla)
- e. Ability to recite the following Thekas Ektãla, Tilwada, Teentãla, Chautãla, Jhaptãla, Dhamar, Roopak, Keherva, Dadra
- f. Playing of any composition on Harmonium with Tabla.

8 lectures/ week

Syllabus of Elective Courses for B.A. (Prog.) Hindustani Music Choice Based Credit System

		Credits
SEC	$-\mathbf{I}$	2
SEC	– II	2
		1.5

SEC	– III	2
SEC	$-\mathbf{IV}$	2
DSE	-1A	2
DSE	-2A	2
DSE	-1B	2
DSE	-2B	2
GE	- 1	2
GE	- 2	2
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SEC-I SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE-I HINDUSTANI MUSIC(VOCAL/INSTRUMENTAL)

Credits-2

1. Understanding various parts of Tanpura/Sitar and the technique of tuning it.

- 2. Field visit to Doordarshan/All India Radio/National Archives/Sangeet Natak Academy or other such institution relevant to the study and documentation of Music material and thereafter submission of report based on this visit.
- 3. Presentation of Vocal and Instrumental Music in group such as folk or tribal Music, Light Music, Classical ragas based film songs.

2 Lectures per week

SEC-II SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE-II HINDUSTANI MUSIC(VOCAL/INSTRUMENTAL)

Credits-2

- 1. Ability to play thekas of following Talas on Tabla Teental, Kaherwa.
- 2. Knowledge of Recording techniques.
- 3. Attending classical concerts/Music festivals and making the report/Review of the same.

2 Lectures per week

SEC-III SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE-III HINDUSTANI MUSIC(VOCAL/INSTRUMENTAL)

Credits-2

- 1. Power point presentation by the students on the Contemporary Classical Music Performance.
- 2. Basic technique of Harmonium and Tabla Playing.
- 3. Visit to All India Radio/Doordarshan and TV Channels.

2 Lectures per week

SEC-IV

SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE-IV HINDUSTANI MUSIC(VOCAL/INSTRUMENTAL)

Credits-2

- 1. Composing Music for Jingles or Advertisements.
- 2. Powerpoint presentation on the Life and Contribution s of great Musicians.

3. Attending Music Conferences/Listening of Radio Sangeet Sammelans / National Programmes of Music and writing reviews or reports of the same.

4) Skill Enhancement Course - SEC-I, SEC-II, SEC-III, SEC-IV

(Value based and practical oriented courses as per the information given)

[Note: the above SEC courses have been designed in such a way that the performance aptitude or skill of the students is enhanced with the help of field visits, recording techniques and guided listening sessions]

2 Lectures per week

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE (DSE-1A) VOCAL/INSTRUMENTAL (HINDUSTANI MUSIC)

THEORY

Credits-2

- 1. Essays on the following topics:
 - a. Regional music of India
 - b. Modern Trends in Music
- 2. The Relevance of Time theory in Hindustani Classical Music.
- 3. Biographies of the following Musicians:-
 - Lata Mangeshkar
 - Pt. Bhim Sen Joshi
- 4. Basic knowledge of Stringed Instruments used in Hindustani Classical Music.
- 5. Make a diagram of Tanpura /Sitar and label it's sections.
- 6. Write the theka of "Teentaal" along with Dugun, Tigun and Chaugun.

1) DSE-1A (Discipline Specific Elective) Theory

Books recommended-

- 1) Bhartiya Sangeet Vadya Dr. Lal Mani Mishra
- 2) Hamare Sangeet Ratna Dr. Lakshmi Narayan Garg
- 3) Kramik Pustak Malika Pt. V. N. Bhatkande
- 4) Raag Vigyan Pt. Vinayak Rao Patvardhan
- 5) Also books & journals recommended by the teachers

3 Lecturers per week

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE (DSE-2A) VOCAL/INSTRUMENTAL (HINDUSTANI MUSIC)

PRACTICAL

Credits-2

- Rendition of the following Ragas (Drut Khyal/Razakhani Gat)
 Ramkali, Kamod
- 2. Knowledge of five film songs based on Raag Yaman and Bhairav.
- 3. Innovative singing/playing to enhance the musical ability of the students in the classroom.
- 4. Guided listening session on the practical aspects of music.
- 5. identification the Ragas and talas of the Prescribed Syllabus while being played or sung in the class room.
- 6. Power point presentation on Folk Musicians.

4 lecturers per week

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE (DSE-1B) VOCAL/INSTRUMENTAL (HINDUSTANI MUSIC) THEORY

Credits-2

- 1. Basic knowledge of the percussion instruments used in classical Music. Tabla, Pakhawaj
- 2. Describe basic Ten Thaats and its Swaras, and enlist names of Two Ragas Pertaining to each one of them.
- 3. General discussions on the "Gharana Parampara" of Hindustani Music () Vocal/Instrumental).
- 4. Describe about 'Taal' and its impact on the 'Ragas'.

- 5. Write the thekas of 'Ektaal' along with Dugun, Tigun and Chaugun.
- 6. Essays on the following topics:-
 - Classical Music and Film Music
 - Music and Aesthetics

2) DSE - 1B (Discipline Specific Elective) Theory

Books recommended-

- 1) Bhartiya Sangeet ke Tantri vadya- Dr. Prakash Mahadik
- 2) Sangeet Ke Gharano ki charcha- Dr. Sushil Kumar Choubey
- 3) Indian Concept of Rhythm Dr. A. K. Sen
- 4) Aesthetical Essays (Studies in Aesthetics Theory, Hindustani Music and Kathak Dance) Dr. S. K. Saxena
 - 5) Also books & journals recommended by the teachers

3 Lectures per week

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE (DSE-2 B) VOCAL/INSTRUMENTAL (HINDUSTANI MUSIC) PRACTICAL

Credits-2

- 1. Rendition of the following Ragas (Drut Khyal/Razakhani Gat): Hamir, Jaijaiwanti
- 2. Singing/Playing Devotional Song/ Shabad/ Mantras.
- 3. Identifying the talas of the prescribed syllabus being played in the class room.
- 4. Power point presentation on any one of the contemporary Classical Musicians.
- 5. Knowledge of five film songs each in the ragas: 'Bhairavi' and 'Malkaus'.
- 6. Guided listening Sessions on the Performing aspects of Music.

4 Lecturers per week

GE- I GENERIC ELECTIVE VOCAL/INSTRUMENTAL

Credit-2

THEORY

- 1. General discussion and study of the following terms:-Swar, Saptak, Alankar, Taal, Raga
- 2. Biographies of the following Musicians:-Tansen, Pt. Vishnu Narayan Bhatkhande, Pt. Ravi Shankar, Tyagraja
- 3. Introduction of the following Ragas with illustrations:-Bhairay, Yaman
- 4. Introduction of the following Talas with their divisions:-Teentaal, Dadra
- 5. Essay on the following Topics:-
 - 1. Music and Culture
 - 2. Music and Psychology

3) GE - I (Generic Elective) Theory

Books recommended-

- 1) Bhatkande Sangeet Shastra Pt. V. N. Bhatkande
- 2) Hamare Sangeet Ratna Dr. Lakshmi Narayan Garg
- 3) Sangeet Bodh Sharat Chandra Paranipay
- 4) Sangeet Visharad Vasant
- 5) Great Composers P. Sambamurthi

3 Lectures per week

GE- 2 GENERIC ELECTIVE VOCAL/INSTRUMENTAL

Credit-2

PRACTICAL

1. Raag Bhairav, Yaman

2. Taals Teentaal, Dadra

3. Guided listening sessions of classical vocal/instrumental music.

Instrumental Music:-

- 1. Aaroh, Avroh and Pakad in both the ragas.
- 2. Basic strokes of sitar
- 3. Five Alankars based on stroke patterns
- 4. One Razakhani Gat/Drut Gat in any of the Prescribed ragas
- 5. Elementary knowledge of Jhala playing

Vocal Music:-

- 1. Aaroh, Avroh and Pakad in both the ragas.
- 2. Knowledge of voice culture
- 3. Five Alankars
- 4. One Swar Malika/Drut khayal in any of the prescribed ragas
- 5. Variety of Taan patterns

3 Lectures per week

Supplementary Courses for B.A. (Prog.) Vocational and Applied Courses in Music SEC – I, II, III, IV proposed by Department of Music University of Delhi

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Preamble

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The scenario world over is changing fast. With the technological advancements and its increased accessibility to general masses, the new generation is seeking new ideas and avenues in every field. Vocational and applied courses are being introduced in each and every branch of knowledge, music being no exception. Keeping this in view, the Dept. of Music, University of Delhi has also thought of developing Applied/ Vocational courses in Music. These courses will definitely be beneficial to those students who want to pursue Music as a profession. And we are also sure that these courses will enhance the capabilities of students in other fields too, with an aptitude and interest in Music.

The responsibility for developing the new courses in music has been carried out by a committee of teachers and established personalities, as follows:

- 1. Prof. Suneera Kasliwal, Offg. Dean & Head, Faculty of Music & Fine Arts, University of Delhi.
- 2. Prof. Deepti Bhalla, Department of Music, Faculty of Music & Fine Arts, University of Delhi.
- 3. Dr. T.V. Manikandan, Department of Music, Faculty of Music & Fine Arts, University of Delhi.
- 4. Dr. Ajay Kumar, Expert Tabla.
- 5. Dr. Vinay Mishra, Expert Harmonium.
- 6. Dr. Vishal, Sitar Player & Independent Researcher, UNESCO/Japan Young Researchers' Fellowship Awardee-2014.

NOTE:

- (i) These supplementary courses for B.A. (Prog.) SEC I-IV are open for the students of Music as well as for the students of other discipline, who have an aptitude and interest in Music.
- (ii) The courses are designed from 1^{st} to 4^{th} level and who so ever opts for these courses shall start from level one.

Semester-III (SEC - I)

Max. Marks: 100 Credits: 4

Theory:

- 1. Elementary knowledge of Shuddha and vikrit swaras and octaves.
- 2. Elementary knowledge of Harmonium, its various parts, single, capler and scale changer etc.

Practical:

- 1. Elementary knowledge of handling the instrument.
- 2. Elementary knowledge of finger technique and sound production.
- 3. Ability to play 10 paltas in shuddha swaras.
- 4. Singing the above alankars in tune.

HARMONIUM COURSE FOR SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE - II

Semester-IV (SEC - II)

Max. Marks: 100 Credits: 4

Theory:

- 1. Description of following Ragas with aaroh, avaroh, vadi, samvadi and pakad
 - (a) Yaman, (b) Bhairav
- 2. Brief history of harmonium.
- 3. Working knowledge of following talas:
 - (a) Teentaal, (b) Ektaal, (c) Keharwa (d) Dadra

Practical:

1. Ability to play one fast composition in any one of the above ragas with alap and 5 tanas.

2. 15 General alankars with finger techniques in above mentioned ragas

3. One dhun in raga khamaj.

HARMONIUM COURSE FOR SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE - III

Semester-V (SEC - III)

Max. Marks: 100 Credits: 4

Theory:

- 1. Structural details of Harmonium with sketch.
- 2. Defination of Sangeet, nada, swar and saptak.
- 3. Description of following ragas with aaroh, avaroh, vadi,

samvadi and Pakad:

(a) Bilwal, (b) Bihag

Practical:

- 1. Ability to play two fast compositions with atleast 10 taans in above ragas.
- 2. 10 alankars each in taalas of 6, 7, 8, 10 & 16 beats from mentioned ragas in previous semester.
- 3. Ability to play lehara in teentaal.
- 4. Dhun in raag kafi.

HARMONIUM COURSE FOR SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE - IV

Semester-VI (SEC - IV)

Max. Marks: 100 Credits: 4

Theory:

- 1. Defination of That, Raag, Taal, Intensity Pitch –Timbre, vadi, samvadi, pakad, harmony and melody.
- 2. Knowledge of 10 thaats and ability to play them on harmonium from different keys.
- 3. Ability to write in notation of slow composition in Bhatkhande notation system.
- 4. Biography of some great harmonium players with their contributions.
 - (a) Bhaiyajee Ganpat Rao
 - (b) Pt. Appasaheb Jalgaonkar

Practical:

- 1. Ability to play two fast compositions with brief Alap and atleast 10 taanas in any two of the following ragas:
 - (a) Madhuvanti (b) Maru bihag, (c) Kedar
- 2. Dhun in raag pahadi.

Project work:

- 1. Prepare life sketch of anyone from the above mentioned great Harmonium players.
- 2. Prepare sketch of Harmonium with their parts.

Performance:

- 1. 20 minutes solo performance with tabla sangat with brief alap and atleast 10 taans.
- 2. Performance of Dhun for atleast 5 minutes in any prescribed ragas.
- 3. Playing lehra with tabla solo in Teentala.

<u>TABLA COURSE FOR SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE - I</u> Semester III (SEC - I)

Max. Marks: 100 Credits: 4

Theory

- 2. Origin and brief history of Tabla.
- 3. Definition of following terms: Taal, Laya, Matra, Theka, Sum, Tali, Khali & Vibhag.
- 4. Structural knowledge of one's own instrument with sketch.

Practical

- 1. Basic Bols (varnas) of Tabla.
- 2. Theka of Teentala with Thah, Dugun, Chaugun.
- 3. Knowledge of four Kayada, Paltas and Tihai, One Simple and Chakradar Tukra in Teentala.
- 4. Elementary knowledge of Kaharwa and Dadra Talas.
- 5. Basic knowledge of vocal and instrumental accompaniment.

<u>TABLA COURSE FOR SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE - II</u> Semester IV (SEC - II)

Max. Marks: 100 Credits: 4

Theory

- 1. Origin and history of Gharanas of Tabla in brief.
- 2. Definition of following terms: Kayada, Palta, Tihai, Tukra and Chakradar.
- 3. Brief knowledge of notation writing in Bhatkhande Paddhati.

Practical

- 1. Keep the hand beat theka of Jhaptala in Thah, Dugun and Chaugun.
- 2. Two Kayadas with Palta & Tihai, two simple tukras, two chakradar tukras in Jhaptala.
- 3. Playing knowledge of Ektala and Rupak in barabar ki laya.
- 4. One Kayada each of 'Tirkitataka' and 'Dhirkit' in Teentala.
- 5. Four variation in Kharwa Tala.

<u>TABLA COURSE FOR SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE - III</u> Semester V (SEC - III)

Max. Marks: 100 Credits: 4

Theory

- 1. Brief Study of the following with example: 1. Rela 2. Tukara 3. Mukhada 4. Laggi
- 2. Study of writing in notation of tihai in following talas (two in each)
 - 1) Teental 2) Jhaptal 3) Ektal 4) Rupak
- 3. Definition of the following: 1. Dhwani 2. Nad 3. Sangeet 4. Swar
- 4. Write in notation Kayada and rela with four paltas in teental

Practical

- 1. Practice and knowledge of the course of previous year's course is essential.
- 2. Practice of Thekas along with two simple tihai in Chartala and Sooltala.
- 3. Four theka ke prakars in Roopak and Jhaptala.
- 4. Four Mukhada, Tukada and Moharas in Roopak, Jhaptala, Ektala.
- 5. In Teentala two basic Kayadas, one Rela with four Paltas and Tihai.
- 6. Practice of previous years compositions in chaugun laya.

<u>TABLA COURSE FOR SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE - IV</u> Semester VI (SEC - IV)

Max. Marks: 100 Credits: 4

Theory

- 1. Definition of following: a. Alankar b. Thah (Ekgun) c. Dugun d. Chaugun and Layakari.
- 2. Study of writing in notation of four Theka ke Prakar in Ektala.
- 3. Study of writing in notation of two Tihais in Ektala.
- 4. Study of writing in notation of Kayada, Rela and Palta with tihai in Teentala, Jhaptala and Ektala.

Practical

- 1. Thekas of Khemta and Addha with Thah and Dugun.
- 2. Four Theka ke prakars in Ektala.
- 3. Two Kayada in Ektala with four Palta and one Tihai.
- 4. Six Theka prakars in Dadra and Keherwa.
- 5. Four Mukhada, Tukada and Moharas in Ektal, Rupak and Jhaptal
- 6. Two simple parans in Chautal and Sooltal.
- 7. Two simple Laggis in Dadra and Keherwa.
- 8. Four Tihais in present and previous years' talas.

MRIDANGAM COURSE FOR SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE - I Semester III (SEC - I)

Max. Marks: 100

Credits: 4

Practical

- Basic technique of holding the instrument, sitting posture and fingering techniques.
- Knowledge of syllables (Ta, Thi, Thom, Nam, Chapu, Din and Da) and their playing style.
- Patha varisaikal Elementary exercises in three speeds- slow, medium, fast.

Theory

- Thattakaram (Chollukkattu) and its importance in learning Mridangam
- Different places in producing the syllables of playing Mridangam such as chapu, Meetu, Toppi etc.
- Understanding the concept of tala and Laya.

MRIDANGAM COURSE FOR SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE - II Semester IV (SEC - II)

Max. Marks: 100

Credits: 4

Practical

- Acquaintance in playing aditalam.
- Ability to play Pharans, Mohra, Koruvai & Aruti.

Theory

- Knowledge of parts of talas shadangas with their Aksharakala, method of reckoning etc.
- Basic knowledge of Jati and Gati Variations.

MRIDANGAM COURSE FOR SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE - III Semester V (SEC - III)

Max. Marks: 100

Credits: 4

Practical

- Understanding and playing of Tisram (Roopaka Tala) & Misra Chapu.
- Ability to play mohra, koruvai and Aruti.

Theory

- Knowledge of prominent artistes in the field and their specialties in playing techniques 1.
 Palghat Mani Iyer 2. Palani Subramanya Pillai
- Knowledge of basic seven talas such as Dhruva, Mathya, Roopaka, Jhampa, Triputa, Ata & Eka

MRIDANGAM COURSE FOR SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE - IV Semester VI (SEC - IV)

Max. Marks: 100

Credits: 4

Project Work

A minor project work undertaken to enhance the knowledge of student about different rhythmic instruments of South India and their role in Karnatak Music concerts.

Practical

Performance of 20 minutes planned by the candidate, inclusive of all of the above.

<u>VIOLIN (KARNATAK) COURSE FOR SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE - I</u> Semester III (SEC - I)

Max. Marks: 100

Credits: 4

Practical

- Basic Technique of holding the instrument, bowing and fingering
- Knowledge of Swarasthanas
- Acquaintance with three major speeds Slow (Vilambit), Medium (Madhya), Drut (fast)
- Simple Swara exercises Varisas in three speeds

Theory

- Sapta Swaras in Mayamalavagowla / Shankarabharanam
- Understanding the concept of rhythm (Laya) and time cycle (Tala)
- Acquaintance with Adi Tala (8 beat cycle) and Rupaka Tala (6 beats)

VIOLIN (KARNATAK) COURSE FOR SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE - II Semester IV (SEC - II)

Max. Marks: 100 Credits: 4

Practical

- One Nottu swara compositions of Muttuswami Dikshitar / One Divyanama Sankirtana
- One folk song of any region

Theory

- Acquaintance with musical forms for beginners (Geetam, Jatiswaram)
- Brief raga Lakshanas of ragas selected for compositions taught
- Understanding the system of notation. Notating an Alankara / Geetam

Semester V (SEC - III)

Max. Marks: 100 Credits:

4

Practical

- One Tillana in Adi Tala.
- Acquaintance with Chapu Tala (seven beats cycle). One composition in Chapu Tala.
- Knowledge of scale changing and use of finger technique in higher octave notes.

Theory

- Acquaintance with musical forms for advanced learning (Varnam, Swarajati).
- Brief Raga Lakshanas of Ragas selected for compositions taught.
- Notation of any composition taught.

<u>VIOLIN (KARNATAK) COURSE FOR SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE - IV</u> Semester VI (SEC - IV)

Max. Marks: 100 Credits:

4

Project Work

A minor project undertaken to enhance listening and analytical aptitude of student e.g - the bowing and fingering techniques of any veteran violinist.

Practical

Performance of 20 minutes planned by the candidate, inclusive of all of the above.

Max. Marks: 100 Credits:

4

Practical

- Singing techniques Voice production, Sound Modulation etc.
- Knowledge of Swarasthanas
- Acquaintance with Swara Sadhakam with vowel expression.
- Simple Swara exercises Sarali & Jhanta Varisas in three speeds.

Theory

- Knowledge of Indian Music Sangitam & its specialities.
- Understanding the basic terminologies like Nada, Sruti, Swara, Tala Laya, Raga Mela, Gamaka, Sthayi & Swarasthana.

<u>VOCAL (KARNATAK) COURSE FOR SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE - II</u> Semester IV (SEC - II)

Max. Marks: 100 Credits:

4

Practical

- Different varisas exercises like Dhatu Swara varisa.
- Varisas of different sthayi such as Mandra Madhya Tara.
- Simple Gitam in Malahari and Mohana.

Theory

- Knowledge of History and Evolution of Indian Music.
- Basic knowledge of Raga classification.
- Understanding basic seven tala, shadanga etc.

<u>VOCAL (KARNATAK) COURSE FOR SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE - III</u> Semester V (SEC - III)

Max. Marks: 100

Credits: 4

Practical

- Ability to sing sapta tala alankaras in three speed.
- Acquaintance with one simple Swarajati and Varna.
- One simple Kirtana and one Kriti of any one prominent composer.

Theory

- Knowledge of 35 talas
- Basic Knowledge of 72 Mela Scheme
- Notation of any composition taught

<u>VOCAL (KARNATAK) COURSE FOR SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE - IV</u> Semester VI (SEC - IV)

Max. Marks: 100

Credits: 4

Project Work

A minor project work to enhance listening and analytical aptitude of student e.g. - the contribution of great composers of Karnatak Music and their specialty.

Practical

Performance of 20 minutes planned by the candidate, inclusive of all of the above.

CURRICULUM - AUDIO ENGINEERING - SEC

This academic plan is intended to provide students with opportunities to learn about audio engineering and related aspects along with their core study courses. The study course is designed separately for last four semesters of graduation. At third semester of graduation, students will start learning about basics of audio/sound engineering with increasing complexity at further levels of their course of study. This plan includes theory, practical, study tours and assessment to give students a well proportionate and interesting study experience.

The designed course will help both the categories i.e. (a) students with prior knowledge and (b) beginners. Beginners will enjoy the experience of learning the new creative skills whereas students with some prior experience will get a chance to explore new horizons and enhance their abilities.

$Sound/Audio\ Engineering-Skill\ Enhancement\ Course$

Total Credits: 16

Total semesters: $4 (3^{rd}, 4^{th}, 5^{th}, 6^{th})$

Maximum Credits: 4		Graduation Year: 2 nd Semester: 3 rd	Ho Lec Du	Veeks: 20 (excluding Holidays) Lectures: 40 Duration of Period: 45-60 ninutes		
Sl. No.	TOPIC		CONTENT		Mode of Teaching	
 2. 	Sound Music	Sound?	What is Sound? Important Characteristics of What is Music? Different types/genres	of	Theory Theory Theory	
		Music. • Frequenc • music.	ies of Musical Notes. Different ways of Listening	<i>Oy</i>	Theory	y & demonstration y & demonstration y & demonstration
3.	Sound Recording	•	What is recording technology Why should we record?	y?	Theory Theory	
Maximum Credits: 4			Graduation Year: 2 nd Semester: 4 th			Weeks: 20 (excluding Holidays) Lectures: 40

					Duration of Period: 45-60 minutes
Sl. No.	TOPIC	,	CONTENT	Mode	of Teaching
4.	History of Sound Recording Technology	technology technology	Milestones of sound recording	Theory Theory	
5.	Modern Sound Recording Technology	 Digital recording Differences between Analog and Digital recording technology. 		Theory Theory & demonstration	
6.	Recording studio	studio.	What is recording studio? Architect of recording studio. Equipment for recording Cable & connectors Software	Theory Theory Theory	& Field tour & Demonstration
Maximum	Credits: 4		Graduation Year: 3 rd Semester: 5 th	Holido Lectur	res: 40 ion of Period: 45-
Sl. No.	TOPIC		CONTENT	Mode	of Teaching
7.	Microphone Types and Placement techniques	•	Types of Microphones Placements of Microphones		& Field Tour
8.	The Recording Process	• melodies	create a base recorded drum loop Record rhythm sections Record harmonies, Record Record other ts ETC	Theory Tour	, Practical & Field
9.	The Editing	• • Editing	Arrangement, Time Editing Noise Reduction, Pitch ETC	Theory Tour	, Practical & Field
Maximum	Credits: 4		Graduation Year: 3 rd Semester: 6 th	Holida	s: 20 (excluding nys) res: 40

			Duration of Period: 45- 60 minutes
Sl. No.	TOPIC	CONTENT	Mode of Teaching
10.	The mixing	 Balancing Faders Panning, Equalization Compression, Reverb AutomationETC 	Theory, Practical & Field Tour
11.	The mastering	 Maximizing loudness Balancing Frequencies Stereo WideningETC 	Theory, Practical & Field Tour
12.	Project Creation	 Create Project (with instructor) Create Project (in group/team) 	Practical
			Practical Practical
Assessmer	nts*	 Assessment : Based on the syllabus taught during the semester) Assessment: Create one project individually 	Theory Practical

^{*}Assessments should be designed for each and every semester for theory and practical both based on the syllabus taught.

Skill Enhancement Course in Maintenance and Repairing of <u>Musical Instruments: Hindustani Music</u>

Semester-III (SEC - I)

Max. Marks: 100 Credits: 4

Theory: I

- 1. Classification of instruments as prevalent in India and other countries in brief.
- 2. Brief study of historical development of instruments making in ancient India (String & Percussion).
- 3. Elementary study of Sound, Tone and Frequencies.

Practical: I

- Elementary knowledge of tuning of string/ percussion instruments viz.- sitar, Tanpura, Sarangi, Sarod, guitar, Violin, Tabla, Pakhawaj, Dholak & Naad etc.
- Knowledge of various gadgets of tuning like pitch pipes, chromatic tuners, frequency metres etc.

Semester-IV (SEC - II)

Max. Marks: 100 Credits: 4

Theory: II

- 1. Historical development of some of the musical instruments viz. sitar, sarod, sarangi, tanpura etc. with special reference to their making; early stages and gradual development till modern times.
- 2. Brief introduction of two string western instruments and modification done to make them adaptable to Indian Music i.e. Violin and guitar.

Practical: II

- Knowledge of basic tools, required for making and reparing various instruments.
- Fixing strings in various string instruments viz.- Sitar, Tanpura, Sarangi, Sarod, Guitar, Violin, etc. (both main and sympathateic)
- Fixing of frets in sitar.
- Making of good mizrabs for sitar and Jawas for sarod.
- Repairing of bow of Sarangi/ Violin.
- Fixing and stretching Baddhi in Percussion instruments.

Semester-V (SEC - III)

Max. Marks: 100 Credits: 4

Theory: III

- 1. Elementary knowledge of wood, string and other material viz. bone, stag horn and skin etc., used in making various parts of Indian instruments.
- 2. Seasoning of wood and other material.

Practical: III

- Temporary repairing of Tumba, replacing tuning pegs, Tarab buttons, chikari posts and other minor defects of string instruments.
- Putting and fixing the pudi on percussion instruments.

Semester-VI (SEC - IV)

Max. Marks: 100 Credits: 4

Theory: IV

- 1. Brief introduction of usages of innovative material in musical instruments in place of traditional material in India.
- 2. Knowledge of Acoustical properties of Musical Instruments in brief.

Practical: IV

- Jawari work of sitar and Tanpura/ Putting syahi (black paste) on percussion instruments.
- Viva-Voce of all the above informations, in not less than 20 minutes.

Examination pattern in theory:

- A theory examination of two hours duration shall be conducted at the end of the session in which a student will have to attempt five questions out of which one shall be compulsory. Minimum passing marks shall be 40%.

Examination pattern in practical:

- A practical examination of the demonstration and performance of the skills learnt, which shall be follows:-
- a) Viva-voce of maintenance of musical instruments in general.
- b) Tuning of any two of the instruments prescribed in the course.
- c) Knowledge of various gadgets used for tuning.
- d) Knowledge of basic tools required for making and repairing various instruments.
- e) Demonstration of at least three repairing skills learnt so far in one's own instrument.