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Declaration on Same Pass or Fail Criteria

This is to certify that all the programmes offered under the **Open and Distance Education Mode** by the **MATS University, Raipur**, follows the same **Pass or Fail Criteria** as prescribed for the **Conventional (Regular) Mode**.

The minimum passing marks, grading system, internal and external assessment components, and overall evaluation standards are identical in both modes. These are governed by the **Examination and Evaluation Ordinance** of the University applicable to all programmes, irrespective of the mode of delivery.

This parity ensures consistency in academic standards and is maintained in accordance with the **UGC (Open and Distance Learning Programme and Online Programme) Regulations, 2020**.

##As per the MATS University's Ordinance – 144 (Gazetted on 03rd September, 2024), the details of the Examination, Evaluation and Assessment components as follows:

Point No. 26: Examination and Evaluation

Evaluation shall be based on continuous assessment, in which sessional work and the terminal examination shall contribute to the final grade. Sessional work shall consist of class tests, mid-semester examination(s), homework assignments, etc., as determined by the faculty in charge of the courses of study. Progress towards achievement of learning outcomes shall be assessed using the following: time-constrained examinations; closed-book and open-book tests; problem-based assignments; practical assignment laboratory reports; observation of practical skills; individual project reports (case-study reports); team project reports; oral presentations, including seminar presentation; viva voce interviews; computerized adaptive assessment, examination on demand, modular certifications, etc.

26.1 The academic performance of a candidate shall be evaluated in respect of the courses of study prescribed for each semester through the evaluation. The evaluation of students admitted in the programme shall be based on

26.1.1 End Semester Examinations - 70% marks of total marks and

26.1.2 Continuous Internal Assessment - 30% of total marks



- 26.2** The End Semester examinations shall be held as per the academic calendar notified by the University and the duration of end semester examination shall be of three or two hours.
- 26.3** The minimum percentage of marks to pass the programme in each semester shall be 40% in each course comprising of end semester examinations and continuous evaluation.

Point No. 29: Letter Grades and Grade Points

The University may also mention marks obtained in each course and a weighted average of marks based on marks obtained in all the semesters taken together for the benefit of students.

Table-3: Grading System

Letter Grade	Grade Points	Description	Range of Marks (%)
O	10	Outstanding	>90 to ≤100
A+	9	Excellent	>80 to ≤90
A	8	Very Good	>70 to ≤80
B+	7	Good	>60 to ≤70
B	6	Above Average	>50 to ≤60
C	5	Average	>40 to ≤50
P	4	Pass	=40
F	0	Fail	<40
Ab	0	Absent	Absent

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