

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA

Notification No. CSR/02/18

It is hereby notified for the information of all concerned that in terms of the provisions of the Calcutta University Act, 1979 (as amended), the Syndicate in its meeting held on 26.03.2018 (vide Item No.13) approved certain amendments to some clauses of the existing Regulations relating to Examinations for the B.A./B.Sc. (Hons./ Genl./Major) and B.Mus. (Hons./Genl.) courses of studies under 1+1+1 system of Examinations, (as notified earlier vide this University Notification Nos.CSR/54/09, dt. 24.11.2009 and amendments thereof).

The above shall take effect from the academic session 2016-2017 and onwards.

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(Dr. Santanu Paul)
Deputy Registrar

Amendments:

Clauses No. 30

A candidate who has prosecuted a regular course of study for three-year degree course shall have to clear all the Part-I, II and III examinations in all respect within a span of five years from the year of admission/re-admission to the particular course and combination under this regulations, failing of which he/she shall have to leave the course.

A candidate who has prosecuted a regular course of study for the first year of the three year course shall have to appear at the Part-I examination within two years from the year of admission to the course failing of which he/she shall have to prosecute a fresh course of study from the first year provided however that such candidate shall not be entitled to seek such readmission to the first year class beyond five years of his/her passing the previous qualifying examination.

Note: i) A candidate shall not be entitled to seek fresh admission in the same course and subject combination (subjects other than Compulsory Language Group) more than once.

However, a candidate failing to appear at the Part-I examination within two years from the year of first admission to the course and subject combination may take fresh admission to the same course and subject combination again provided that he/she shall be entitled to only one chance for such fresh admission provided however that such candidate shall not be entitled to seek such readmission to the first year class beyond five years of his/her passing the previous qualifying examination.

Note: ii) A candidate, after successful completion of a three-year degree course (B.A., B.Sc., B.Com. and B.Mus.), shall not be entitled to seek admission in any of the said courses of this University again.

Clauses No. 31 is deleted

Clauses No. 32:

a) Criteria for General Course students to continue in the 2nd year class:

A candidate shall have to secure pass marks in at least one elective subject (i.e., subject other than Language Group) at the Part-I Examination in order to be eligible to continue in the second year class and to appear at Part-II Examination along with the Part-I Examination in the failed subject(s) if any in subsequent years, otherwise he/ she shall be required to withdraw from the second year class and appear at the subsequent Part-I Examination(s) as a whole only and not along with Part-II Examination subject to Clause 30.

(c) (iv)

Criteria for Part- I Honours Improvement:

An Honours course candidate eligible for continuing in the second year class in Honours course may reappear in all the Honours papers of Part-I examination in the immediate following year only along with the failed subject(s), if any, at Part-I examination provided he/she withdraws himself/herself from the second year class and does not appear at the Part-II Examination in the same year. In such cases of reappearance, better status of result will be credited but in case the status of result remains unaltered the higher aggregate marks will be credited.

Clauses No. 33

A candidate qualifying in Part – II Examinations Shall be eligible to continue in the 3rd year class and shall appear at the Part-III examination within the stipulated period.

b) Criteria for Honours course students to continue in the third year class:

A candidate shall have to secure qualifying marks in the Honours subject at the Part-II examination in order to be eligible to continue in the third year class in Honours course and to appear at the Part-III examination along with Part-I and/or Part-II examination(s) in the failed subject(s), if any, in subsequent year/s.

(d)Criteria for Part-II Honours Improvement:

An Honours course candidate eligible for continuing in the third year class in Honours course may reappear in all the Honours papers of Part-II examination in the immediate following year only along with Part-I and/or Part-II examination(s) in the failed subject(s), if any, provided he/she withdraws himself/herself from the third year class and does not appear at the Part-III Examination in the same year. In such cases of reappearance, better status of result will be credited but in case the status of result remains unaltered the higher aggregate marks will be credited.

(e)

A candidate failing to obtain 30% marks in the aggregate or in the theoretical portion or in the practical portion (wherever applicable) of Honours subject but passing in at least one of the elective subjects at the Part-II examination shall withdraw from the third year class and shall appear at the Part-II examination in the Honours subject along with Part-I/Part-II examination in the failed subject(s), if any.

Such candidates may continue in the third year class in General course and shall appear at the Part-III General examination along with Part-II examination in the General subject corresponding to his/her Honours subject in subsequent year/s <u>along with Part-I/Part-II examination in the failed elective subject(s)</u>, if any.

Clause 33.(f): is deleted.

Clauses No. 34 (a)

The following are the minimum pass/ qualifying marks to be secured by a candidate in order to qualify in Part-I/Part-II Examination in the different subject(s).

a) For Language Group candidates have to appear in the examination and have to secure Grade A/B/C in both MIL/Alternative English and Compulsory English where Grade C stands up to 30% marks, Grade B stands up to 60% but above 30% marks and Grade A stands for above 60% marks.

A candidate failing <u>to appear</u> in either Compulsory English or MIL/Alternative English or both must appear in **both** examinations in subsequent year/s.

Marks/Grades secured in Compulsory Language Group shall not be taken into account for the purpose of calculation of aggregate marks in determining division/class

In case a candidate enrolls, appears and obtains grades A/B/C in both the subjects under Compulsory Language Group, that grade shall remain in his/her credit for the stipulated period available for completion of the course.

Note:- A candidate once appearing Compulsory Language Group cannot reappear in the same.

Clauses No. 39

- a) An Honours course candidate shall have the option to switch over to General course in the 1st/2nd/3rd year classes. Such a candidate shall have to appear at the Part-I/Part-II/Part-III Examination(s) within the stipulated period for completion of the course. Such candidate, after switching over to General course and appearing at the General examination, cannot switch back to Honours course again.
- b) For an Honours course candidate **switched or converted** to the General course at the Part-II or Part-III Examination, marks secured in the Honours subject shall be treated as marks of the corresponding elective subject in General course.
- c) A candidate of Honours/General/Major course cannot reappear for improvement in any General/Major subject of Part-I/II/III examination in which marks have already been retained in his/her credit.

Clauses No. 42

A candidate appearing at the Part-I or II or III (Honours/General/Major) examination may apply to the Controller of Examinations through the Principal of his/her College/Institution concerned for cancellation of the examination within 30 (thirty) University working days from his/her completion of theoretical examination provided, however, that such option for cancellation of examination once exercised cannot be revoked.

Such candidate shall have to complete the course within the stipulated period and he/she shall not be entitled to appear at an examination beyond the stipulated period on the ground of losing a year.