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Ref No: MAKAUT/REG/NOTICE/106/2026/082

Date: 25-03-2026

NOTIFICATION

In pursuance of the provisions contained in the University Grants Commission Gazette Notification No. F. No. 1-3/2021/QIP/Multiple Entry-Exit dated 26.03.2025, relating to the UGC (Minimum Standards of Instruction for the Grant of Undergraduate Degree and Postgraduate Degree) Regulations, 2025, and in alignment with the following:

- I. Letter No. 266(31)-Edn(U)-EH/1U-45/2020(Pt.) dated 17.03.2023 of the Assistant Secretary, Department of Higher Education, University Branch, Government of West Bengal with the subject 'Implementation of new Curriculum and Credit Framework for Undergraduate Programmes in all the Higher Educational Institutions of this State from the forthcoming academic session...reg' attaching UGC D.O. No. 1-1/2021(QIP)(CBCS) dated 31.01.2023 regarding Curriculum and Credit Framework for Undergraduate Programmes;
- II. UGC Public Notice vide F. No. 2-3/2022(QIP) dated 07.08.2024 regarding Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) for operationalization of the National Credit Framework (NCrF) in Higher Education;
- III. West Bengal State Education Policy, 2023; and
- IV. Recommendations of the Committee constituted by the University vide Notice No. MAKAUT/RE/Notice/06/2026/47 dated 21.01.2026. The committee, in its meeting held on 24.02.2026, after detailed deliberations, recommended adoption of the Multiple Entry-Exit Framework in accordance with Clause 11 of the aforesaid UGC Regulations, keeping in view the State Education Policy, 2023 and institutional preparedness.

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It is hereby notified that the Multiple Entry–Exit Framework in its Academic Programmes will be implemented by the University in a structured and phased manner, as detailed hereunder:

1. Undergraduate Programmes (Non-AICTE Courses)

(Including BBA, BCA and allied specializations)

The **Multiple Entry–Exit Framework** in alignment with Clause 11 of the UGC Regulations, 2025, is implemented as:

- Exit after successful completion of three (3) years and awarding of an Undergraduate Degree;
- Exit after successful completion of four (4) years and awarding of an Undergraduate Degree with Honours / Honours with Research, as applicable.

All such provisions will be governed by:

- Prescribed credit requirements;
- Academic Bank of Credits (ABC); and
- National Credit Framework (NCrF) as notified by UGC from time to time.

2. Postgraduate Programmes (Non-AICTE Courses)

(Including MBA, MCA and allied specializations)

The University is going to implement, in toto, the provisions of Clause 11.5 of the UGC Gazette Notification dated 26.03.2025.

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The certification structure, entry–exit provisions, and academic pathways will be strictly adhered to UGC norms and prescribed credit frameworks.

3. Regulatory Compliance

It is noted that Clause 13 of the UGC Regulations provides consequences in case of non-compliance, including action under Sections 2(f) and 12(B) of the UGC Act, 1956.

Accordingly, this Notification ensures full alignment with the regulatory framework while facilitating academic flexibility, mobility, and multidisciplinary learning.

4. General Provisions

The framework will be implemented in a phased manner, considering institutional capacity and preparedness.

5. Exception

However, the Multiple Entry–Exit framework of the Academic Programmes, as stated hereinabove, will not be applicable to the following courses:

- (i) B.Sc. (Behavioral Science & Applied Psychology)
- (ii) B.Sc. (Physiotherapy Management & Healthcare Science)
- (iii) B.Sc. in Radiology & Imaging Technology
- (iv) B.Sc. (Dietetics and Nutrition)
- (v) M.Sc. (Dietetics and Nutrition)

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(vi) B.Optom (Bachelor of Optometry)

(vii) Master of Optometry (M.OPTOM)

These courses are under the purview of the National Commission for Allied and Healthcare Professions (NCAHP). The nomenclature of the aforesaid seven (07) courses shall be revised in accordance with the guidelines of the National Commission for Allied and Healthcare Professions (NCAHP) in due course by the University.

This Notification shall come into force with immediate effect (for the students admitted in the academic year 2023-2024 and after wards) and shall apply to such academic programmes as may be notified by the University from time to time.

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Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:

1. The Additional Chief Secretary, Department of Higher Education, University Branch, Government of West Bengal — This has reference to Letter No. MAKAUT/25-9087 dated 09.03.2026 seeking views of the Higher Education Department, Government of West Bengal, if any, regarding implementation of UGC's Multiple Exit Policy in the undergraduate curricular framework for non-technical courses with respect to MAKAUT.

2. The Director of Technical Education, Government of West Bengal— This has reference to the email dated 06.03.2026 at 03:39 PM seeking advice as to whether the University will proceed to notify the Multiple Entry–Exit framework of the Academic Programmes.

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