



OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL

GOVERNMENT AUTONOMOUS COLLEGE, ANGUL, ODISHA-759143

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ACADEMIC POLICY

Government College (Autonomous), Angul is a premier Institute for higher education in Central Odisha. The foundation stone of the College was laid by Dr. H. K Mahatab, the then Chief Minister of Odisha on 25th December 1957. But it started functioning in the right earnest with 64 students in the 1st year I. Sc. Class from 1st July 1958; the college has steadily grown up to more than 4138 at present.

This HEI was initially known as Science College, Angul in and afterwards it came to be known as Government Autonomous College, Angul. In 2008 this Institution celebrated its Golden Jubilee year.

PROGRAMMES OFFERED IN THIS HEI:

SI.No	PROGRAMME NAME	SANCTIONED STRENGTH
01	B.A. Economics	48
02	B.A. Education	32
03	B.A. English	16
04	B.A. Geography	16
05	B.A. Hindi	32
06	B.A. History	48
07	B.A. Mathematics	08
08	B.A. Odia	32
09	B.A. Philosophy	20
10	B.A. Political Science	48
11	B.A. Sanskrit	20
12	B.A. Sociology	32



13	B.Sc. Botany	60
14	B.Sc. Chemistry	60
15	B.Sc. Computer Science	60
16	B.Sc. Geology	32
17	B.Sc. Mathematics	38
18	B.Sc. Physics	60
19	B.Sc. Zoology	60
20	B.Com	192
P.G PROGRAMMES		
01	M.A. Economics	16
02	M.A. Education	32
03	M.A. English	16
04	M.A. History	32
05	M.A. Odia	32
06	M.A. Political Science	32
07	M.A. Sociology	32
08	M.A. Sanskrit	16
09	M.Sc. Botany	16
10	M.Sc. Chemistry	16
11	M.Sc. Computer Science	16
12	M.Sc. Mathematics	16
13	M.Sc. Physics	16
14	M.Sc. Zoology	16
15	M.Com	32
16	IMBA	60
17	MCOM(F&C)	60
18	M.A. (Geography)	16
19	M.A. (Philosophy)	16



AFFILIATION OF PROGRAMMES:

Government Autonomous College, Angul has been affiliated to Utkal University, Bhubaneswar..

AFFILIATION STATUS:

Permanent Affiliation: Granted to programmes like B.A.in History, Pol. Science, Economics, Geography, Mathematics (Arts), English, Odia, Sanskrit, Philosophy, Education, Sociology; B. Sc. In Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics (Science), Botany, Zoology, Computer Science; and B. Com; P.G. programmes like Pol. Science, Odia, Economics, Physics and Zoology.

Temporary Affiliation: B.A. programmes in Hindi; B.Sc. in Geology; P.G programmes in Education, English, History, Sociology, Sanskrit, Botany, Chemistry, Computer Science, Mathematics, M. Com, Geography, Philosophy, I MBA, and MCom (F&C).

DEGREE AWARDING PROCESS

UG students complete their Programs after six semesters and PG students complete their Programs after four semesters. IMBA program is completed in ten semesters. Each student gets an individual Semester Grade Point Assessment (SGPA) after the result of each semester is declared and a Cumulative Grade Point Assessment (CGPA) taking all into account. The Results are passed by the Conducting Board of the College and Approved by the University. All the degrees are awarded by the affiliating Utkal University.

INFRASTRUCTURE FACILITIES:

- The College has a total landed area 40 Acres.
- Number of Class rooms- 47
- Number of Smart Class Rooms-04
- Number of Laboratory-cum-Classrooms- 25
- Number of Auditorium-01 (300 Seating Capacity)
- Number of Open Pandal-01
- Number of Gym-01
- Number of Canteen-01



- Number of Guest House-01
- Number of Sports Field-01
- Number of Basketball Court-01
- Number of Volleyball Court-01
- Number of Toilets- Boys-08; Girls-09; Staff-06
- Number of Lecture Gallery- 02

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES:

- Angul being an industrial hub, many Maharatna, Nabaratnas and Miniratna industries create employment opportunities for our students.
- Students are sent to different industries like Jindal, Nalco and MCL for internship.
- Campus Placement Cell organises programmes to create awareness about job opportunities.
- Campus Placement Drives are organised by Industrial houses from time to time.

SKILL DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES:

Govt. Auto. College, Angul emphasizes on Providing Opportunity for Skill Development of students in many different ways:

- In the field of Sports the College has Physical Education Teacher, one Gymnasium and one Playground.
- The college conducts various cultural events like Song, Drama, folk dance, Odishi dance, debate competitions to enhance the skill of the students.
- In the field of Science the College conducts rigorous Practical classes including designing of Projects, Workshops and Seminars to help students excel their skill and working experience.

LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT:

The college is a hub for future leadership development in providing ample opportunities for students in:



- Conducting Leadership Development Programs (LDP) in the form of NCC, NSS, Youth Red Cross and Rovers & Rangers activities etc.
- At grassroot level Seminar Secretaries are selected in each UG and PG Department in each session.
- Different Societies are formed for students' welfare like Athletics, Drama, SSG, SAF, Cultural Society, DSA etc where students with leadership quality are nominated to discharge their responsibility under the guidance of the concerned Vice-Presidents.
- Selected Students are nominated to Youth Festivals in different Inter-college, Inter-district, Inter-state and National events on different occasions.

CHALLENGES:

- Successful implementation of NEP 2020 with limited human resource and infrastructure.
- Carrying out research activities.

FUTURE PLANNING:

- Opening PhD Programmes.
- Establishment Research Laboratories In Science Stream
- Effective Placement efforts.
- Modernization of College Library.

ACADEMIC SUPPORT FACILITIES AVAILABLE

I-CARD:

Photo Identity Cards are issued to all admitted students at the time of enrolment. The cardholder must keep it with him/her during the college hour, examination and all activities in the HEI and is required to produce the same when required. There is a provision of issue of duplicate identity card on payment of prescribed fee subject to satisfactory explanation for the loss or damage.



ACADEMIC CALENDAR

The academic calendar is supplied by Department of Higher Education, Govt. of Odisha in the beginning every academic session. All the academic activities of this HEI run in strict adherence to the academic calendar.

TIMETABLE

- Timetable for all programmes is published one week prior to the commencement of classes.
- Timetable is prepared by the Officer-in-Charge of Timetable.
- Timetable is provided to all students before the commencement of classes.
- HoDs of all departments prepare their respective departmental timetables reflecting distribution of classes among all faculty members.

CLASS TIMINGS

The institution follows a schedule for 6-day week (Monday to Saturday). Classes commence by 8.30 AM and ends at 4.45 PM.

STUDENTS' ATTENDANCE

Faculty members record students' attendance in every class.

LIBRARY USAGE

Faculty and students shall utilize the facilities of the main library as well as Department libraries for their academic work. The faculty and students are also encouraged to use **digital library** facilities.

REMEDIAL CLASS

Every week remedial classes shall be arranged for academically weak students.

SEMINAR/ PROJECT

Students are encouraged to present seminars from 1st semester itself on selected topics. Direct them to select seminar topics, mini projects and final year projects based on different aspects



of a unique/ state of the art problem. For curriculum seminar students are directed to select seminar topics from peer reviewed journals. Students are encouraged to take up quality Projects leading to publication of paper(s) in conferences/journals. Poster presentation of final year UG projects and selection of Best UG project for all the branches shall be done. PG thesis final internal evaluation shall be conducted as per regulations. All the publications are to follow the standards including avoiding plagiarism and adhering to ethical principles.

Faculty Research and Publications: Faculty shall be given appreciation for publications in peer reviewed journals, funded projects and research collaborations.

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMES /QIP

It is highly desirable that faculty members shall attend at least one FDP conducted in

HRDC of Utkal University or equivalent national level institutions. Faculty members are encouraged to conduct in-house Faculty Development Programmes. Faculty shall avail QIP facility to acquire PhD following Government norms.

SUPPORTING ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

Sl. No.	Sl. No. Action/initiatives Responsibility
1	Each department/faculty will be given targets for research funding/research publication and upon research collaborations/MOUs with industries and research organizations as decided by the Research Council
2	Evaluation of faculty by students/HODs by faculty/Head of the Institution by faculty (at least once in every semester)
3	Faculty members will be deputed for FDPs in HRDC of Utkal University or equivalent national level institutions only (except in most emergency situations by Principal). At least one-week FDP programme from such institutions is compulsory in a year.
4	Students' programmes should be accommodated in the evenings/weekends without affecting the normal working hours except in most emergency situations



5	Question banks for all subjects should be made available along with the Lesson Plan/ Lecture Schedule at the beginning of the semester.
6	Active participation of Advisors in mentoring and motivation is to be ensured by conducting weekly meetings. Advisors and faculty should also take extra efforts in moulding the students as responsible citizens.
7	Encourage the students to do quality projects leading to publication of paper(s) in conferences/journals.
8	Initiate Seminar topics from lower semester itself without making the students select it during semester breaks. Direct them to select seminar topics, mini projects and final year projects based on different aspects of a unique problem.
9	Encourage students for online courses
10	Encourage and Monitor the peer group study mechanism

This HEI strives to achieve academic excellence in adherence to the policy enumerated above.

Asabulla Chandan Rout
13/07/24
ACADEMIC BURSAR

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