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School of Agriculture (SOA)



S.N.	Name of the Programme	Eligibility	Course Fee	Duration & Medium	Utility
1.	Certificate in Water Harvesting and Management (CWHM) **	10 th pass or Bachelor Preparatory Programme (BPP) from IGNOU.	Rs. 2400/-	Min. 6 Months Max:2 Yrs Hindi & English	Enable the learners to act as trainers and organizers at household and community levels for efficient water management.
2.	Certificate in Organic Farming (COF)**	12 th pass or its equivalent	Rs. 4800/-	Min: 6 Months, Max: 2 Yrs Hindi & Eng	To impart the knowledge and proficiency in Organic production practices, Certification process and Marketing of organically raised agricultural products.
3.	Certificate in Sericulture (CIS)	10 th pass out or Non-10th pass-out, having 2 years experience in the field of Sericulture. The experience certificate should be from the extension officials of the Department of Sericulture/ Agriculture/Extension/ Recognized NGOs/Industries	Rs. 4200/-	Min: 6 Month Max: 2 Yrs English*	Prepare the rural youth/farmers for accepting sericulture and create awareness about the opportunities and employment in sericulture.
4.	Certificate in Poultry Farming (CPF)	8 th pass	Rs. 3600/-	Min: 6 Months Max: 2 Yrs Hindi & English	create awareness the about the opportunity of employment and livelihood in poultry sector and impart basic knowledge and technical proficiency in Poultry Breeding, Housing, Management and Nutrition
5.	Certificate in Bee Keeping (CIB)	8 th Pass or Professional Beekeepers	Rs. 1400/-	Min: 6 Months Max: 2 Yrs Hindi & Eng	Impart education about Bee Keeping Sector and develop entrepreneurial skills in beekeepers
6.	Post-Graduate Certificate in Agriculture Policy (PGCAP) **	Graduation in any discipline	Rs. 3600	Min: 6 Months Max: 2 Yrs Hindi & Eng	Identification of strategic issues with reference to national policies in agriculture, rural development Policies.
7.	Diploma in Value-added Products from Cereals, Pulses and Oilseeds (DPVCPO) **	I. 10+2/ Senior secondary pass outs II. BPP (under IGNOU/ODL mode) III. 10th pass may enroll simultaneously for the BPP and Diploma Programme	Rs. 13200/- only for Category (i), (ii) & Rs.14400/- for Category (iii)	Min: 1 Year Max: 4 Year Hindi & English	To impart knowledge and technical proficiency in processing of cereals, pulses and oilseeds in to value added products.
8.	Diploma in Dairy Technology (DDT) **	I. 10+2/ Senior secondary pass outs II. BPP (under IGNOU/ODL mode) III. 10th pass may enroll simultaneously for the BPP and Diploma Programme	Rs. 14400/- only for Category (i), (ii) & Rs.15600/- for Category (iii)	Min: 1 Year Max: 4 Years Hindi & English	Develop skill young entrepreneurs for self employment in milk processing and associated activities
9.	Diploma in Value Added Products from Fruits and Vegetables (DVAPFV) **	i) 10+2/ Senior secondary pass outs ii) BPP (under IGNOU/ODL mode) iii) 10th pass may enroll simultaneously for the BPP and Diploma Programme	Rs. 14,400/- only for Category (i), (ii) & Rs.15,600/- for Category (iii) (50% fee concession for rural and below poverty line urban students)	Min: 1 Year Max: 4 Years Hindi & English	To develop youth as young entrepreneurs for self employment through food processing and associated activities.
10.	Post-Graduate Diploma In Plantation Management (PGDPM) **	Graduation in any discipline	Rs. 6600/-	Min: 1 Year Max: 4 Years English*	Upgrade the technical proficiency of professional working in the plantation Industry
11..	Post-Graduate Diploma in Food Safety and Quality Management (PGDFSQM) **	i) Graduation in Science with Chemistry/ Bio-Chemistry or Microbiology as one of the subjects. ii) Degree in allied Sciences like Agriculture/ Food Science/ Food Technology/Post Harvest Technology/ Engineering/Home Science/Life Science/Microbiology/ Biochemistry/ Biotechnology/ Horticulture/ Dairy Technology/ Veterinary/Fisheries/ Hotel Management and Catering/ Hospitality Management or equivalent etc. iii) Science graduate in disciplines like Geography, Statistics with Physics & Maths, Art Subjects and Medical Lab technology and with minimum three years experience in food processing and / or quality control. These students should have minimum 1 year experience in quality control activities. iv) Arts/Commerce graduate with diploma in food science/ hotel management disciplines viz fruits and vegetables, dairy technology, meat technology, cereals, pulses and oilseeds etc. with minimum 5 years experience in Food Processing/ Food Quality Control/ Hotel Management (food preparation/ food catering) and out of which 2 years experience should be in quality control activities. v) BA/B.Com graduates with minimum 7years experience in Food Processing/ Food Quality Control/ Hotel Management (food preparation/ food catering) or holding senior position in Govt. /Semi Govt. Units involved in Food Quality Control.	Rs. 14400/-	Min: 1Year Max: 4Years English*	Quality Control Officer Or Quality Assurance/Management professionals in Food/Hospitality/retail industry and laboratories. Food Safety Officer in the regulatory bodies, Food Auditor in Certification and Inspection Bodies.
12.	Awareness Programme on Value Added Products from Fruits and Vegetables (APVPFV) Offered in both January & July Cycle	Any 8 th standard passout who can read and write Hindi or English or regional language who is a Progressive farmer or good producer of the fruits and vegetables. Farmers may be the production areas/clusters and production of value added production selected from one block so that they have close geographical proximity. ● A farmer or office bearer of the Association of Fruits and Vegetables / Horticulture Association, (if any) in the district (developed by MoA entrepreneurship and skill development for self-employment in food processing and under Horticulture Mission). ● Entrepreneurs involved in the procurement/processing of Fruits and Vegetables. ● Farmers/Farm Women / Representatives of the Farmer's Interest Group/Farm Women Self Help Group sponsored by Agricultural Technology Management Agency (ATMA) of the district. ● Representative of NGOs, Government Undertaking, Mandies, Cold Storage who are directly dealing with preservation, processing and Marketing of Fruits and Vegetables. ● Field level functionaries of the State Departments of Agriculture and Allied Departments.	Rs. 1000/-	Min: 1.5 Month Max: 6 Month Hindi & English	This programme has been developed in Collaboration with the Ministry of Agriculture (MOA), Government of India. Imparting knowledge and skills for minimizing the post-harvest losses, primary processing of fruits and vegetables at the production of value added products from Fruits and Vegetables. Developing entrepreneurship and skill development for self-employment in food processing and associated activities.

Note: All the candidates from rural areas shall be entitled for 50% fee concession seeking admission for the programmes (DVAPFV, DDT) subject to production of domicile certificate; and the urban students below the poverty line may also be given 50% fee concession subject to production of income certificate. DVAPFV, DPVCPO, PGDPM, PGDFSQM, DFPT, DDT, DDQ, DMT are offered in July session only.

*English, However, students can write assignments, Term-end-Examination and Dissertation in Hindi.