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CIRCULAR

Sub: Choosing Open Elective Paper in III Semester at all PG Courses
under the Faculty of Arts, Science, Commerce and Education for
the Academic Year – 2026-27

Ref: Vice-Chancellor approval dated:21.09.2026

All the Chairperson of the P.G. Departments of Dr. Manmohan Singh Bengaluru City University and the Principals of Colleges affiliated to the University having PG Courses are hereby informed that:

1. The Open Elective paper has to be chosen by the Students of III Semester in the Faculty of Arts, Science, Commerce and Education.
2. The Open Elective paper is of 100 marks consisting of 4 Units.

The Open Elective Papers for III Semester Students are as follows:

Subjects	Open Elective Paper Code	Title of the Open Elective paper
Arts Faculty:		
Kannada	3.6.1 & 3.6.2	1. ಸ್ವರ್ಧಾತ್ಮಕ ಕನ್ನಡ 2. ಕನ್ನಡ ಪರಂಪರೆ: ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯ ಮತ್ತು ಸಂಸ್ಕೃತಿ
English	OEPT 3.1	English for Employability
Foreign Languages		1. Basic French -Syllabus: Text Book-Salut France [Lesson 1-8] 2. Basic German -Syllabus: Text Book-Netzwerk A1 [Lessons 1-6] 3. Basic Spanish -Syllabus: Text Book-Aula I International [Lessons 1-5]
History	3.6	Indian Religion
Economics	3.7.1 & 3.7.2	1. Economics for Everyone 2. Indian Economy since Economic Reforms
Political Science	H.C 3.6	Indian Politics Today: Issues, Challenges and Debates
Sociology	3.6	Sociology of Everyday Life
MSW	OEP-3.6	Mental Health and Counseling

Subjects	Open Elective Paper Code	Title of the Open Elective paper
Mass Communication and Journalism	3.5	Mass Media
Science Faculty		
Chemistry	Ch-304 OE:	Chemistry in Daily Life
Mathematics	M 307OE [A] & M 307OE [B]	1. Elements of Calculus 2. Mathematics for Everyone
Biochemistry	BCHOET -304.1	Biochemistry of Common Disorders
Fashion and Apparel Design	FAD - 3.7	Fashion Design
Psychology	306	Psychology for Life
Counselling Psychology	306	Basic Counselling Skills
Physics	P305	Physics for all
Zoology	OE-304	Applied Zoology
Botany	OET306	Plants and Human Welfare
Nutrition and Dietetics	MSND304	Nutrition for Healthy Lifestyle
MCA & Computer Science	MSC301OE	Web Application Development and Hosting
Commerce Faculty		
M.Com	3.6	Entrepreneurship and Start-Ups
MTTM		1. Basic Concepts of Tourism 2. Basic Concepts of Hospitality Management
MBA	3.8.1 & 3.8.2	1. Management Perspective 2. Public Administration and Management
Education Faculty		
M.Ed	OE-01	Pedagogy of Teaching

1. The 3rd Semester PG Students are required to submit the prescribed format indicating the Open Elective paper opted by them in consultation with the concerned Heads of the Department / Principals of the Colleges, as the case may be. The Chairperson of the PG Department and the Principals of the affiliated Colleges having PG Courses, shall send the list of students duly mentioning the Register Number and Open Elective Subject allotted to the Students, to the Registrar [Evaluation] on or before 30.09.2026 positively.
2. Each P.G. Dept. offering open elective paper shall restrict offering of the open elective paper to the intake prescribed for the Department.

3. The Principals of the Colleges having PG Courses have to make necessary arrangements for teaching the Open Elective opted by the students.
4. In respect of Open Elective papers which are not being offered in the PG Departments of the University in Central College Campus, the Chairpersons of the concerned PG Department have to contact the Principals of the Colleges where the particular subject is taught and direct the students to attend the Classes as per the time table of such Colleges. The Principals of the PG Colleges are informed to permit such students to attend the Classes as per the time table of the College. Similarly, the Principals of the PG Colleges may either make necessary arrangement for teaching the Open Elective Subject opted by the students or direct the students to attend the classes at the PG Departments of the University at Central College campus after consulting the Chairpersons of the respective Departments. As per the time table.

The minimum strength of the students for each Open Elective Paper shall be 15. The teaching of the Open Elective paper shall be conducted preferably on Saturdays.



REGISTRAR

To:

1. The Chairperson of PG Departments, MSBCU
2. Principal of Affiliated Colleges having PG Courses, MSBCU

Copy to:

1. The Registrar(Evaluation), MSBCU, Bengaluru
2. PS to Vice-Chancellor/ Registrar/ Registrar (Evaluation)
3. Office Copy / Guard file / University Website: www.bcu.ac.in

Form of option for the Open Elective

Name of the Candidate	
Name of the PG Course	
Name of the College	
Subjects studied at UG level	1.
	2.
	3.

Option No	Open Elective Paper Title	Remarks of the Chairman / Co-Ordinator / Principal
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		

- Note:* 1. The students are required to give five options in the order of preference.
2. The option should reach the respective Chairperson/Co-ordinator of the PG Department or the Principal of the Colleges on or before 28-09-2026, where the candidate is studying.

Signature of the Student

Signature of the Chairman /Co-Ordinator / Principal