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Undergraduate Programme in Computer Applications

**Bachelor of Computer Applications (BCA)
(With effect from the Academic Year 2023-24)**

Learning Outcome Based Curriculum Framework

Note: The Board of Studies is designed Learning Outcome s Based Curriculum Framework of Under Graduate Computer Application Programme prescribed by UGC

I Preamble

Bachelor of Computer Applications (BCA) is a 3 – Year under Graduate Programme Spread over six semesters. The Course is designed to bridge the gap between IT industries and Academic institutes by incorporating the latest development, into the Curriculum and to give students a complete understanding within a structured framework. The Course helps the students to build-up a successful Career in Computer Science and for pursuing higher studies in Computer Science.

II Eligibility

A pass in the Higher secondary Examination (Academic Stream) conducted by the Government of Tamil Nadu with Mathematics or Business Mathematics or Computer Science or Computer Application as one of the subjects.

III Programme Objectives

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| PO1 | Scientific aptitude will be developed in Students |
| PO2 | Students will acquire basic Practical skills & Technical knowledge along with domain knowledge of different subjects in the Computer Science & humanities stream. |
| PO3 | Students will become employable; Students will be eligible for career opportunities in education field, Industry, or will be able to opt for entrepreneurship. |
| PO4 | Students will possess basic subject knowledge required for higher studies, professional and applied courses. |
| PO5 | Students will be aware of and able to develop solution-oriented approach towards various Social and Environmental issues. |
| PO6 | Ability to acquire in-depth knowledge of several branches of Computer Science and aligned areas. This Programme helps learners in building a solid foundation for higher studies in Computer Science and applications. |
| PO7 | The skills and knowledge gained leads to proficiency in analytical reasoning, which can be utilized in modelling and solving real life problems. |
| PO8 | Utilize computer programming skills to solve theoretical and applied problems by critical understanding, analysis and synthesis. |
| PO9 | Ability to share ideas and insights while seeking and benefitting from knowledge and insight of others. |
| PO10 | Mould the students into responsible citizens in a rapidly changing interdependent society. |

IV Programme Specific Objectives

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| PSO1 | Think in a critical and logical based manner |
| PSO2 | Familiarize the students with suitable software tools of computer science and industrial applications to handle issues and solve problems in mathematics or statistics and realtime application related sciences. |
| PSO3 | Know when there is a need for information, to be able to identify, locate, evaluate, and effectively use that information for the issue or problem at hand. |
| PSO4 | Understand, formulate, develop programming model with logical approaches to Address issues arising in social science, business and other contexts. |
| PSO5 | Acquire good knowledge and understanding to solve specific theoretical and applied problems in advanced areas of Computer science and Industrial statistics. |
| PSO6 | Provide students/learners sufficient knowledge and skills enabling them to undertake further studies in Computer Science or Applications or Information Technology and its allied areas on multiple disciplines linked with Computer Science. |
| PSO7 | Equip with Computer science technical ability, problem solving skills, creative talent and power of communication necessary for various forms of employment. |
| PSO8 | Develop a range of generic skills helpful in employment, internships& societal activities. |
| PSO9 | Get adequate exposure to global and local concerns that provides platform for further exploration into multi-dimensional aspects of computing sciences. |
| PSO10 | The state of art technologies in conducting a Explain in a scientific and systematic way and arriving at a precise solution is ensured |

COURSE STRUCTURE

YEAR – I SEMESTER – I

| Part | Subject Code | List of Courses | Credit | Hours |
|----------|----------------------------|--|--------|-------|
| Part-I | ---- | Language Paper-I | 3 | 6 |
| Part-II | 100L1Z | English Paper-I | 3 | 6 |
| Part-III | 120C1A | Core Course - I: Python Programming | 5 | 4 |
| | 120C11 | Core Course - II: Python Programming Practical | 5 | 5 |
| | 120E1A 120E1B 120E1C | Elective Course - II Generic / Discipline Specific (Any one): Mathematics I Statistics I Financial Accounting I | 3 | 5 |
| | | | | |
| Part-IV | 120S1A | Skill Enhancement Course - I: Office Automation * | 2 | 2 |
| | 100L1L | Basic Tamil-I (Other Language Students) * | | |
| | 100L1M | Advanced Tamil-I (Other Language Students) * | | |
| | 120B1A | Foundation Course FC: Fundamentals of Computers | 2 | 2 |
| | | | 23 | 30 |

*** PART-IV: SEC-1 / Basic Tamil / Advanced Tamil (Any one)**

- Students who have studied Tamil upto XII STD and also have taken Tamil in Part I shall take SEC-I.
- Students who have **not** studied Tamil upto XII STD and have taken any Language other than Tamil in Part-I shall take **Basic Tamil** comprising of Two Courses (level will be at 6th Std.).
- Students who have studied Tamil upto XII STD and have taken any Language other than Tamil in Part-I shall take **Advanced Tamil** comprising of Two Courses.

YEAR – I SEMESTER – II

| Part | Sub. Code | List of Courses | Credit | Hours |
|----------|----------------------------|---|--------|-------|
| Part-I | ---- | Language Paper-II | 3 | 6 |
| Part-II | 100L2Z | English Paper-II | 3 | 6 |
| Part-III | 120C2A | Core Course - III: Object Oriented Programming using C++ | 5 | 4 |
| | 120C2B | Core Course - IV: Object Oriented Programming using C++ Practical | 5 | 5 |
| | 120E2A 120E2B 120E2C | Elective Course - II Generic / Discipline Specific (Any one): Mathematics II Statistics II Financial Accounting II | 3 | 5 |
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| Part-IV | 120S2A | Skill Enhancement Course - II: Office Automation Practical * | 2 | 2 |
| | 100L2L | Basic Tamil-II (Other Language Students) * | | |
| | 100L2M | Advanced Tamil-II (Other Language Students) * | | |
| | 120S2B | Skill Enhancement Course - III: Quantitative aptitude | 2 | 2 |
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YEAR – II SEMESTER – III

| Part | Sub. Code | List of Courses | Credit | Hours |
|----------|----------------------------|---|--------|-------|
| Part-I | ---- | Language Paper-III | 3 | 6 |
| Part-II | 200L3Z | English Paper-III | 3 | 6 |
| Part-III | 220C3A | Core Course - V: Data Structures | 5 | 4 |
| | 220C31 | Core Course - VI: Data Structures Practical | 5 | 5 |
| | 220E3A 220E3B 220E3C | Elective Course - III Generic / Discipline Specific (Any one): Mathematics I Statistics I Cost and Management Accounting-I | 3 | 5 |
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| Part-IV | 220S31 | Skill Enhancement Course - IV: (Entrepreneurial Based): Web Page Design Practical | 1 | 1 |
| | 220S32 | Skill Enhancement Course - V: Desktop publishing Practical | 2 | 2 |
| | ---- | Environmental Science | - | 1 |
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YEAR – II SEMESTER – IV

| Part | Sub. Code | List of Courses | Credit | Hours |
|----------|----------------------------|---|--------|-------|
| Part-I | ---- | Language Paper-IV | 3 | 6 |
| Part-II | 200L4Z | English Paper-IV | 3 | 6 |
| Part-III | 220C4A | Core Course - VII: Java Programming | 5 | 4 |
| | 220C41 | Core Course -VIII: Java Programming Practical | 5 | 4 |
| | 220E4A 220E4B 220E4C | Elective Course - IV Generic/Discipline Specific (Any one): Mathematics II Statistics II Cost and Management Accounting-II | 3 | 5 |
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| Part-IV | 220S4A | Skill Enhancement Course -VII: Emotional Intelligence | 2 | 2 |
| | 220S4B | Skill Enhancement Course -VII: Technical Writing | 2 | 2 |
| | 220V4A | Environmental Science | 2 | 1 |
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YEAR – III SEMESTER – V

| Part | Sub. Code | List of Courses | Credit | Hours |
|-----------|----------------------------|---|--------|-------|
| Part- III | 320C5A | Core Course - IX: Operating System | 4 | 5 |
| | 320C5B | Core Course - X: Relational Database Management System | 4 | 5 |
| | 320C5C | Core Course - XI: Web Technology | 4 | 5 |
| | 320C5I | Core Course - XII: Web Technology Practical | 4 | 5 |
| | 320E5A 320E5B 320E5C | Elective Course -V: Operations Research / Software Engineering / Agile Project Management | 3 | 4 |
| | 320E5D 320E5E 320E5F | Elective Course -VI: Cloud computing / Big Data Analytics / Introduction To Data Science | 3 | 4 |
| Part-IV | 320V5A | Value Education | 2 | 2 |
| | 320V5B | Internship / Industrial Training (During summer vacation at the end of IV semester) | 2 | - |
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YEAR – III SEMESTER – VI

| Part | Sub. Code | List of Courses | Credit | Hours |
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| Part- III | 320C6A | Core Paper - XIII: R-Programming | 4 | 6 |
| | 320C6I | Core Paper - XIV: R-Programming Practical | 4 | 5 |
| | 320C6B | Core Paper - XV: Computer Networks | 4 | 5 |
| | 320E6A 320E6B 320E6C | Elective Course -VII: Mobile Ad-hoc Network / Data Mining and Warehousing / Grid Computing | 3 | 5 |
| | 320E6D 320E6E 320E6F | Elective -VIII: Internet of Things and its Applications/ Robotics and Its Applications / Network Security | 3 | 5 |
| Part-IV | 320V6A | Professional Competency Skill Course: Mini Project | 2 | 4 |
| Part-V | 320V6B | Extension Activity | 1 | - |
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