

Shri Mata Vaishno Devi University Katra School of Languages and Literature

Program Educational Objectives

(M. A. Two Year Full Time Degree Program)

PEO 1:

MA Graduates will be well prepared for pursuing successful careers in Teaching and Higher education (Government, PSU and Private sectors) in one or more areas of languages and literary studies and executing high quality teaching and research, impart training in language learning, create projects and perform copyediting and content writing.

PEO 2:

The MA graduates will be prepared to become college and University teachers, educationalists, translators, copy editors, language trainers and researchers in organizations and will contribute positively, ethically and respectfully with an informed international perspective.

PEO 3:

The MA graduates will be prepared to be compatible to specialize by pursuing higher education in languages and literature, allied fields and/or interdisciplinary studies of their interest to widen their horizon for valuable input to the profession and society at large.

Program Outcomes (POs) of M. A. Program offered by SoL&L at SMVDU

The curriculum and syllabi of M.A. Two Year Full Time Degree Program is designed to achieve identified Graduate Attributes (GAs) with the following Pos.

After successful completion of the degree program, a student will be able to:

- 1. To gain and develop knowledge, conceptual understanding, research, analytical and interpretative skills, contributing to the overall growth of the student.
- 2. To engage in learning and practicing methods of close reading, careful analysis and critical thinking.
- 3. To locate texts in relation to social and historical context.
- 4. To employ advanced knowledge about the literary period chosen for in-depth study, and also about the major historical events that occurred during that period.
- 5. To perform research, analysis, and criticism of literary and cultural texts from different historical periods and genres.
- 6. To plan and complete an extensive research project within English Language and other contemporary forms of culture.
- 7. To understand the way ideas, values, and themes have an impact on culture and society, both in the past as well as in the present context.
- 8. To perform research, formulate research questions, and carry out independent research in context with the prescribed texts.
- 9. To analyze literature and linguistic texts using appropriate terminology and common rhetorical figures.
- 10. To evaluate various socio-political changes on the literature and trace its social relevance in contemporary times.
- 11. To read literary texts and subsequently actively and critically assess those works within respective century and can connect with the structure and development of literature during that period.
- 12. To demonstrates advance knowledge of the critical discourses like class, sexuality, gender and alike.

- 13. To evaluate the fictional representation of socially relevant issues with an intention of social reformation.
- 14. To apply advanced knowledge of linguistics and insight into linguistic issues and debates about language and its use.
- 15. To contribute to new thinking and innovation processes regarding languages and literary issues in a multilingual and multicultural society.
- 16. To differentiate and examine literary genre and movements that defines the periods and influences the structures and style of literary narratives to understand the relationship of genre and movement with the structure of the text.
- 17. To master the key writers: poets, playwrights, novelists and short story writers.

Course Outcomes of every course in M. A. Program are mapped to POs considering following;

- 1. Value = Addressing to Zero Degree
- 2. Value = Addressing to Low Degree
- 3. Value = Addressing to Medium Degree
- 4. Value = Addressing to High Degree