

End Semester Exams for Indian Knowledge System and The Constitution of India VEC Course [SEMESTER 1]

Dear First-Year Students,

We hope this note finds you well and enjoying the new semester.

It is time to complete your pending End Semester Exams (belonging to semester I) in the upcoming 'CIA1 week' from 16th December to 22nd December 2023 in **Indian Knowledge System (IKS)** and **The Constitution of India course**.

Here are the important details:

1. Course Information:

- **Indian Knowledge System (IKS):** This course delves into the timeless wisdom of India, weaving together ancient insights with scientific pursuit. From mathematics and astronomy to holistic understandings captured in the Upanishads, IKS illuminates the path to enlightenment.
- **Constitution of India:** Explore the foundational principles and legal framework that shape our nation. Understand the rights, duties, and responsibilities enshrined in our Constitution.

The syllabi for both courses are uploaded on the college website.

2. Exam Dates and Duration:

- The exact exam schedule will be declared by the Exam Center at the latest by **2nd December 2023** on the College Website. The exam for IKS will be for 20 marks and students will attempt 2 questions of 10 marks each out of 4 questions with a time duration of 45 minutes.

The topics on which you will be assessed for the IKS course are as follows:

1. The lecture of Dr. Abhilasha on Chemistry of Ancient India
 2. Dr. Vijaya's lecture on BOTANY
 3. Prof. Akshara Jadhav's lecture on Bhakti
 4. Dr Father Arun's lecture on Caste
 5. Dr. Meenal's lecture on Math (2 sessions)
 6. Dr. Radhika's lecture on Indigenous culture
 7. Dr. Radha's lecture on Varnashrama
 8. Dr. Radha's lecture on PURUSHARTHA
 9. Dr. Radha's Lecture on ARTHASHASTRA
 10. Prof. Shivam's lecture on the Explorations and Excavations
 11. Master Class by Dr. Mayank Vahia
- The Col exam will be for 25 marks and the duration of the COI paper will be 1 hour. **The Col end semester exam is only for students who offered the Col course as a Value Education Course in the previous semester (semester 1).**

3. Preparation:

- Revise your course materials/ videos on the college ERP portal (Qual Campus Portal), attend review sessions, and clarify any doubts with the course instructors, Dr. Radha Kumar for IKS and Dr. Pratiba Naitthani for the Col course.
- Dr. Pratiba Naitthani and Dr. Radha Kumar will conduct a zoom session with you all in the first week of December to discuss the

paper pattern and doubts. The schedule for the same will be announced by the end of this week.

- In case of problems in using the portal for video lectures, please contact, helpdesk@xaviers.edu
- Ensure you have a thorough understanding of the topics covered before attempting the exams. The marks from these courses contribute to your CGPA.

4. More information on the CIA Week:

In the CIA week all the students will be attempting CIAs of 2 core courses (20 marks each) and the ESE of IKS. Those students who offered Col in the previous semester (not in this semester) will be attempting ESE examinations of Col too. There will be no lectures scheduled between 16th December and 22nd December 2023.

Remember, these exams are an opportunity to showcase your understanding and apply the concepts you've learned. We wish you the best of luck!

For any queries or assistance, feel free to reach out to your course instructors or Vice Principal Academics (vp.academics@xaviers.edu)

IKS Re-test/ Re-CIA for students who faced technical glitch

For those who missed the IKS CIA -1 or CIA -2 that were conducted online there will be an online re-test on Saturday, 2nd December 2023 from 4 pm to 4 15 pm. In case of problems in using the portal for test, please contact, helpdesk@xaviers.edu Please use a computer/ laptop to attempt the test. In case you wish to use a computer in the college for the same you are free to do so with prior intimation at helpdesk@xaviers.edu

Warm regards,

Principal

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