Minutes of the meeting of Board of Studies in Logic and Philosophy, first meet for academic year 2020-2021

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Agenda:How to improve the online blended teaching technique in this pandemic.

Suggestions offered by the members:

- 1. For the subject of Logic, google classroom can provide ample opportunity of giving problems on the spot and asking students to solve them at the same time. So, testing and evaluation can be done in the same lecture. Other things remain same as using digital board etc. (For all papers from FY to TY video clips related to the subject, PPT, online articles and material to be displayed, e-books etc.)
- 2. If students have network issue, then audio recording/clips can be very handy and whenever possible students can hear and gain knowledge of the subject or whatever they missed.
- 3. If externals or expert speakers are invited time and again, will break the monotony of regular lectures and new vistas and perspectives related to the subject can be an asset to students.
- 4. Different innovative programmes can be arranged like quiz, short skits, quote explanation etc. This will enhance students' potentials.
- 5. Let there be more participation from students in online lectures so they feel affiliated to the subject and classroom.
- 6. Can start preparing changes in syllabus for fourth year of autonomy next year.

And other related matters.

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