# University of Mumbai



No. AAMS(UG)/14-of 2021-22 MUMBAI – 400 032 Date: 18 October, 2021

To.
The Head,
Department of German,
University of Mumbai,
Ranade Bhavan, First Floor,
Kalina, Santacruz (E),
Mumbai – 400 098.

Madam,

Please refer to this circular No. UG/2019-20/98, dated 28<sup>th</sup> August, 2019 relating to the revised syllabus of Diploma Course in German (A2+B1.1 Level).

Further you are hereby informed that the recommendations made by the Ad-hoc Board of Studies in German at its online meeting held on 22<sup>nd</sup> May, 2021 <u>vide</u> Item No. 1(i) and subsequently passed by the Board of Deans at its meeting held on 11<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 <u>vide</u> item No. 5.15 (R) have been accepted by the Academic Council at its meeting held on 29<sup>th</sup> June, 2021 <u>vide</u> item No. 5.15 (R) and that in accordance therewith, the revised syllabus of Diploma in German (Level A2) to bring it on par with the Level A2 of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) has been brought into force with effect from the academic year 2021-22 accordingly. (The same is available on the University's website <u>www.mu.ac.in</u>).

MUMBAI – 400 032 18th October, 2021

To

(Sudhir S. Puranik) REGISTRAR

The Principals of the Affiliated Colleges and Directors of the Recognized Institutions in Faculty of Humanities.

# A.C/5.15 (R) 29/06/2021

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Copy forwarded with Compliments for information to:-

- 1) The Dean, Faculty of Humanities,
- 2) The Chairman, Ad-hoc Board of Studies in German,
- 3) The Director, Board of Examinations and Evaluation,
- 4) The Director, Board of Students Development,
- 5) The Co-ordinator, University Computerization Centre,

(Sudhir S. Puranik) REGISTRAR

#### Copy to :-

- 1. The Deputy Registrar, Academic Authorities Meetings and Services (AAMS),
- 2. The Deputy Registrar, College Affiliations & Development Department (CAD),
- 3. The Deputy Registrar, (Admissions, Enrolment, Eligibility and Migration Department (AEM),
- 4. The Deputy Registrar, Research Administration & Promotion Cell (RAPC),
- 5. The Deputy Registrar, Executive Authorities Section (EA),
- 6. The Deputy Registrar, PRO, Fort, (Publication Section),
- 7. The Deputy Registrar, (Special Cell),
- 8. The Deputy Registrar, Fort/ Vidyanagari Administration Department (FAD) (VAD), Record Section,
- 9. The Director, Institute of Distance and Open Learning (IDOL Admin), Vidyanagari,

They are requested to treat this as action taken report on the concerned resolution adopted by the Academic Council referred to in the above circular and that on separate Action Taken Report will be sent in this connection.

- 1. P.A to Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor,
- 2. P.A Pro-Vice-Chancellor,
- 3. P.A to Registrar,
- 4. All Deans of all Faculties,
- 5. P.A to Finance & Account Officers, (F.& A.O),
- 6. P.A to Director, Board of Examinations and Evaluation,
- 7. P.A to Director, Innovation, Incubation and Linkages,
- 8. P.A to Director, Board of Lifelong Learning and Extension (BLLE),
- 9. The Director, Dept. of Information and Communication Technology (DICT) (CCF & UCC), Vidyanagari,
- 10. The Director of Board of Student Development,
- 11. The Director, Department of Students Walfare (DSD),
- 12. All Deputy Registrar, Examination House,
- 13. The Deputy Registrars, Finance & Accounts Section,
- 14. The Assistant Registrar, Administrative sub-Campus Thane,
- 15. The Assistant Registrar, School of Engg. & Applied Sciences, Kalyan,
- 16. The Assistant Registrar, Ratnagiri sub-centre, Ratnagiri,
- 17. The Assistant Registrar, Constituent Colleges Unit,
- 18. BUCTU,
- 19. The Receptionist,
- 20. The Telephone Operator,
- 21. The Secretary MUASA

for information.

# **UNIVERSITY OF MUMBAI**



Revised Syllabus for the Diploma in German (Level A2)

( with effect from academic year 2021-2022)

### **UNIVERSITY OF MUMBAI**



## **Syllabus for Approval**

Sr. No.	Heading	Particulars	
1	Title of the Course	Diploma in German (Level A2)	
2	Eligibility for Admission	Candidates passed in SSC <b>OR</b> any other equivalent X Standard Exam (ICSE, CBSE, IB) recognized by the University of Mumbai + Certificate in German / A1 of Goethe Institute	
3	Passing Marks	50%	
4	Ordinances/ Regulations (if any)	-	
5	No. of Years / Semesters	1 year	
6	Level	U.G.	
7	Pattern	Annual	
8	Status	Revised	
9	To be implemented from Academic Year	From Academic Year 2021-22	

Date:	Signature:	Vibla	Swem	
Name of BOS Chairperson/ Dean: _				

# DIPLOMA IN GERMAN (Level A2) CREDITS: 6

The Diploma level of German as a Foreign language offered by the University of Mumbai is at par with the A 2 level of Common European Framework of Reference for Languages and is internationally recognized.

#### Level A2: The student:

Can understand sentences and frequently used expressions related to areas of most immediate relevance (e.g. very basic personal and family information, shopping, local geography, employment). Can communicate in simple and routine tasks requiring a simple and direct exchange of information on familiar and routine matters. Can describe in simple terms aspects of his/her background, immediate environment and matters in areas of immediate need.

The Diploma Course consists of two papers 0f 100 marks each and an oral exam of 50 marks.

**Paper I: Writing Skills** will be dealing with A 2 level. Its aim will be to strengthen the structural knowledge of German, develop writing skills and to lead the students to higher level of written expression in German language and comprehension of difficult texts.

#### **Prescribed Texts:**

- Dengler, Stefanie, u.a.: Netzwerk A2. Deutsch als Fremdsprache. Kursbuch und Arbeitsbuch. München / Delhi: Klett Langenscheidt / Goyal Saab 2015

Additional Material to be compiled by the teacher

Paper II: Reading & Listening Skills will enhance the reading and listening skills and topics like physical features of German speaking countries, festivals, religions, social life, sports and leisure, education system. Appropriate comprehension and structural exercises shall be given to facilitate the interpretation of German texts. Culture specific problems of understanding literature shall be discussed. Two or more literary/cultural texts may be included.

Orals: Speaking Skills (50 marks)

#### **Prescribed Texts:**

- Dengler, Stefanie, u.a.: Netzwerk A2. Deutsch als Fremdsprache. Kursbuch und Arbeitsbuch. München / Delhi: Klett Langenscheidt / Goyal Saab 2015

Additional material to be compiled & provided by the teacher. EXAM (A2)

Pattern for Paper I and Paper II as per A 2 level

Patter for Orals: Speaking skills: 30 + viva 20 (at the end of the course) = 50 marks

External Candidates with equivalent prerequisite competence shall be permitted to appear for the Diploma in German by paying an exam fees of Rs. 3000/-, only if the final exam takes place.

The University Department of German may hold this exam or a part of it in collaboration with an internationally recognized body and due exam fees may be collected by the department as per the understanding with the international organization so that the students may avail of an internationally recognized certification in addition to the Diploma Certificate for benefit of the students.

The marksheet/ grade-sheet must mention the Level A2 and 6 Credits.

This course shall be offered online/ offline from the academic year 2021-22.