**REVISED UG SYLLABUS UNDER CBCS**
*(To Be Implemented from Academic Year 2020-21)*

**PROGRAMME:** FOUR YEAR B.A.

**Domain Subject: Journalism**

Skill Enhancement Courses for Semester V (Syllabus-Curriculum)
Structure of SECs for 5th Semester w.e.f. 2022-23
*(To Choose any One Pair from the Three Alternative Pairs of SECs)*

**Course No 6 & 7 Name of Course Hours/ Week Credits Mark**

**Unit I**
Interviews – qualifications and responsibilities of reporter – ethical aspects

**Unit II**

**Unit III**
Editor – News editor – Sub-editor- their responsibilities – Editorial writing – Letters to the editor –
Leads – Principles of rewriting – Rural news editing

**Unit IV**
Fundamentals of copy editing – editing and proof - reading symbols – Style sheet – Headlines –
Types of headlines – Modern trends in headlines

**Unit V**
Column writing – writing creative middles – language as a tool of writing – principles of grammar- practical exercises

Photo editing / cropping – Layout and design of different pages – Magazine production techniques

**Reference books**
Time: 3 hrs. 
Marks: 75
Answer all questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Define news and news values.
   OR
   Describe the qualities and responsibilities of a reporter.

2. Describe the precautions to be taken while reporting disaster news.
   OR
   Briefly write the ingredients of speech reporting.

3. Define a feature. Describe different types of features.
   OR
   What is human interest feature? Give two examples.

4. Examine the principles of journalistic writing.
   OR
   How do you cover educational news as an editor of a newspaper?

5. Explain the role of a news editor
   OR
   Answer the following
   a)  Lead
   b)  Leader
   c)  Creative middle
   d)  Dak edition