

Sophia College (Autonomous)



Department of Hindi

Minutes of Hindi Board of Studies Meeting 4

Date: 14th March, 2020

Sophia College, Mumbai – 400026

**Minutes of the 4th B.O.S. Meeting held on 14th March, 2020
(AY 2019-2020)**

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The 4th meeting of the Board of Studies was held on 14th March, 2020, 12 pm onwards, in the Computer Lab II, at Sophia College. Dr. Sumanika Sethi (HOD), and Mrs. Smriti Singh along with all the Board of Study members – University nominee Dr. Manpreet Kaur, Subject Experts Mr Dinesh Pathak and Dr. Ravindra Katyayan, Industry representative Mr. Sunder Chand Thakur and our alumnus Mrs Tabassum Khan - were present for the meeting. Only our colleague Dr. Vaishali Pachunde could not make it as she was out of town attending NSS Programme Officer training at Ahmednagar, Dist.- Ahmednagar, Maharashtra.

In this meeting, no new decisions were taken regarding change of syllabus, instead discussions took place as per the agenda issues.

1. The minutes of the previous meeting were presented to each and every member and all the points were approved by them.
2. Dr. Sethi appraised the Board of Study members about the changes made so far in the syllabus of all three classes and shared student feedback regarding the new texts. She shared her experience about the changed texts with the members, listing all the four texts across three years. (Novels- *Pachpan Khambe Lal Diwaaren* by Usha Priyamvada and *Daud* by Mamta Kalia. Plays – *Ek aur Dronacharya* by Dr. Shankar Shesh and *Aadhe Adhure* by Mohan Rakesh). So the Board was told that the syllabus passed by earlier B.O.S meetings for FY, SY and TY was to continue for now.
3. The Chairperson Dr. Sethi opened discussion about Paper VI of T.Y.B.A. which deals with Information Technology. She put into motion a serious conversation evaluating the usefulness of this paper where platforms like e-mail, Whatsapp, Twitter etc. are taught. She asked if the department could teach some core literature instead of focussing on these digital aspects. But this deliberation and consideration was with regard to future planning and not for the immediate present. The members discussed and suggested many options such as theme based papers like Sociology and the Modern Hindi Novel or a paper on Subaltern Studies where Feminist, Dalit and Tribal voices may be incorporated. The discussion was open-ended and went on for quite some time.
4. The Chairperson appraised the members about two Add-on courses (30 hours) that the Department of Hindi introduced in the year 2019-2020, after much deliberations.
 - Basic Spoken Japanese
 - Fundamentals of Performance & Play Making

Mr. Dinesh Pathak shared his experience of the Diploma course in Translation held in S.I.E.S. College and Dr. Katyayan gave his inputs about workshops pertaining to Media Writing. Our alumnus Mrs Tabassum Khan also shared her experience about the Media Writing workshop held in Royal College.

The Chairperson told the members about the motivational talk Mr Sunder Chand Thakur had given to the F.Y. Hindi Language students and also told the members about his motivational videos.

DEPARTMENT OF HINDI

VISION & GOAL

In academic circles where Indian languages and their wealth of literature is pushed to the margins, the Hindi Department of Sophia College wishes to re-establish the dwindling bonds between our vast linguistic and literary heritage and the young minds.

Through the Compulsory Language classes, the Department aims to impart the necessary language skills (both spoken and written) to our students who come from multilingual backgrounds. Under Autonomy, the Department wants to choose the best of syllabus for our students to carve their personalities to become sensitive, liberal and most humane.

SYLLABI

CLASS: FYBA

Paper No (Roman Nos.)	Semester	Title of Papers	Course Code	Status
I	1	Compulsory Language	SBAHIN101	Unrevised
	2	Compulsory Language	SBAHIN201	
I	1	Hindi A/M (Modern prose)	SBAHIL101	Revised (Novel) (2018-19)
	2	Hindi A/M (Modern prose)	SBAHIL201	

CLASS: SYBA

Paper No (Roman Nos.)	Semester	Title of Papers	Course Code	Status
I	3	Madhyakaalin evam Aadhunik Kavya	SBAHIL301	Revised (Drama & Novel) (2018-19 & 2019-20)
	4	Aadhunik Hindi Gadya	SBAHIL401	
II	3	Functional Hindi	SBAHIL302	Unrevised
	4	Mass Media	SBAHIL402	

CLASS: TYBA

Paper No (Roman Nos.)	Semester	Title of Papers	Course Code	Status
I	5	History of Hindi Literature	SBAHIL501	Unrevised
	6	History of Hindi Literature	SBAHIL601	
II	5	Post Independence Hindi Literature	SBAHIL502	Revised (Drama) (2019-20)
	6	Post Independence Hindi Literature	SBAHIL602	
III	5	Information Technology and Hindi	SBAHIL503	Unrevised
	6	Social Media	SBAHIL603	
IV	5	Literary Criticism, Prosody and Rhetorics	SBAHIL504	Unrevised
	6	Literary Criticism, Prosody and Rhetorics	SBAHIL604	
V	5	Linguistics, Hindi Language & Hindi Grammar	SBAHIL505	Unrevised
	6	Linguistics, Hindi Language & Hindi Grammar	SBAHIL605	
VI	5	Ideological Background of Modern Hindi Literature	SBAHIL506	Unrevised
	6	Ideological Background of Modern Hindi Literature	SBAHIL606	

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7	Coopted Members of the department: Ms. Smriti Singh & Ms. Vaishali Pachunde	

Dr. Sumanika Sethi, Chairperson and Head of the Dept. of Hindi thanked the board members for their support and helpful suggestions. This concluded the meeting.

Dr. Sumanika Sethi
Chairperson and Head of the Dept. of Hindi
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