

DAV UNIVERSITY

Department of Psychology

Proceedings of Meeting

The meeting of the Board of Studies, Department of Psychology was held in Psychology Department, Room no AC-9, Academic block, on 28th March, 2019 scheduled at 3p.m.

The following members were present in the meeting:

1. Dr. Jasbir Rishi , Coordinator/ Head of Psychology Department
2. Dr. Navdeep Singh Tung, Professor, Department of Psychology, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar. (External Expert)
3. Dr. Nakul Kundra , Assistant professor, English
4. Dr. Manju Deorari , Assistant professor, Physical Education

Agenda of the Meeting:

To review the syllabus for M.A. Psychology for the upcoming session 2019-20 and consider any changes for the same if required.

Signatures of the members present:

1. J Rishi

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2. NS Tung

4. Manju
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Following changes in the syllabus were suggested by the members:

1. The changes suggested for Sem –IV , Course code **PSY 531 –Research methodology and Psychological assessment (Intelligence , Creativity and Aptitude)-II** are:
 - a) The topic of Qualitative Research of Unit-II of Course Code PSY531 should be included in Unit –IV in place of Psychometric testing and assessment.
 - b) Unit –IV of Course code PSY531 Research methodology , should be merged with Course code PSY -521 Psychometrics and Psychological assessment (Personality and Interests)-I
 - c) As the topics related to Psychological assessment will be part of Course code PSY521, the course name for PSY 531 will be- Research methodology. (Annexure –I attached)

2. In course code **PSY 513 Motivation**

- a) In Semester–I for the Course of Motivation (Course Code PSY 513), it was suggested by the members that separate units should be made for the Motivation Theories. The 12 theories can be divided into 2 separate units.
Unit II should include Psychodynamic Theories by Freud, Adler and Jung and Unit III should include Field Theories, Social Learning Theories and Expectancy Theories of Motivation.
- b) The Topic of 'Neurophysiological Basis of Hunger, Thirst and Sleep' (earlier a separate unit) must be added along with the Unit of Nervous System, as studying entire Nervous system in 'Motivation' holds little relevance. (Annexure –II attached)

3. In Course code -PSY535 **Positive psychology** , the content is revised as per the emerging and current trends of the subject . (Annexure-III attached)

4. The syllabus for **Course CSA560** Role of ICT in Education has been changed as per the requirement for the students of Psychology. (Annexure-IV attached)

5. In Course Name: Psychology of Adolescence
(Course Code: PSY 533) the changes suggested are as follows:

- a) There should be a separate unit on theories of Adolescence, apart from Introduction chapter.
- b) Units III and IV ('Deviance in Adolescence' with 'Health risk behaviors in Adolescence) should be combined into a single Unit, since the topics covered in them are quite similar.

(Annexure –V attached)

6. One -week mandatory Internship in Semester I and II and two –week's internship in Semester III and IV is part of curriculum.