

MSDE-19/02/2018-CD Government of India Directorate General of Training Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship (MSDE)

Employment Exchange Building, Library Avenue, Pusa Complex New Delhi, 110012 dated 19th March 2019

To

The Vice Chancellors
All Skill Universities (approved by Central / State Government and recognized by UGC)

Subject: Blending of CITS curricula into Diploma and Degree Programs as domain.

Sir,

This is to inform that 11th meeting of "Sub-committee of NCVT on Norms and Courses" was held on 18th October, 2018 under the Chairmanship of DG/AS, DGT, MSDE at New Delhi wherein Proposal for Blending CITS curricula into Diploma and Degree Programs as domain as an agenda no. 12 was discussed. The sub committee approved the integration of CTS and CITS within its Degree and Diploma programs being offered Skill universities, approved by Central / State Government and recognized by UGC which is as follows:

- 1. For Diploma students (10th pass): They will be allowed to give AITT exam as Private candidates for the CTS in the 1st and 2nd year. This will ensure their eligibility for CITS. In the third year of study in the Diploma, students will be given an option to choose 'Teaching Domain' where their coursework will be merged with the CITS syllabus (at least 70%) and the students can appear for CITS exams in the 3rd year of their Diploma. The student will also have the option to do a paid apprenticeship in the 4th year as a teaching apprentice and the students will be enrolled as apprentices in NAPS and will be enrolled in an Optional Course designed by Skill University for teaching apprentice.
- 2. For Degree students (12th pass): Similar format as for Diploma students. However in the case of a 4 year program such as B.Tech., the student will be required to complete 50% of the CITS curricula (as Workshop Science & Calculation & Engg. Drawing is already covered by degree students) and may choose the apprenticeship in the 4th year of education.

- 3. The Skill Universities will provide the following as part of the courses:
 - Ensure completion of 100% of trade theory curriculum of CTS (Other subjects like Workshop Science & Calculation, Engineering Drawing & Employability Skills may not be required);
 - b. Completion of 50% of CTS practical jobs for Diploma & Degree students
 - c. Completion of 70% of curriculum of CITS in year 3 for Diploma students & 50% of CITS curriculum for Degree students
 - d. Ensure a minimum relevant industry exposure / internship/ apprenticeship for all students
 - e. All students should be full time students of main campus of the university. No off campus students will be covered by above decisions.

Yours faithfully;

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