CHRIST (Deemed to be University)

Understanding of India

Course Details and Assessment Guidelines

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Course Overview

According to the National Education Policy (NEP), Understanding of India is a value-added course, mandatory for all undergraduate students in their **second semester**.

- Credits: 1 Credit
- Mode: Online
- Platform: https://mooc.christuniversity.in/
- Login: Use your KP username and password to access the course. Ensure your login credentials are active before the course commencement.

Course Structure

The course is organised into five units, each focusing on key themes of Environmental Studies.
Learning resources include:

- Video lectures
- Lecture notes
- Additional readings and reference materials

CIA 1 will cover Units I and II, while CIA 2 will cover the remaining units.

Assessment Overview

Your performance in this course will be evaluated through Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) components as follows:

Component	Tentative Dates
CIA 1	14th to 21st December, 2026
CIA 2	08th to 12th February, 2027

Total Marks: 50 (CIA 1 – 25 + CIA 2 – 25)

The assessment will be conducted in a computer lab on the Moodle platform. The duration of each CIA would be 30 minutes.

Passing Criteria

- There is no minimum mark requirement for individual CIAs.
- You must secure a minimum of 40% in aggregate (CIA 1 + CIA 2) to pass the course.
- Attendance in both CIAs is mandatory.
    - If you miss one assessment, you will be declared ‘Fail’ irrespective of your other score.
    - In exceptional cases, prior permission from the Office of Examinations is required to attend a repeat exam on an approved date.

Repeat / Failure Clause

Students who fail to achieve the required passing criteria must re-register and retake the course in the subsequent semester as a supplementary exam. The supplementary examination fees would be ₹2500.

Support and Assistance

For any queries or technical issues related to the course or assessment, please contact:

exams@christuniversity.in

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