

## Mary Matha Arts & Science College Mananthavady, Wayanad, Kerala

## **Examination Policy**

To conduct examinations effectively, college established specific policies and guidelines. Below are some key policies and best practices for conducting examinations:

- 1. The university examinations shall be supervised by the college principal as Chief Superintendent as per the Kannur university norms.
- 2. An Examination Committee shall be constituted comprising 2-4 members from teaching and non-teaching faculty for the effective management of internal examinations (continuous evaluation) and Kannur University examinations.
- 3. The Examination Committee shall be headed by a senior faculty who will be the Controller of Examinations (Senior Assistant for University examinations.)
- 4. Internal examinations shall be supervised by the Controller of Examinations.
- 5. The Examination Committee:
  - a. Shall publish the examination schedule including dates, times, venue and shall communicate it to students and faculty well in advance.
  - b. Shall define the format of the examination, such as multiple-choice, essay, practical, or a combination of different types.
  - c. Shall ensure that question papers are prepared impartially by subject experts (faculties).
  - d. Shall appoint qualified invigilators to oversee the examination process.
  - e. Shall monitor the examination venue to prevent unauthorized materials or communication.
  - f. Shall ensure equal access and opportunities for students with disabilities to appear for the examinations.
  - g. Shall safeguard examination materials, including question papers, answer scripts, and digital files, to prevent leaks or tampering.
  - h. Control the access to examination materials and maintain a chain of custody.
  - i. Clearly define the grading criteria and ensure consistency in evaluation across different examiners.
  - j. Ensure medical emergencies, technical issues and other unforeseen circumstances during examinations are adequately addressed.
  - k. Establish an appeal process for students to challenge their examination results, ensuring fairness and transparency.



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- Collect feedback from students and faculty members about the examination process to make continuous improvements and Use assessment data to inform curriculum development and teaching methodologies.
- 6. Invigilators shall verify the identity of students using photo identification/ hall tickets to prevent impersonation.
- 7. Examiners shall maintain transparency in the grading process and provide students with access to their graded papers.
- 8. The Departments shall ensure that examination results are conveyed to the parents.
- 9. The College shall ensure that the college's technology infrastructure, including science labs, computer labs and network connections, is reliable and suitable for lab examinations.
- 10. The College shall maintain open and transparent communication with students, faculty, and staff regarding examination policies and procedures.
- 11. The College shall maintain comprehensive records of examination-related activities, including question papers, answer scripts, and correspondence.
- 12. Periodically review and update examination policies to align with evolving educational practices and technological advancements.