

UNIVERSITY OF PUNE
(Ad Hoc) BoS GERMAN

Structure/Pattern of the Syllabus of B.A. (German)

To be implemented with effect from

F.Y.B.A. – Academic Year 2013-14

Preamble of the Syllabus

German is one of the major Foreign Languages in India. The Teaching of German was started for the first time in India in 1914 in Pune. Pune University is one of the few centres in the world, where the number of students studying B.A. with German as a special subject has been increasing every year.

In the Theory of Literature, in Culture Studies, in Foreign Language Teaching there are new developments in the recent past. The courses in Pune University have to take cognizance of these developments. It is extremely important to update the syllabus of B.A. and to make it more relevant to the globalized world. The discussion with the students and teachers in the last two years have underlined the need of bringing out major changes in the B.A. Syllabus.

In B.A. Syllabus we envisage major structural changes as well as changes in the course content to make it more meaningful from the academic and didactic perspective. It is important to introduce new literary works and course contents. It is important to close the gap between B.A. and M.A. and to prepare the students for PG Studies as well as for jobs.

General Information

Bachelor of Arts with German as a General/ Special subject :

1. Eligibility for all the courses: Minimum qualifications : 12th Standard in any faculty.
2. Pattern: 80 - 20
3. Pattern of Examination for all the courses: As per the University rules
Specific aspects, if any, are mentioned in the respective courses.
4. Standard of Passing for all the courses: As per the University rules
5. ATKT Rules for all the courses: As per the University rules
6. Award of Class for all the courses: As per the University rules
7. Verification/Revaluation for all the courses: As per the University rules
8. Structure of the courses:
 - a) All courses are compulsory.
 - b) Medium of instruction: German
9. Equivalence of previous syllabus with proposed syllabus: 100% equivalent to the syllabus of 2008

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- **G1 A- German General 1: Basic Course**
- **G1 B- German General 1: Advanced Course**

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- **G2- German General 2**
- **S1- German Special paper 1: History and literature in 20th century**
- **S2- German Special paper 2: Study of culture and literary works**

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- **G3- German General 3**
- **S3- German Special paper 3: History, culture and literature**
- **S4- German special paper 4: Study of Philosophy and history of literature**

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G1A - German General 1: Basic Course

Objectives:

This basic language course is designed for the F.Y.B.A. students without any prior knowledge of German. It focuses on basic grammar, vocabulary of around 2500 words, basic reading, writing, speaking and listening skills. This will enable the Students to communicate in simple German in basic day- to- day communication.

Course Content:

- Prescribed Textbook : Lagune 1(chapter 1 to chapter 6) + Lagune 2(chapter 1)
Total 7 chapters
- Basic grammar and vocabulary (around 2500) covered in the Textbook

Exam Pattern:

Division of Marks for Term end Examination:	Total Marks: 60
Written examination	50
Dictation:	10
Division of Marks for Annual Examination:	Total Marks: 80
Written examination	60
listening Comprehension	10
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Orals	10

G1B - German General 1: Advanced Course

Objectives:

This course is specially meant for students with prior knowledge of German i.e. the students who have opted German in schools or in junior colleges. It consists of advanced grammar and vocabulary, skills such as dialogue writing, advanced communication and listening skills. The course material (i.e. the short texts, dialogues etc.) reveals important aspects of the German Culture.

Course Content:

- Material compiled by the German Section, Dept of Foreign languages
- Grammar Topics : Partizip Perfekt, Modal Verben, Präteritum, Passiv, Konjunktionen, Nebensätze, Relativsätze, Adjektiv-Endungen
- Dialog writing
- Vocabulary covered in the Teaching Material

Exam Pattern:

Division of Marks for Term end Examination:	Total Marks: 60
Written examination	50
Dictation:	10
Division of Marks for Annual Examination:	Total Marks: 80
Written examination	60
listening Comprehension:	10
Orals	10