



**SEETHALAKSHMI RAMASWAMI COLLEGE  
(AUTONOMOUS)**

**AFFILIATED TO BHARATHIDASAN UNIVERSITY  
TIRUCHIRAPPALLI**

*Accredited with A+ by NAAC (4<sup>th</sup> Cycle)*



## **SYLLABUS**

### **CBCS-OBE- LOCF BASED CURRICULUM STRUCTURE**

**PG AND RESEARCH DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY**

**UG PROGRAMME**

**( 2024 onwards)**

## Guidelines for UG Curriculum Revision 2024-2025

The revised CBCS – OBE - LOCF Curriculum pattern for the Undergraduate programme to be implemented from 2024 onwards, is based on the recommendations of the apex bodies namely **TANSCH**, **UGC**, **Bharathidasan University (Parent University)** and **NAAC** in lieu of the **National Education Policy**.

- As per the norms of UGC and Bharathidasan University, the sum total credits for UG programme is **140** including the domain specific **Group Project (3 credits)** which is to be completed by the students to orient them towards research activities.
- Apart from 140 credits, **12 extra credit courses** have been introduced with the **total credits of 20**, in order to promote diversified skills among students.
- A 30 hour **Course** entitled “**Communicative and Functional English**” has been introduced as a **mandatory** course, to enhance Communicative English.
- Three **Courses** on the titles “**Office Automation, Web Designing and Internet Concepts**” with 30 hours for each course have been introduced as **mandatory** courses for honing the technical skills.
- Students are given the provision of completing one **Online Course** as an **optional** course (**MOOC/SWAYAM/NPTEL**) for strengthening the domain specific knowledge.
- One **Community Outreach Activity** may be carried out as an **optional** course by students who are interested to earn extra credit to showcase their commitment towards society and to fulfil the social responsibility of the institution.
- A 30 hour **Certificate Course** on “**Indian Knowledge System**” has been introduced as a **mandatory** course to familiarize India’s knowledge contribution to the major disciplines to fall in line with the National Education Policy.
- A discipline specific **Value Added Course** has been introduced as **mandatory** course as per **TANSCH** requirements.
- Three Internships (**1 credit each**) are introduced of which **Internship –I (at the II Semester vacation)** is made **mandatory** for every student of UG programme to enhance the employability and entrepreneurship skills.
- A 30 hour **Course** titled “**Capacity Building for Enhancing Professional Skills**” (15 hours for the Professional Placement by the Union and 15 hours for Career Guidance Workshop by the respective Departments) has been introduced as a **mandatory** course to help the students acquire professional competency.



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## **B.A. HISTORY**

### **CBCS – OBE - LOCF Curriculum structure**

*(For students admitted from 2024 onwards)*

SE M	PART	COURSE	COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	HRS	CRD	INT/ EXT	CIA	SE	TOTAL
<b>I</b>	I	Language – I		Course-I	6	3	EXT	25	75	100
	II	English – I		Course-I	6	3	EXT	25	75	100
	III	Core Course – I		History of India Upto 1206 C.E.	6	5	EXT	25	75	100
	III	First Allied Course –I		Modern Governments-I	5	3	EXT	25	75	100
	III	First Allied Course - II		Introduction to Archaeology	5	3	EXT	25	75	100
	IV	VBE		Value Based Education	2	2	EXT	25	75	100
				<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>19</b>				<b>600</b>
<b>II</b>	I	Language – II		Course-II	6	3	EXT	25	75	100
	II	English – II		Course-II	6	3	EXT	25	75	100
	III	Core Course – II		History of India 1206-1761 C.E.	6	5	EXT	25	75	100
	III	First Allied Course - III		Modern Governments-II	4	3	EXT	25	75	100
	III	Second Allied Course -I		Indian Political Thought	4	3	EXT	25	75	100
	IV	SBE – I		Basic Journalism	2	2	EXT	25	75	100
	IV	EVS		Environmental Studies	2	2	EXT	25	75	100
				<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>21</b>				<b>700</b>
		<b>Extra Credit Course</b>		Communicative and Functional English offered by Department of English (Mandatory)	2	2	INT	100	-	100

SEM	PART	COURSE	COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	HRS	CRD	INT/ EXT	CIA	SE	TOTAL
III	I	Language – III		Course-III	6	3	EXT	25	75	100
	II	English – III		Course-III	6	3	EXT	25	75	100
	III	Core Course – III		History of India 1761-1858 C.E.	5	5	EXT	25	75	100
	III	Core Course –IV		History of Tamil Nadu Upto 1311 C.E.	5	5	EXT	25	75	100
	III	Second Allied Course -II		Elements of Sociology–I	4	3	EXT	25	75	100
	IV	NME - I*		Introduction to Tourism	2	2	EXT	25	75	100
	IV	SBE – II		Modern Pedagogy in History	2	2	EXT	25	75	100
				<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>23</b>				<b>700</b>
		<b>Extra Credit Course</b>		Internship – I (II Semester Vacation) Online/Offline – Certificate, Report & Photo (Mandatory)	-	1	INT	-	-	100
		<b>Extra Credit Course</b>		Community Outreach Activity (II Semester Vacation – Report, Photo & Feedback) (Optional)	-	1	INT	-	-	100
IV	I	Language – IV		Course-IV	6	3	EXT	25	75	100
	II	English – IV		Course-IV	6	3	EXT	25	75	100
	III	Core Course – V		Freedom Struggle in India 1858–1947 C.E.	5	5	EXT	25	75	100
	III	Core Course -VI		History of Tamil Nadu 1311-1801C.E.	5	5	EXT	25	75	100
	III	Second Allied Course -III		Elements of Sociology-II	4	3	EXT	25	75	100
	IV	NME - II*		Indian Constitution	2	2	EXT	25	75	100
	IV	SBE – III		Archives Keeping	2	2	EXT	25	75	100
				<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>23</b>				<b>700</b>
		Extra Credit Course		Certificate Course (IKS) – Offered to other Dept. Students – Beyond Class Hours. (Mandatory)	2	2	INT	25	75	100
				Office Automation (Mandatory)	2	2	INT	25	75	100
				Internship – II (III Semester vacation) Online/Offline Certificate, Report & Photo (Optional)	-	1	INT	-	-	100
		<b>* Offered by the Department to the Students of other disciplines.</b>								

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V	III	Core Course – VII		Contemporary History of India 1947-1990 C.E.	6	5	EXT	25	75	100
	III	Core Course -VIII		History of Tamil Nadu 1801-1987 C.E.	6	5	EXT	25	75	100
	III	Core Course – IX		History of Europe 1789-1919 C.E.	6	5	EXT	25	75	100
	III	Core Course - X		Selected themes in History of USA 1900-1993 C.E.	5	5	EXT	25	75	100
	III	MBE – I		History of China and Japan 1911-1966 C.E.	5	4	EXT	25	75	100
	IV	SSD		Soft Skill Development	2	2	EXT	25	75	100
				<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>26</b>				<b>600</b>
		Extra Credit Course		Value Added Course – Offered to the same department - Beyond Class Hours. (Mandatory)	2	2	INT	25	75	100
				Web Designing (Mandatory)	2	2	INT	25	75	100
				Internship – III (IV Semester vacation) Online/Offline Certificate, Report & Photo (Optional)	-	1	INT	-	-	100
				Online Courses – (MOOC/Swayam/ NPTEL) – Before V Semester (Optional)	-	2	INT	-	-	100
VI	III	Core Course –XI		History of the World 1919-1991 C.E.	6	5	EXT	25	75	100
	III	Core Course – XII		History of Tiruchirappalli	5	5	EXT	25	75	100
	III	Core Course – XIII		Introduction to Historiography	5	5	EXT	25	75	100
	III	MBE- II		Tamil Epigraphy	5	4	EXT	25	75	100
	III	MBE – III		Elements of Human Rights	5	4	EXT	25	75	100
	III	Project		Group Project	3	3	EXT	20	80	100
	V	GS		Gender Studies	1	1	EXT	25	75	100
	V	Extension		Extension Activities (NSS/NCC/ YRC/ Sports and Exnora)	-	1	INT	--	--	100
				<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>28</b>				<b>800</b>
				<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>140</b>				<b>4100</b>
		Extra Credit Course		Capacity Building for Enhancing Professional Skills–Offered by the Department (Mandatory)	-	2	INT	-	-	100
				Internet Concepts (Mandatory)	2	2	INT	25	75	100

### TOTAL DISTRIBUTION OF HOURS, CREDITS & MARKS FOR UG PROGRAMME

SEMESTER	HOURS	CREDITS	TOTAL MARKS
I	30	19	600
II	30	21	700
III	30	23	700
IV	30	23	700
V	30	26	600
VI	30	28	800
	<b>180</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>4100</b>

Subject	Number of Courses	Hours	Credit
Language	4	24	12
English	4	24	12
Core Course	13	71	65
Allied Course	6	26	18
Major Based Elective	3	15	12
Skill Based Course	3	6	6
Non Major Elective	2	4	4
Value Based Education	1	2	2
Environmental Studies	1	2	2
Soft Skill Development	1	2	2
Gender Studies	1	1	1
Extension Activities	1		1
Group Project	1	3	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>140</b>

**List of Major Based Elective Courses**

<b>Semester</b>	<b>Course</b>	<b>Course Code</b>	<b>Title of the Course</b>
V	I Choose any one course		1. <b>History of China and Japan 1911-1966 C.E.</b> 2. History of Revolutions
VI	II Choose any one course		1. <b>Tamil Epigraphy</b> 2. Western Political Thought
VI	III Choose any one courses		1. <b>Elements of Human Rights</b> 2. Tourism-An Outline

**List of Non Major Elective Courses**

<b>Semester</b>	<b>Course Code</b>	<b>Title of the Course</b>
III		<b>Introduction to Tourism</b>
IV		<b>Indian Constitution</b>

**List of Skill Based Elective Courses**

<b>Semester</b>	<b>Course</b>	<b>Course Code</b>	<b>Title of the Course</b>
II	I Choose any one course		1. <b>Basic Journalism</b> 2. Social Psychology
III	II Choose any one course		1. <b>Modern Pedagogy in History</b> 2. Working of Indian Constitution
IV	III Choose any one courses		1. <b>Archives Keeping</b> 2. Women Studies

**Value Added Course**

*Extra Credit Course for Skill Development*

<b>Semester</b>	<b>Course</b>	<b>Course Code</b>	<b>Course Title</b>
V	I		History for Competitive Examinations

**Certificate Course Offered To Other Departments**

*Extra Credit Course for Skill Development*

<b>Semester</b>	<b>Course</b>	<b>Course Code</b>	<b>Course Title</b>
IV	I		Introduction to Indian Political Thought

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**(CBCS System)**  
**(For Students admitted from June 2024 onwards)**  
**EXTRA CREDIT COURSES FOR SKILL DEVELOPMENT\***

<b>Subject</b>	<b>Common/Subject Specific</b>	<b>Number of Courses</b>	<b>Credit</b>
<b>**Office Automation (MANDATORY)</b>	<b>Common to All</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>**Web Designing (MANDATORY)</b>	<b>Common to All</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>**Internet Concepts (MANDATORY)</b>	<b>Common to All</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>**Online Course (MOOC/SWAYAM/NPTEL) (OPTIONAL)</b>	<b>Subject Specific</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>
Communicative and Functional English <b>(MANDATORY)</b>	<b>Common to All</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>
Community outreach activity <b>(OPTIONAL)</b>	<b>Subject Specific</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>
Certificate Course (IKS - Indian Knowledge System) <b>(MANDATORY)</b>	<b>Subject Specific</b> <b>(offered to other departments)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>
Value Added Course <b>(MANDATORY)</b>	<b>Subject Specific</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>
Internship – I To be completed during II Semester Vacation <b>(MANDATORY)</b> Internship – II & III <b>(OPTIONAL)</b>	<b>Subject Specific</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>
Capacity Building for Enhancing Professional Skills <b>(MANDATORY)</b>	<b>50%Common to All (Placement Training)</b> <b>50% Subject Specific(Career Guidance Workshop by the respective Departments)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>12</b>	<b>20</b>

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\* Courses with Credit Transfer Provision.

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**EXTRA CREDIT COURSES FOR SKILL DEVELOPMENT**

SEM	COURSE	COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	HRS	CRD	INT/EXT	CIA	SE	TOT
II	<b>EXTRA           COURSES</b>		Communicative and Functional English offered by Dept. of English (MANDATORY)	2	2	INT	100	-	100
III			Community Outreach Activity (II Semester vacation – <b>Report, Photo &amp; Feedback</b> ) (OPTIONAL)	-	1	INT	-	-	100
III			<b>Internship – I</b> - (II Semester vacation) <b>Online/Offline - Certificate, Report &amp; Photo</b> (MANDATORY)	-	1	INT	-	-	100
IV			Certificate Course (IKS) – <b>Offered to other Dept. students out of class Hrs. (MANDATORY)</b>	2	2	INT	25	75	100
IV			<b>Internship – II</b> (III Semester vacation) - <b>Online/Offline - Certificate, Report &amp; Photo (OPTIONAL)</b>	-	1	INT	-	-	100
IV			<b>Office Automation (MANDATORY)</b>	2	2	INT	25	75	100
V			Value Added Course – <b>Offered to same Dept. (Beyond Class Hrs) (MANDATORY)</b>	2	2	INT	25	75	100
V			<b>Internship – III</b> (IV Semester vacation) – <b>Online/Offline Certificate, Report &amp; Photo (OPTIONAL)</b>	-	1	INT	-	-	100
V			<b>Web Designing (MANDATORY)</b>	2	2	INT	25	75	100
V			<b>Online – Course (MOOC/Swayam/NPTEL) – Before V Semester (OPTIONAL)</b>	-	2	INT	-	-	100
VI			Capacity Building for Enhancing Professional Skills – <b>Offered by the Department (MANDATORY)</b>	2	2	INT	-	-	100
VI			<b>Internet Concepts (MANDATORY)</b>	2	2	INT	25	75	100
			<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>20</b>				<b>1200</b>

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**MANDATORY EXTRA CREDIT COURSE FOR SKILL DEVELOPMENT\***

<b>SEM</b>	<b>COURSE CODE</b>	<b>COURSE TITLE</b>	<b>HRS</b>	<b>CRD</b>	<b>INT/EXT</b>	<b>CIA</b>	<b>SE</b>	<b>TOT</b>
II		Communicative and Functional English offered by Department of English	2	2	INT	100	-	100
III		<b>Internship – I - (II Semester vacation) Online/Offline - Certificate, Report &amp; Photo</b>	-	1	INT	-	-	100
IV		Certificate Course (IKS) – <b>Offered to other Department (beyond class hours)</b>	2	2	INT	25	75	100
IV		<b>Office Automation</b>	2	2	INT	25	75	100
V		Value Added Course – <b>Offered to the same department (beyond class hours)</b>	2	2	INT	25	75	100
V		<b>Web Designing</b>	2	2	INT	25	75	100
VI		Capacity Building for Enhancing Professional Skills – <b>Offered by the Department</b>	2	2	INT	-	-	100
VI		<b>Internet Concepts</b>	2	2	INT	25	75	100
		<b>TOTAL NO OF COURSES            8</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>				<b>800</b>

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**OPTIONAL EXTRA CREDIT COURSE FOR SKILL DEVELOPMENT\***

<b>SEM</b>	<b>COURSE CODE</b>	<b>COURSE TITLE</b>	<b>HRS</b>	<b>CRD</b>	<b>INT/EXT</b>	<b>CIA</b>	<b>SE</b>	<b>TOT</b>
III		Community outreach activity (II Semester vacation – <b>Report, Photo &amp; Feedback</b> )	-	1	INT	-	-	100
IV		<b>Internship – II</b> (III Semester vacation) - <b>Online/Offline -Certificate, Report &amp; Photo</b>	-	1	INT	-	-	100
V		<b>Internship – III</b> (IV Semester vacation) – <b>Online/Offline - Certificate, Report &amp; Photo</b>	-	1	INT	-	-	100
V		Online – Course (MOOC/Swayam/NPTEL) – <b>Before V Semester</b>	-	2	INT	-	-	100
		<b>TOTAL NO OF COURSES                      4</b>		<b>5</b>				<b>400</b>