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NOTIFICATION: 219/2014

In pursuance of the recommendations of the 15th Academic Council held on 24th Dec, 2013 and subsequent approval of the 66th Executive Board of NIOS held on 19th June, 2014 in connection with implementation of internal assessment in NIOS Public Examinations, the following guidelines have to be adopted/implemented.

Internal Assessment (IA) including Tutor Marked Assessment (TMA) in Secondary and Senior Secondary Examinations will carry 20% weightage in the External Examination and the marks will be shown separately and added to the marks obtained in the External Theory Examination and Practicals (wherever applicable). The policy for implementation of the Internal Assessment shall be as per details given below.

1. WEIGHTAGE OF INTERNAL ASSESSMENT

Weightage of IA shall be 20% of Theory Marks including TMA and other academic activities as per details given below:

1.1 SECONDARY

S. No	Subject	Present Theory Marks	Theory Marks	Internal Assessment Marks
1.	Subjects without Practical, including languages	100	80	20
2.	Maths/Science & Technology/ Home Science	85	68	17
3.	Painting	30	24	06
4.	Data Entry Operation	40	32	08

1.2 SENIOR SECONDARY

S. No	Subject	Present Theory Marks	Theory Marks	Internal Assessment Marks
1.	Subjects without Practical, including languages	100	80	20
2.	Physics/Chemistry/Biology/Geography/Environmental Science/Mass Communication/Home Science and other Practical related subjects.	80	64	16

3.	Painting	30	24	06
4.	Data Entry Operation	40	32	08
5.	Computer Science	60	48	12

2. PASSING CRITERIA

2.1 SECONDARY COURSE

S.No.	Type of Subject	Full Marks				Pass Marks			Pass Formula
		Th.	Pr.	IA	Tot.	Th. & Pr.	IA	Tot	
1.	WITHOUT PRACTICAL	80	-	20	100	26	0-20 or AB	33	i. 33% in Theory ii. 33% aggregate in the subject.
2.	WITH PRACTICAL								i. 33% in Theory and practical together. ii. 33% aggregate in the subject. 'AB'-Absent
(i)	Maths/Science & Technology/Home Science and other Practical related subjects	68	15	17	100	27	0-17 or 'AB'	33	
(ii)	Painting	24	70	06	100	31	0-06 or 'AB'	33	
(iii)	Data Entry Operation	32	60	08	100	30	0-08 or 'AB'	33	

2.2 SENIOR SECONDARY COURSE

S.No.	Type of Subject	Full Marks				Pass Marks				Pass Formula
		Th.	Pr	IA	Tot	Th	Pr	IA	Tot	
1.	WITHOUT PRACTICAL	80	-	20	100	26	-	0-20 or 'AB'	33	i. 33% in Theory ii. 33% aggregate in the subject.
2.	WITH PRACTICAL								i. 33% separately in Theory and practical. ii. 33% aggregate in the subject. "AB" - Absent	
(i)	Physics/Chemistry/Biology/ Geography/Environmental Sc./Mass Comm./Home Science and other practical related subjects	64	20	16	100	22	07	0-16 or 'AB'		33
(ii)	Painting	24	70	06	100	08	23	0-06 or 'AB'		33
(iii)	Data Entry Operation	32	60	08	100	11	20	0-08 or 'AB'		33
(iv)	Computer Science	48	40	12	100	16	13	0-12 or 'AB'		33

3. SUBMISSION OF TMA BY LEARNERS

Submission of Internal Assessment including TMA etc. will not be compulsory for declaration of results. The NIOS has made earnest efforts to popularize the scheme amongst the Study Centres and learners, highlighting its merits, so that learners are encouraged to submit the TMA.

4. SCHEDULE OF SUBMISSION OF TMA

1. All TMA are required to be submitted by learners at the allotted Study Centre (AI). Evaluation has to be made by the staff of Study Centre (AI).
2. In case Study Centre (AI) is non functional, TMA has to be submitted at the concerned Regional Centre and the same be got evaluated by RC.
3. In case any Study Centre (AI) is closed because of some reason, TMA will be submitted at the Study Centre where learners have been shifted. Evaluation will also be done by the same Study Centre (AI).

Submission dates of TMA will be as follows:-

SL. No.	Block	By learners	Feedback by facilitator	Submission of awards to RC		Public examination
				Online	Hard copy	
1	Block- I Admission	31 st Jan	15 th Feb	28 th Feb	15 th March	April/May
2	Block- II Admission	31 st July	15 th August	30 th August	10 th Sep	Oct/Nov

5. AVAILABILITY OF TMA

There will be only one TMA in every subject, which includes all kinds of questions – very short answer, short answer, long answer and project based. An attempt has been made to make the questions more application based. Academic Department will prepares two booklets of TMA in all subjects – one each for Secondary and Senior Secondary. The TMA will also be uploaded on NIOS website from where learners can download them.

6. MODE OF SUBMISSION OF INTERNAL ASSESSMENT(IA) AWARDS

- i. Als will submit the Internal Assessment (IA) marks to its respective Regional Centre.
- ii. Als will make available an interface on NIOS website.
- iii. Once the data is entered, the details of learners allotted to the AI will be displayed.
- iv. This interface will also be having details of the subjects opted along with space for submission of IA marks.
- v. Once the marks are submitted, option to verify the marks will be provided.
- vi. Once the AI certifies that marks submitted are correct as per IA record, data will be submitted and print outs will also be taken/generated. One copy will be for Study Centre (AI) and another for concerned RC. The Regional Centre copy will be dispatched in such a manner that the same reaches the concerned RC latest by 15th March/ 10th September for Block-I & II Admission for April-May and October-November Public Examination respectively.
- vii. On receipt of hard copy at RC, details will be updated by entering date of receipt of awards at RC on web itself.

7. THEORY EXAMINATION

The Maximum Marks of Question Paper for the External Examination will remain as before; the marks obtained will be proportionately reduced to adjust the Internal Assessment marks. This is the reason that the Question Paper is the same for Stream II, where there is no IA. The table mentioned below shows the Maximum Marks in various subjects:

7.1 SECONDARY

S. No	Subject	Maximum Marks in Theory Exam	Maximum Marks to be shown in the Marks Sheet (marks obtained to be proportionately reduced)	Internal Assessment Marks
(i)	Subjects without Practical, including languages	100	80	20
(ii)	Maths/ Sc. & Tech./ Home Sc.	85	68	17
(iii)	Painting	30	24	06
(iv)	Data Entry Operation	40	32	08

7.2 SENIOR SECONDARY

S. No	Subject	Maximum Marks in Theory Exam	Maximum Marks to be shown in the Marks Sheet (marks obtained to be proportionately reduced)	Internal Assessment Marks
(i)	Subjects without Practical, including languages	100	80	20
(ii)	Physics/Chemistry/Biology/Geography/ Environmental Sc./Mass Comm./ Home Science and other Practical related subjects.	80	64	16
(iii)	Painting	30	24	06
(iv)	Data Entry Operation	40	32	08
(v)	Computer Science	60	48	12

8. MONITORING TOOLS

- i. Academic facilitators can check the work of Internal Assessment.
- ii. Regional Centre can depute other experts
- iii. Regional Centre can call the records for inspection.
- iv. If need be, even marks in Internal Assessment (IA) could be moderated based on the theory marks.
- v. Other modes may also be developed for monitoring, particularly by making use of technology in future.

This system will be implemented w.e.f. next cycle of Admission (Block-II) Session i.e. from 01st September, 2014 onwards admission for the Secondary and Senior Secondary courses under stream-1. This system will be effective from October-November 2015 Public Examination, onwards. This will be applicable only for Stream-I admission of Secondary and Senior Secondary Courses.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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