

PROGRAMME CATALOGUE
(Under LCCS)
BA (Hons) MARATHI (Full Time) - G1307

1. CONTEXT & OBJECTIVES

The Programme is designed to provide in-depth knowledge and competence in the areas of language, literature, and society. It specifically aims to foster creativity, deepen understanding, and cultivate critical appreciation of Marathi literature.

It will prepare students at undergraduate level for specialisation in a number of professions in such sectors as teaching, the services, media and industry.

Competencies and Career Opportunities

The programme caters for those who wish to join the profession sector in the fields of education, teaching,

media & communication, cultural heritage management and archiving, editing and publishing, creative

writing, business purposes and translation.

By the end of the course, learners should be able to:

- Demonstrate advanced abilities in literary and linguistic analysis
- Think critically and independently
- Communicate effectively in both written and spoken Marathi
- Understand Marathi heritage within its cultural and contextual backgrounds
- Develop skills in translation and interpretation
- Apply research methods and produce academic writing in Marathi studies

Level I and II modules cover the fundamentals topics in Marathi language & Literature. They also deal

with general topics on Mauritian studies and Information Technology.

Level III deals with specific modules on selected Marathi Poetry, prose along with a special module on

the History of the Maharashtra and Marathi Culture. The research and projects will give students the opportunity to discover new knowledge and concepts from the programme.

2. LEARNING OUTCOMES

Having successfully completed this programme, learners should be able to:

- acquire an in-depth knowledge of the linguistic concepts and aspects of the origin of the Marathi language.
- describe and explain the structure of Marathi language.
- demonstrate knowledge and comprehension of different literary trends and genres and the ability to analyse, interpret and critically evaluate literary texts.

- demonstrate knowledge about the culture of the Marathi speaking community and their contribution to socio-economic development.
- use communication skills (listening, speaking, reading, writing) effectively in a wide variety of cultural and professional contexts using appropriate terminology and grammar.

3. TEACHING AND LEARNING METHODS

The following methods and strategies will be adopted while teaching and learning this programme:

- Interactive face to face lectures
- Tutorials
- Practicals
- Seminars/Workshops/Conferences
- Research work
- Group work
- Drama
- Recital of poems
- Story Telling
- Exposé
- Extension lecture
- Presentation of Programme at MBC on Radio
- Error analysis and remedial teaching
- Interviews
- Field work/side visits

4. ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- **General Requirements**
 - a. In accordance with regulations 1.4 of the UoM General Entry Requirements for admission on undergraduate Programmes.
- **Programme (Specific) Requirements**
 - b. A Pass in Marathi at 'A' Level.
- **Mature students**
 - c. Mature students in line with regulations 1.7 of the UoM relevant to special cases.

5. PROGRAMME DURATION

Programme	Minimum	Maximum
Degree	3 years	5 years

6. MINIMUM LCCS CREDITS REQUIRED FOR DEGREE AWARD:

- a. For Degree Award – 198 LCCS Credits

Degree	Core Modules	Dissertation	Electives from MGI	Total LCCS Credits
	174	18	6	198

Exit points: (Optional)

A student may exit with a Certificate or a Diploma award, as per rules and regulations of the University of Mauritius, provided s/he satisfies the minimum requirements as given hereunder.

- Minimum Requirements for exit with a Certificate – 60 LCCS credits
- Minimum Requirements for exit with a Diploma – 120 LCCS credits

b. For Each Academic Year

Level of Study	No. of Modules	No. of LCCS Credits
1	7 Modules (5 Core Modules x 12 LCCS Credits) (1 Core Modules x 6 LCCS Credits) (1 Elective Module x 6 LCCS Credits)	72
2	6 Modules (4 Core Modules x 12 LCCS Credits) (2 Core Modules x 6 LCCS Credits)	60
3	4 Modules + Dissertation (4 Core Modules x 12 LCCS Credits) (Dissertation = 18 LCCS Credits)	66
Total	17 Modules + Dissertation	198

7. ASSESSMENT AND DEADLINES

- Each module can be taught yearly throughout the two semesters or in one semester only.
- Each module will be assessed over 100 marks and will be as follows unless otherwise specified:

7.1 Examination: 50% - 60%

Written Examination will count for 50 - 60% marks of the module.

7.2 Continuous Assessment: 40% – 50 %

Assessment will be based on a written examination of 2 to 3-hour duration (normally a paper of 2-hour duration for modules carrying less or equal to 6 LCCS Credits and a 3-hour paper for modules carrying 12 LCCS Credits) and on Continuous Assessment done during the semester or year. The Continuous Assessment will count for 40% – 50 % marks of the module and Written Examination will count for 50% - 60% of the module. Continuous Assessment may be based on seminars, practical work and / or assignments and should include at least one class test.

7.3 Submission Deadline for Dissertation:

Students are required to submit an e-copy of their dissertation to their supervisors through Google Classroom at latest by midnight on the date specified in the Calendar of Activities.

7.4 Dissertation

At the end of year III of the Programme, students should submit a dissertation of length between 8,000 and 12,000 words through research on a topic approved by the Department of Marathi Studies. The dissertation should be carried out under the supervision of an academic staff appointed by the Department. Viva -voce will be conducted after the submission of dissertation.

8. LIST OF MODULES

Code	Module Name	Contact Teaching (hours)	Self-Study (hours)	Other Learning Activities (hours)	LCCS Credits
MART 1001Y(1)	Study and Use of Marathi Language	60	120	180	12
MART 1002Y(1)	History of Marathi Literature	60	120	180	12
MART 1003Y(1)	Marathi Novel	60	120	180	12
MART 1004Y(1)	General Linguistics and Structure of Marathi language	60	120	180	12
ILT 1010e (1)	Digital Literacy	30	60	90	6
ENG1012Y (1)	Developing Language Skills in English	60	120	180	12
MART 2002Y(3)	Literary Appreciation and Criticism	60	120	180	12
MART 2003Y(3)	Marathi Drama	60	120	180	12
MART 2004Y(3)	Theory and Practice of Translation	60	120	180	12
MART 2005Y(3)	Marathi Short Story	60	120	180	12
MST 3123 (3)	Mauritian Studies: Contemporary Issues	30	60	90	6
MART 3001Y(3)	Modern Poetry	60	120	180	12
MART 3002Y(5)	Marathi Prose (Non-Fiction)	60	120	180	12

MART 3003Y (5)	Ancient and Medieval Marathi Poetry	60	120	180	12
MART 3026Y(5)	Overview of History of Maharashtra and Marathi Culture	60	120	180	12
MART 3000Y (5)	Dissertation**				18

TO CHOOSE ELECTIVE(s) OFFERED BY THE OTHER DEPARTMENTS

1 Elective from other departments of the MGI

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Credits

INPH 1131 (1) Main Aspects of Indian Philosophy	6
BFOT 1100 (1) Introduction to Folklore, Folk Culture & Oral Traditions	6
INMU 1220 (1) Introduction to Rhythm	6
INMU 1221 (1) Introduction to Indian Classical Dance	6
INMU 1223 (1) Appreciation of Carnatic Music	6
MST 2124 (1) Mauritian Studies: Aspects of Contemporary History	6

Note:

1. Contact Hours= L=Lectures, T=Tutorials, P#= Practicals
 2. Offering of Electives would be subject to availability of resources and critical mass.
- The Department reserves the right to offer additional Electives.
- ** Viva voce will be conducted after submission of dissertation.

9. Programme Plan: BA (Hons) Marathi (Full Time)

YEAR 1

Module Code	Module Name	Hrs/ Wk L/T/P#	Total Self-Study/Hrs	Other Learning Activities/Hrs	LCCS Credits
MART 1001Y (1)	Study and Use of Marathi Language	60	120	180	12
MART 1002Y (1)	History of Marathi Literature	60	120	180	12
MART 1003Y(1)	Marathi Novel	60	120	180	12

MART 1004Y(1)	General Linguistics and Structure of Marathi Language	60	120	180	12
ILT 1010e (1)	Digital Literacy	30	60	90	6
ENG 1012Y(1)	Developing Language Skills in English	60	120	180	12
	1 Elective from other departments at the MGI	30	60	90	6
Sub Total					72

YEAR 2

Module Code	Module Name	Hrs/Wk L/T/P#	Total Self- Study/Hrs	Other Learning Activities/ Hrs	LCCS Credits
MART 2002Y(3)	Literary Appreciation and Criticism	60	120	180	12
MART 2003Y(3)	Marathi Drama	60	120	180	12
MART 2004Y(3)	Theory and Practice of Translation	60	120	180	12
MART 2005Y(3)	Marathi Short Story	60	120	180	12
MST 2122(3)	Mauritian Studies: Literature and Society	30	60	90	6
MST 3123(3)	Mauritian Studies: Contemporary Issues	30	60	90	6
Sub Total					60

YEAR 3

Module	Module Name	Hrs/Wk	Total	Other	LCCS
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Code		L/T/P#	Self-Study / Hrs	Learning Activities/ Hrs	Credits
MART 3001Y(3)	Modern Poetry	60	120	180	12
MART 3002Y(5)	Marathi Prose (Non-Fiction)	60	120	180	12
MART 3003Y (5)	Ancient and Medieval Marathi Poetry	60	120	180	12
MART 3026Y (5)	Overview of History of Maharashtra and Marathi Culture	60	120	180	12
MART 3000Y (5)	Dissertation**				18
Sub Total					66
Grand Total for LCCS Credits =198					

Note:

1 Modules taught and examined in Semester 1;

2 Modules taught and examined in Semester 2;

3 Module(s) normally run in Year 2 Semester 1, subject to availability of resources

4 Module(s) normally run in Year 2 Semester 2, subject to availability of resources

modules carrying 6 LCCS Credits will be examined at the end of respective Semesters in which they are run.