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NOTIFICATION

Change in Minor Subject at UG IV Semester (January 2025) of the FYUGP, Cotton University

Applications are invited for the allocation of a limited number of seats in various departments from UG IV Semester students who are willing to change their Minor subject and have appeared in the UG III examination held in December 2024. The willing candidates must fill in and submit their responses on or before 3rd February, 2025 by 5 pm.

Google Form Link:

https://forms.gle/7QjwvM5UNPoF33Gq7



The University, following the guidelines of NEP, 2020, shall facilitate a change of Minor subject under the following conditions. These conditions must be read carefully before filling up the form.

- 1. Only one chance will be given to a student to change their Minor subject during the entire course of the programme after completion of the 3rd or 4th or 5th Semester. This is in accordance with the NEP FYUGP Guideline of earning a minimum of 12 credits for a course to be considered as a Minor Course.
- 2. For the January-June, 2025 session, change of a Minor subject can be done after completion of the third semester depending on subject mapping and availability of seats in the respective departments.
- 3. Change of Minor subject can be done only within the same domain of major subject/discipline Arts or Science. Students from Geography can apply for Minor subjects from both the Arts and Science streams.
- 4. The syllabus of the applied Minor Course should be consulted by the applicants before applying for Minor subject change to make a rational decision.
- 5. The allotment of Minor subjects would be based on subject mapping and standardized CUET scores.

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6. Tie-breaking rule: In case of a tie, Higher Secondary or 10+2 final examination percentage would be used to break the tie.

Note: It may, however, be noted that as per Cotton University FYUGP Guidelines under NEP, 2020, in case a student continues with the same Minor subject and earns 48 credits (three-year degree) or 60 credits (four year Honours degree), it may enable the student to earn a double Major Degree (enabling the conversion of Minor subject to Major) at the end of the Programme, subject to accumulation of additional credits offered on MOOCs or similar recognized Platforms. For instance, for a Four-Year Programme, eight Minor courses in the same subject enable a student to earn 32 credits by the end of the eighth semester, and the remaining 28 credits will have to be accumulated from MOOCs. Change of the Minor subject thus leads to a loss of opportunity to obtain a Double Major, which could ensure higher academic value of a student from a single FYUGP.

**In case of any discrepancy or dispute, the decision of the concerned authority shall be full and binding.

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