

# Advanced Diploma Course in Buddhist Studies I & II Year

## 1. Eligibility:

- a) Minimum passed Advanced Certificate course in Buddhist Studies or equivalent course in Buddhist Studies.
- b) Passed XII/H.S.C. Examination with Sanskrit/Pali/Chinese/Tibetan as one subject

## 2. Duration:

The duration of the Advanced Diploma Course shall be two academic year consisting of four terms of fourteen weeks each.

## 3. Fees:

The admission fee for the course, the tuition fee for the entire course of one year duration, Examination fee, Record fee, Statement of marks shall be as per the rules and regulations of the University of Pune.

## 4. Teaching:

1. Medium of teaching in English or Marathi
2. Lectures - each term 14 weeks (four lectures in a week).
3. Advanced Diploma Course Examination shall be held once at the end of the academic year.
4. The examination for the Advanced Diploma Course shall consist of a written examination carrying 80 marks
5. To pass the Advanced Diploma Course examination a candidate must obtain either 40% of the total marks in each of the written and oral examination (i.e. separate passing : 32 in written and 8 in oral) or minimum 50% marks out 100 (i.e. aggregate passing).
6. Those of the successful candidates who obtain minimum 50% of the total marks shall be placed in the second class and those obtaining minimum 60% of the total marks shall be placed in first class.

## 5. General Structure of Advanced Diploma Course in Buddhist Studies:

### General Paper I:

100 marks (Written test for 80 marks Plus oral\Seminar for 20 marks)

### Special Paper:

100 marks (written test for 80 marks plus oral, Seminar for 20 marks).

## 6. Syllabus:

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#### Paper I:

##### General Paper

(100 Marks)

- A. Characteristics of Buddhism, Ethics etc.
- B. Buddhist Technical Terms in Pali, Sanskrit and Chinese.

#### Paper II:

##### A. Elementary Language: Level II

(100 Marks)

- Pali
- Sanskrit
- Chinese
- Tibetan

##### B. Study of Literature:

(50 Marks)

- Pali; Mahavagga (Suttanipata)
- Sanskrit; Vajrachhedika, Prajnaparamita etc.
- Chinese; Sukhavativyuha Sutra
- Tibetan