

A Brief Note on Foundation Courses in Hindi

Hindi faculty offers foundation Hindi courses at three levels for Learners.

1. Aarambhik Hindi Bhasha (SUS1FC008) for those who are not exposed to Hindi at primary level.
2. Madhyamik Hindi Bhasha (SUS1FC007) for those who have a working knowledge of Hindi and have satisfactory exposure to Hindi literature.
3. Vyavaharik Hindi Bhasha (SUS1FC006) for those who have fluency in reading, writing and have studied Hindi up to higher level.

As per decision of University all the students of SUS are required to take and clear one Foundation course in compulsory Hindi program. There will be Three levels of Hindi Foundation Courses namely:- FH1, FH2, FH3. Each and every student will have to opt one of the credit courses compulsorily in BA Programme at AUD. The performance in language proficiency test will be sole criteria for allotment of various level courses.

Hindi Programme Committee

Ambedkar University Delhi

BA Programme

Course Code: SUS1FC008
Course Title: Aarambhik Hindi Bhasha
Semester: (I) **Credits: 4**

Course Coordinator: GOPALJI PRADHAN gopalji@aud.ac.in

Type of Course: This course is compulsory to all students of the BA programme.

Course Description: This course will focus on practical training in speaking, reading and writing Hindi for foreigners and non-Hindi speaking students. It will start from the introduction of Phonetic system of Hindi Language. In the due course students will be taught the Hindi Alphabet in a manner which will enabled them to identify differentiate and listen different Phonetic sounds which constitute Hindi Alphabet. Attention will also be paid to make them write words and sentences. This requires basic training of Hindi Grammar also. This whole course requires innovative teaching and learning for which course instructor will try to make the class participative through group discussions on spot improvisation etc. Likewise evaluation will be framed as question-answer, conversations, Word Power & Hindi films etc. The teaching material also be constituted of Film songs and dialogues for which clipping will be shown and discussed in class.

Topics:

Hindi Alphabet

Word Construction

Syntactical formation

Reading newspaper

Peer group communication

Assessment Pattern- 30 per cent for preparing workable vocabulary of Hindi

30 per cent for class presentation

40 per cent end-semester examination

BA Programme

Course Code: SUS1FC007
Course Title: Madhyamik Hindi Bhasha
Semester: (I) **Credits: 4**

Course Coordinator: Mrityunjay Tripathi, mrityunjay@aud.ac.in

Type of Course: This course is compulsory to all students of the BA programme.

Course Description: This course is designed for those students who have learnt up to initial level, so it may be assumed that the learners have basic understanding of Hindi language. Thus it will be start from Elementary Hindi Grammar. The second portion of this course is constituted of collections of simple Hindi short stories ('Idgaah' by Premchand, Cycle ki sawari by Sudarshan, Taai by Vishamber Nath kaushik ,vish ke data by Nalin Vilochan Sharma,etc.) Essays (Kya likhun by Padumlal Punnalal Bakshi) Poetry (Chaand ka kurta by Dinkar, Mera Naya Bachpan by Subhadra kumari chauhan, Maine usko jab-jab dekha by Kedarnath Aggarwal), One Act play ('Strike' by Bhuwadeshwar) etc.

This course shall focus on educating the students to have initial knowledge of Hindi Literature so that in the future they can be familiar with the creative writings of Hindi. The pedagogy of the course will involve interactive-dialogical learning through discussion, classroom interaction.

Topics:

Hindi Short Stories (6)

Hindi Poems (4)

Hindi Essay (3)

Hindi Play (1)

Assessment Pattern- 30 per cent for take home assignment

30 per cent for Class Presentation

40 per cent end-semester examination

BA Programme

Course Code: SUS1FC006
Course Title: Vyavaharik Hindi Bhasha
Semester: (I) **Credits: 4**

Course Coordinator: Gopalji/Vaibhav, gopalji@aud.ac.in/vaibhav@aud.ac.in

Type of Course: This course is compulsory to all students of the BA programme.

Course Description: Since this course is intended to be taught to the students who have learnt Hindi up to higher level so this course will be focusing on the development of their Hindi skills. The first portion of this course will be Functional Hindi which is constituted of Terminology, Letter writing, Précis writing, Comprehension, Computer, Web etc. Translation, Journalism, Creative writing, Analysis of Devnagri Script etc. will also be taught in this course. This course will also be having textual collection of teaching which will include satirical writings by Harishankar Parsai, Shri laal Shukla, Stories by Om prakash Valmiki, Krishna Sobati, Jainendra Kumar, Poems by Ramdhaari Singh Dinkar (section of Rashmi Rathi), Nagarjun, Maithili Sharan Gupt etc. It will also have some pieces on non-literary subjects like geography, science & social science, sports, films.

The pedagogy of the course will involve interactive-dialogical learning through discussion, classroom interaction.

Topics:

Hindi Short Stories
Hindi Poems
Hindi Essay
Functional Hindi

Assessment Pattern- 30 per cent for take home assignment

30 per cent for Class Presentation

40 per cent end-semester examination