

Feedback on Design and Review of Curriculum

Feedback Action Taken Report

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Feedback Action Taken- Student



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The feedback is collected from all the stakeholders (students, faculty, employers, and alumni) by all the departments independently. The respective department academic committee (DAC) reviewed the feedback and after deliberations, the committee has prepared a report and submitted for perusal to incorporate the possible suggestions to revise the curriculum. The Affiliated University received feedback from student under consideration during 2019-20.

The consolidated feedback and the action taken report are summarized as follows:

Feedback report from Students-Mathematical Sciences

S. No	Feedback	Action Taken
1	Need to enhance logical skills in mathematical science.	practical orientation classes provided to improve logical skills.
2	Slow learners wanted to provide extra classes to improve the learning and understanding.	learners are taken care of.
3	Curriculum should be suitable to crack competitive exams in future.	Content is suitable for all the exams.
4	Student's centric pursuit should be conducted.	Students participated in the learning activities related to the subjects.



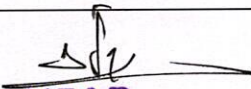
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Feedback report from Student - Department of computer Sciences

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1.	More emphasis should be on practical aspects of the subjects such as Programming in C	Question and department handbook provided for practice.
2.	Small projects to be included in subject design and analysis of algorithms and other core subjects.	Supplementary questions included in problem sets to prepare students for competitive exams.
3.	Dress code should be relaxed to have a more comfortable environment.	Dress code is relaxed on Thursdays. However no relaxation will be given during University Tests and End Sem Exam.
4.	Special Training sessions should be conducted to enhance soft skills and communication skills.	Department conducts soft skill classes as a non credited course.
5.	Department should introduce more elective subjects in the curriculum.	Initiatives taken to upgrade session of Computer Science and Computer Application programs.
6.	Extra Lab Sessions should be conducted for those who missed labs	Extra labs are conducted but weight age of marks Is reduces.
7.	Trainer and professional experts must be called / invited to deliver a lecture on advanced areas of computer science and currents trends.	Trainers and professional experts from different organizations were called to delivered talk on current trending areas of computer science and its applications.





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Feedback report from Student - Department of Commerce


S.No	Feedback	Action Taken
1.	Few subjects should have a more practical approach.	The questions papers of internal tests and end sem examinations incorporate numerical questions more than theory.
2.	Department can offer teaching assistance ship to meritorious under graduate students.	Department gave opportunity to UG students to give mock lecturers and supervise labs.
3.	Projects topics should be relevant and related to real world problems.	Best project practice started in the department.
4.	Tutorial classes should be more interactive and participative.	To increase participation in Tutorial Classes, surprise tests are introduced.




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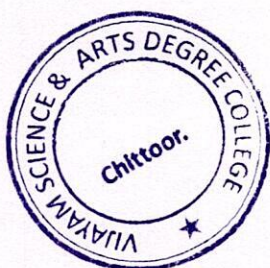
Feedback report from Students – Department of Humanities


S.NO	Feedback	Action taken
1.	Activity based education should give importance	Considered the idea as per the suggestions
2.	Student's practical knowledge must increase by providing relevant topics	Action has taken for the development of practical knowledge
3.	Supporting materials must be available in college libraries	Given instructions to every institution to maintain sufficient volume of materials
4.	Topics in curriculum should reduce	Mater is under consideration
5.	Need to improve new subject to face real world with confidence	Suggested to include subjects of relevance.


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Feedback report from Students – Department of Life sciences

S. No	Feedback	Action Taken
1	Mini project work should include in the course for undergraduate level also	The University has requested to include the same on the syllabus
2	Students should allowed to participate in the national state level seminars to improve knowledge	The university has been requested and expecting in the future
3	The curriculum should be help full to motivate students towards research	The lecturer were trained well to make students move towards research
4	Students give opportunities to give seminars on new upcoming concepts which is not included on the syllabus	Discussed with academic committee and will be implement in the near by future.

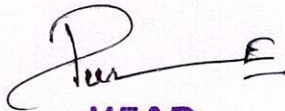



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Feedback report from Student - Department of Management

S. No	Feedback	Action taken
1	More educational trips and industrial visits to be part of curriculum.	Educational trips and field trips were planned once a year.
2.	Extension activities are part of the curriculum more activities suiting the current needs were to be organised.	Conducted Management games.
3.	Faculty-student interaction may be enhanced. Smart class programmes may made effective.	Learning management Systems through interactive activities which enables the mutual interaction between faculty and student was encouraged.
4.	Library facilities must be augmented to meet the current requirement of the students to enable efficient learning	Library equipped with new volumes.




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Feedback Action Taken- Faculty



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The Vijayam Science and Arts Degree College has eminent faculties and they submitted their feedback about the curriculum to review the syllabus for 2018-19. As a content dealing faculty they have given worthwhile feedback about curriculum.

The consolidated feedback and the action taken report are summarized as follows:

Feedback report from faculty – Department of Humanities

S.NO	Feedback	Action taken
1.	To face real life situations students need practical knowledge	Matter is under consideration
2.	Topics in curriculum must help the student to get jobs.	Considered the depth of this kind of topics and planned to add in curriculum
3.	Pronunciation practice test should include in curriculum for better command on language	Identified the importance of pronunciation and planning to implement
4.	Curriculum should help the students to enhance their standards	To lift the standards of student's new topics were added in curriculum
5.	Phonetics practice is needed to students to get command in communication	Many exercises were added in curriculum



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Feedback report from faculty - Department of Mathematical Sciences

S. No	Feedback	Action Taken
1	The faculty felt that the curriculum was well organized.	Job offered courses should be conducted.
2	Ideas are given by the subject experts to start value added courses to magnify the job chances for the students in mathematical sciences.	The courses have been started.
3	Proposals are given by the faculty to include or remove topics in Mathematics and Statistics.	Teaching plan of action towards pupil centric has been revised.
4	The faculty also suggested to introduce self-study courses in to the curriculum.	Orientation on self-study courses conducted.

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Feedback report from faculty - Department of Commerce

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1.	More emphasis should be an practical aspects of the subject.	Motivated the students to focus on more research based and applications-based projects and develop entrepreneurial skills.
2.	Special Training Sessions should be conducted to identify bright students and prepare them for good placement companies.	Department conducted extra classes to enhance basic skills in programming and other competitive exams.
3.	Department should introduce more elective subjects in the curriculum.	Initiatives taken to upgrade Session of UG programmes.
4.	Trainer and professional experts must be called / invited to deliver a lecture on advanced areas of Computer Science and current tools.	Trainers and professional experts from different organizations were called to delivered talk on current trending areas of computer science



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		and its applications.
5.	There should be focus on involvement of alumni in Board of Studies and incorporate their suggestions to revamp the current curriculum and to cater to the needs of the job market.	The alumni suggestions were considered and motivational talk sessions from prestigious alumnae with the students were organized.


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Feedback report from Faculty - Department of Life Sciences

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1.	Case study approach may be introduced. Group assignment and projects to be given.	Case study assignments were given to the Group assignments and projects to be given. Students. This helped them to acquire problem solving skills. Group assignments and projects were given Interdepartmental projects were carried out.
2	Practical knowledge to be imparted which help them to face real life situations.	Role play models and individual presentations by students in the institution were encouraged for participating in competitions organised by other institutions were facilitated
3	Experts suggested starting some tutorial classes focusing on overall Personality Development and Stress Management.	Tutorials aiming at Personality Development and Stress Management for students were planned.
4	The curriculum can be modified to make future ready individual for a industry	Matter is discussed in the DAC meeting and expecting affiliating university to change the curriculum.





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Feedback report from Faculty – Department of Management

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2	Evaluation of departmental activities and action plans may be implemented with inputs from subject experts to improve the curriculum.	Academic audit was conducted in the department level and the inputs received were documented and suggestions were taken forward to be implemented in the meetings.
3	Teachers are appointed as a part of curriculum development committee suggestions from all faculties regarding curriculum revision are considered. Inputs are taken for revision of syllabus.	Each department has the Board of Studies (BOS) meeting twice a year. Feedback given by the subject teachers were put forward to the committee for consideration and the recommendations were implemented.




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Action Taken Report - Alumni



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The Vijayam Science and Arts Degree College has a strong association with Alumni from long back. They provided their support by giving their suggestions which helps to fill the gaps in curriculum. Based on their suggestions the institution communicated to the affiliated University for the valuable changes in curriculum.

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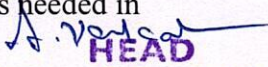
Feedback report from Alumni -Mathematical Sciences

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1	Curriculum must accommodate appropriate aspects regarding mathematical sciences.	Curriculum is well designed
2	Curriculum must impart leadership qualities among students	Leadership education course introduced as a part of the curriculum
3	Invite awareness programs on new technologies	Awareness program conducted on Research and career opportunities in the field of Atmospheric studies.
4	Foundation related to real world objects	Matter is concerned requested to affiliated University.

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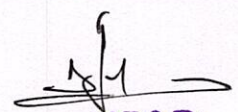
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1	The curriculum should include guest lecturers from alumni	Matter is discussed in DAC to implement guest lectures
2	Suggested to import co-curricular activities in the curriculum	Matter is under consideration
3	New technologies like SAP, ERP etc., must be provided	Expecting affiliating university to add these courses in curriculum
4	More practical skills needed in curriculum	Possible changes of assessment procedure can be verified and it is in process.


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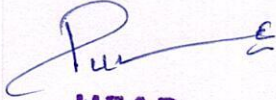



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Feedback report from Alumni – Department of Management

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1	Capacity building programmes may be organised for staff.	Capacity building programmes were regularly organised for both teaching and non-teaching staff.
2	Gender awareness programs to be organized.	Gender sensitization programs were supported through activities of various centres such as women's studies centre, Department of lifelong learning and extension.
3	Involve alumni in Board of Studies and take their suggestions to revamp the curriculum to cater to the needs of the job market.	Suggestions by the alumni were considered and they were included in important decision making processes prestigious alumina was invited to give motivational talks to the students.
4	Content should be related to real world objects.	Informed the same to the committee.




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Action Taken - Employer



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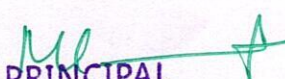
The Employer feedback that is constructive is vital to student's on-going development. Feedback clarifies expectations, helps students to learn from their mistakes and builds confidence. The Department of Computer Science collects feedback from employer which is analysed, and vital suggestions are considered and necessary actions are taken. The summary of feedbacks collected, and action taken given below:

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Feedback report from Employer

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1.	Student should be familiar about industry exposure.	Different resource persons from industries to address the students regarding industrial knowledge.
2.	Recruiters suggested that the students should be strong in their interpersonal skills and focus on personality development for the interview process.	Soft skill classes and intensive training on aptitude training was as planned for the next academic year.
3.	Student should be more participative and familiar about collaborative team efforts.	Focused on soft skill training which emphasized on participative games and team collaboration efforts.




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