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# Ramniranjan Jhunjhunwala College

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#### THE PREAMBLE

## Why Mathematics?

Mathematics is the language of all Science, Engineering, and Technology. Mathematics is considered the queen of sciences. Without Mathematics, there can be neither science nor engineering. Mathematics occupies a crucial and unique role in human societies and represents a strategic key in the development of the whole of mankind. Mathematics is around us. It is present in different forms; the list is just endless if one goes on to note down the situations when our computational skill or more specifically, simple mathematics comes to play a role, almost every next moment we do the simple calculations at the back of our mind. Of course, these are all done pretty unconsciously without a thought being spared for the use of mathematics on all such occasions. Mathematics helps the man to give exact interpretation to his ideas and conclusions. It is the numerical and calculation part of man's life and knowledge. It plays a predominant role in our everyday life and it has become an indispensable factor for the progress of our present-day world. Further, In modern times, the adoption of mathematical methods in the social, medical and physical sciences has expanded rapidly, confirming mathematics as an indispensable part of undergraduate curricula and creating a great demand for mathematical training. Much of the demand stems directly from the need for mathematical modeling of phenomena. Such modeling is basic to all engineering, plays a vital role in all physical sciences and contributes significantly to the biological sciences, medicine, psychology, economics and commerce. The numerous applications of the subject in almost every field makes mathematics the most versatile subject choice.

## Why Mathematics at R J College?

The department of Mathematics of R J College is the department as old as the college itself. It started in 1963, the inception year of the college and since then has remained as the centre of academic activities for the subject. With a legacy of more than 6 decades, today the department offers undergraduate programs in the subject of mathematics with more than one discipline-specific elective paper and is affiliated to, and recognized by the University of Mumbai. As an applied component in the final year, mathematics students learn computer programming languages like Java, SQL, and python along with system analysis. Series of guest lectures, Problem-solving sessions, lecture-based learning, bridge courses, institute visits etc. motivate students to explore more in terms of applications of the subject. Under autonomy, the department has made the curriculum more robust by incorporating skill-based learning and value-added course that imparts practical knowledge of the subject to the students. Every year the department organizes a seminar competition on the theme 'Applications of Mathematics' in various areas. Department of Mathematics also runs a value-added course in a year and is able to attract

students from other disciplines of science enrolling for these courses. Department of mathematics has received funding from the Department of Biotechnology (DBT), New Delhi to further strengthen our hands in being able to provide hands-on training to the students to satisfy their curiosity and inculcate research aptitude.

### Our Curriculum, Your Strength

The syllabus for mathematics for the total six semesters is meticulously designed so as to make students understand the diversity of subject. From learning elementary calculus and basic algebra, students move on to applied aspects of the subject in terms of Real analysis, multivariable calculus, Complex analysis, abstract algebra. Specialized training in differential equations, numerical methods is a part of the learning process. The teaching staffs of the department of mathematics are highly qualified and are dedicated to their subjects giving a friendly environment for the students. The department always aims to develop skills, ideas and overall progress of the students. Many of our students participate and get awards in various activities like MTTS program, Madhava Mathematics competition and other competitive exams. The environment of the department is very friendly which is useful for the students coming from other colleges also.

### PROGRAM OUTCOMES OF GENERAL UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE PROGRAMS

Students of all undergraduate degree programme at the time of graduation will be benefited will be able to

## **Critical Thinking**

Comprehend the matter they come across and be capable to take a sound viewpoint about things which will highlight their intellectual acumen as well as enable them to look at the world through multiple lenses

## **Effective Communication**

Listen, speak, read and write. They should communicate properly by conveying their thoughts. They will use technology for communication. Will be able to network with people with all available channels. They will be developing communication skills in English, Hindi and a local language would be an added advantage.

#### Social Interaction

Respect each other and should be able to resolve conflicts and help in reaching amicable solution. They should be able to work in diverse teams. They should be able to distinguish when and what is socially acceptable.

#### Responsible Citizen

Contribute to Nation development through social service. Being empathetic and sympathetic to fellow beings.

## Honesty and Integrity, Ethics

Recognize different values and systems and respect them. In decision making moral values should be given prime importance.

## **Environmental and Sustainability**

Environmental issues would be considered and problem solving with sustainable development would be chosen.

#### **Life Long learning**

Enjoy learning in every situation

#### PROGRAMME SPECIFIC OUTCOMES FOR B.SC. MATHEMATICS

- 1. Bachelor's degree in mathematics is the culmination of in-depth knowledge of algebra, calculus, geometry, differential equations and several other branches of mathematics. This also leads to study of related areas like computer science and statistics. Thus, this programme helps learners in building a solid foundation for higher studies in mathematics.
- 2. The skills and knowledge gained has intrinsic beauty, which also leads to proficiency in analytical reasoning. This can be utilised in modelling and solving real life problems.
- 3. Students undergoing this programme learn to logically question assertions, to recognise patterns and to distinguish between essential and irrelevant aspects of problems. They also share ideas and insights while seeking and benefitting from knowledge and insight of others. This helps them to learn behave responsibly in a rapidly changing interdependent society.
- 4. Students completing this programme will be able to present mathematics clearly and precisely, make vague ideas precise by formulating them in the language of mathematics, describe mathematical ideas from multiple perspectives and explain fundamental concepts of mathematics to non-mathematicians.
- 5. Completion of this programme will also enable the learners to join teaching profession in primary and secondary schools.
- 6. This programme will also help students to enhance their employability for government jobs, jobs in banking, insurance and investment sectors, data analyst jobs and jobs in various other public and private enterprises.

## MATHEMATICS CORE COURSE PROGRAMME SPECIFIC OUTCOMES

	First Year Sem-I		First Year Sem-II		Second Year Sem-III		Second Year Sem-IV			Third Year Sem-V				Third Year Sem-VI				
	RJSUMT101	RJSUMAT102	RJSUMAT201	RJSUMAT202	RJSUMAT301	RJSUMAT302	RJSUMAT303	RJSUMAT401	RJSUMAT402	RJSUMAT403	RJSUMAT501	RJSUMAT502	RJSUMAT503	RJSUMAT504	RJSUMAT601	RJSUMAT602	RJSUMAT603	RJSUMAT604
Disciplinary Knowledge	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>
Critical Thinking	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	1	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>
Analytical Thinking	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>
Problem Solving	✓	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	✓	✓	<b>√</b>	✓	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	✓	✓	<b>✓</b>
Self Directed Learning	✓	✓	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	✓	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>√</b>	✓	✓	✓	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	✓	✓	✓	<b>√</b>
Applicational skills	✓	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	✓	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	✓	<b>✓</b>	✓	<b>✓</b>
Research Skills	✓	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	✓	<b>✓</b>	✓	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	✓	<b>✓</b>
Digital Learning	<b>√</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
Information Literacy	✓	✓	✓	<b>√</b>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	<b>√</b>	✓	✓	✓	✓	<b>✓</b>

## TEACHING LEARNING METHODS

The teaching learning method has been designed with student centric focus. The main aim of the teaching pedagogy is to teach domain knowledge to the students. It further aims to develop critical thinking, logical analysis and comprehensive development of the students studying the subject. The teaching learning methods include:

- Classroom teaching: Explaining concepts, theories, methodologies related to the subject
- Blended learning: Use of zoom platform, explainer videos and documentaries
- Knowledge repository: Use of Google classroom, Telegram group
- Group discussion: Online and offline based on topic taught
- Presentations: Online and offline based on the syllabus
- Field visits: based on the syllabus
- Digital learning: Training students with the digital tools and technologies

### ASSESSMENT METHODS

- 1. Two Internals of 20 marks each. Duration 30 min for each.
- 2. One External (Semester End Examination) of 60 marks. Duration: 2 hours.
- 3. Minimum marks for passing the Semester End Examination is 40 %.
- 4. Students must appear for at least one of the two Internal Tests to be eligible for the Semester End Examination.
- 5. For any ATKT examinations, there shall be ODD-ODD/EVEN-EVEN pattern followed.
- 6. HOD's decision, in consultation with the Principal, shall remain final and abiding to all.

## **Evaluation and Assessment**

## Total marks per course - 100

#### CIA-40 marks

CIA 1: Multiple choice questions / Project / Presentation / Assignments / Open book test etc. --20 marks

CIA 2: Multiple choice questions / Project / Presentation / Assignments / Open book test etc. --20 marks