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FOREWORD

The Pandit Sunderlal Sharma Central Institute of Vocational Education (PSSCIVE) a constituent of the National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT) is spearheading the efforts of developing learning outcome based curricula and courseware aimed at integrating both vocational and general qualifications to open pathways of career progression for students. It is a part of Central y Sponsored Scheme of Vocationalisation of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education (CSSVSHSE) launched by the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India in 2012. The PSS Central Institute of Vocational Education (PSSCIVE) is developing curricula under the project approved by the Project Approval Board (PAB) of *Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha Abhiyan* (RMSA). The main purpose of the competency based curricula is to bring about the improvement in teaching-learning process and working competences through learning outcomes embedded in the vocational subject.

It is a matter of great pleasure to introduce this learning outcome based curriculum as part of the vocational training packages for the job role of **Electronics – Field Technician Computing and Peripherals**. The curriculum has been developed for the secondary students of vocational education and is aligned to the National Occupation Standards (NOSs) of a job role identified and approved under the National Skil Qualification Framework (NSQF).

The curriculum aims to provide children with employability and vocational skil s to support occupational mobility and lifelong learning. It wil help them to acquire specific occupational skil s that meet employers' immediate needs. The teaching process is to be performed through the interactive sessions in classrooms, practical activities in laboratories and workshops, projects, field visits, and professional experiences.

The curriculum has been developed and reviewed by a group of experts and their contributions are greatly acknowledged. The utility of the curriculum wil be adjudged by the qualitative improvement that it brings about in teaching-learning. The feedback and suggestions on the content by the teachers and other stakeholders wil be of immense value to us in bringing about further improvement in this document.

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PREFACE

India today stands poised at a very exciting juncture in its saga. The potential for achieving inclusive growth are immense and the possibilities are equal y exciting. The world is looking at us to deliver sustainable growth and progress. To meet the growing expectations, India wil largely depend upon its young workforce.

The much-discussed demographic dividend will bring sustaining benefits only if this young workforce is skilled and its potential is channelized in the right direction.

In order to fulfil the growing aspirations of our youth and the demand of skil ed human resource, the Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD), Government of India introduced the revised Central y Sponsored Scheme of Vocationalisation of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education that aims to provide for the diversification of educational opportunities so as to enhance individual employability, reduce the mismatch between demand and supply of skil ed manpower and provide an alternative for those pursuing higher education. For spearheading the scheme, the PSS Central Institute of Vocational Education (PSSCIVE) was entrusted the responsibility to develop learning outcome based curricula, student workbooks, teacher handbooks and e-learning materials for the job roles in various sectors, with growth potential for employment.

The PSSCIVE firmly believes that the vocationalisation of education in the nation need to be established on a strong footing of philosophical, cultural and sociological traditions and it should aptly address the needs and aspirations of the students besides meeting the skil demands of the industry. The curriculum, therefore, aims at developing the desired professional, managerial and communication skil s to fulfil the needs of the society and the world of work. In order to honour its commitment to the nation, the PSSSCIVE has initiated the work on developing learning outcome based curricula with the involvement of faculty members and leading experts in respective fields. It is being done through the concerted efforts of leading academicians, professionals, policy makers, partner institutions, Vocational Education and Training experts, industry representatives, and teachers. The expert group through a series of consultations, working group meetings and use of reference materials develops a National Curriculum. Currently, the Institute is working on developing curricula and courseware for over 100 job roles in various sectors.

We extend our gratitude to al the contributors for selflessly sharing their precious knowledge, acclaimed expertise, and valuable time and positively responding to our request for development of curriculum. We are grateful to MHRD and NCERT for the financial support and cooperation in realising the objective of providing learning outcome based modular curricula and courseware to the States and other stakeholders under the PAB (Project Approval Board) approved project of *Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiskha Abhiyan* (RMSA) of MHRD.

Final y, for transforming the proposed curriculum design into a vibrant reality of implementation, al the institutions involved in the delivery system shal have to come together with a firm commitment and they should secure optimal community support. The success of this curriculum depends upon its effective implementation and it is expected that the managers of vocational education and training system, including subject teachers will make efforts to create better facilities, develop linkages with the world of work and foster a conducive environment as per the content of the curriculum document.

The PSSCIVE, Bhopal remains committed in bringing about reforms in the vocational education and training system through the learner-centric curricula and courseware. We hope that this document wil prove useful in turning out more competent Indian workforce for the 21st Century.

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1. COURSE OVERVIEW

COURSE TITLE: Field Technician – Computing and Peripherals

Field Technician also cal ed 'Service Technician', the Filed provides after sale support services to customers, typically, at their premises. The individual at work is responsible for attending to customer complaints, instal ing newly purchased products, troubleshooting system problems and, configuring peripherals such as printers, scanners and network devices. The job requires the individual to have: ability to build interpersonal relationships and critical thinking. The individual must be willing to travel to client premises in order to attend to cal s at different locations. Instal ing the system and configuring the peripherals, and attending to field cal s from customer and complaints for system trouble shooting and repairs.

COURSE OUTCOMES: On completion of the course, students should be able to:

- Apply effective oral and written communication skil s to interact with people and customers;
- Identify the principal components of a computer system;
- Demonstrate the basic skil s of using computer;
- Demonstrate self-management skil s;
- Demonstrate the ability to provide a self-analysis in context of entrepreneurial skil s and abilities;
- Demonstrate the knowledge of the importance of green skil s in meeting the chal enges of sustainable development and environment protection;
- Identify the principal components of a computer system
- Identify and control hazards in the workplace that pose a danger or threat to their safety or health, or that of others.
- Instal and the system and configure the peripherals.
- Attend to field cal s from customer and complaints for system trouble shooting and repairs.
- Interact with the customer prior to visit.
- Understand customer's requirements on visit or prior to visit.
- Suggest possible solutions.
- Complete the documentation.
- Achieve productivity and quality as per norms.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS: The learner should have basic knowledge of science.

COURSE LEVEL: This course can be taken up at Intermediate level in Class 11 and Class 12.

COURSE DURATION: Total : 600 hrs

Class 11 :300 hrs Class 12 :300 hrs

Total:600 hrs

2. SCHEME OF UNITS AND ASSESSMENT

This course is a planned sequence of instructions consisting of Units meant for developing employability and vocational competencies of students of Class 11 and 12 opting for vocational subject along with general education subjects. The unit-wise distribution of hours and marks for Class 11 is as follows:

| | Units | No. of Hours for Theory and Practical 300 | Max. Marks for Theory and Practical 100 |
|-----------|---|---|---|
| Part A | Employability Skills | | |
| | Communication Skills | 25 | 10 |
| | Self-management Skills | 25 | |
| | Basic ICT Skills | 25 | |
| | Entrepreneurial Skills | 25 | |
| | Green Skills | 15 | |
| | Total | 115 | |
| Part B | Vocational Skills | | |
| | Unit 1: Computer Fundamentals | 60 | 40 |
| | Unit 2: Installation of Motherboard, CPU, Memory | 40 | |
| | Unit 3: Installation of Storage Devices | 20 | |
| | Unit 4: Installation of Peripherals and Expansion Cards | 20 | |
| | Unit 5: Installation of Video and Display Devices | 20 | |
| | Total | 160 | |
| Part C | Practical Work | | |
| | Practical Examination | 6 | 15 |

| | Written Test | 1 | 10 |
|-----------|-----------------------------------|-----|----|
| | Viva Voice | 3 | 10 |
| | Total | 10 | 35 |
| Part D | Project Work/Field Visit | | |
| | Practical File/ Student Portfolio | 10 | 10 |
| | Viva Voice | 5 | 5 |
| | Total | 15 | 15 |
| | Total | 300 | |

The unit-wise distribution of hours and marks for **Class 12** is as follows:

| CLAS | CLASS 12 | | | | | |
|-----------|------------------------|--|---|--|--|--|
| | Units | No. of Hours for Theory and Practical 300 | Max. Marks for Theory and Practical 100 | | | |
| Part A | Employability Skills | | | | | |
| | Communication Skills | 25 | 10 | | | |
| | Self-management Skills | 25 | | | | |
| | Basic ICT Skills | 25 | | | | |
| | Entrepreneurial Skills | 25 | | | | |
| | Green Skills | 10 | | | | |
| | Total | 115 | 10 | | | |

| Part B | Vocational Skills | | |
|-----------|--|-----|-----|
| | Unit 1: Installation and configuration of Desktop Computer | 30 | 40 |
| | Unit 2: Installation and configuration of Laptop Computer | 20 | |
| | Unit 3: Installation of Operating System and Software | 50 | |
| | Unit 4: Installation and Maintenance of Printer & Scanner | 30 | |
| | Unit 5: Diagnosis and troubleshooting of computer system | 30 | |
| | Total | 160 | 40 |
| Part C | Practical Work | | |
| | Practical Examination | 6 | 15 |
| | Written Test | 1 | 10 |
| | Viva Voice | 3 | 10 |
| | Total | 10 | 35 |
| Part D | Project Work/Field Visit | | |
| | Practical File/ Student Portfolio | 10 | 10 |
| | Viva Voice | 5 | 5 |
| | Total | 15 | 15 |
| | Total | 300 | 300 |

3. TEACHING/TRAINING ACTIVITIES

The teaching and training activities have to be conducted in classroom, laboratory/ workshops and field visits. Students should be taken to field visits for interaction with

experts and to expose them to the various tools, equipment, materials, procedures and operations in the workplace.

Special emphasis should be laid on the occupational safety, health and hygiene during the training and field visits.

CLASSROOM ACTIVITIES

Classroom activities are an integral part of this course and interactive lecture sessions, fol owed by discussions should be conducted by trained vocational teachers. Vocational teachers should make effective use of a variety of instructional aids, such as audio-video materials, colour slides, charts, diagrams, models, exhibits, hand-outs, online teaching materials, etc. to transmit knowledge and impart training to the students.

PRACTICAL WORK IN LABORATORY/WORKSHOP

Practical work may include but not limited to hands-on-training, simulated training, role play, case based studies, exercises, etc. Equipment and supplies should be provided to enhance hands-on learning experience of students. Only trained personnel should teach specialized techniques. A training plan that reflects tools, equipment, materials, skil s and activities to be performed by the students should be submitted by the vocational teacher to the Head of the Institution.

FIELD VISITS/ EDUCATIONAL TOUR

In field visits, children will go outside the classroom to obtain specific information from experts or to make observations of the activities. A checklist of observations to be made by the students during the field visits should be developed by the Vocational Teachers for systematic col ection of information by the students on the various aspects. Principals and Teachers should identify the different opportunities for field visits within a short distance from the school and make necessary arrangements for the visits. At least three field visits should be conducted in a year.

4. ASSESSMENT AND CERTIFICATION

Upon successful completion of the course by the candidate, the Central/ State Examination Board for Secondary Education and the respective Sector Skil Council wil certify the competencies.

The National Skil s Qualifications Framework (NSQF) is based on outcomes referenced to the National Occupation Standards (NOSs), rather than inputs. The NSQF level descriptors, which are the learning outcomes for each level, include the process, professional knowledge, professional skil s, core skil s and responsibility. The assessment is to be undertaken to verify that individuals have the knowledge and skil s needed to perform a particular job and that the learning programme undertaken has delivered education at a given standard. It should be closely linked to certification so that the individual and the employer could come to know the competencies acquired through the vocational subject or course. The assessment should be reliable, valid, flexible, convenient, cost effective and above al it should be fair and transparent.

Standardized assessment tools should be used for assessment of knowledge of students. Necessary arrangements should be made for using technology in assessment of students.

KNOWLEDGE ASSESSMENT (THEORY)

Knowledge Assessment should include two components: one comprising of internal assessment and second an external examination, including theory examination to be conducted by the Board. The assessment tools shal contain components for testing the knowledge and application of knowledge. The knowledge test can be objective paper based test or short structured questions based on the content of the curriculum.

WRITTEN TEST

It allows candidates to demonstrate that they have the knowledge and understanding of a given topic. Theory question paper for the vocational subject should be prepared by the subject experts comprising group of experts of academicians, experts from existing vocational subject experts/teachers, and subject experts from university/col eges or industry. The respective Sector Skil Council should be consulted by the Central/State Board for preparing the panel of experts for question paper setting and conducting the examinations.

The blue print for the question paper may be as fol ows:

SKILL ASSESSMENT (PRACTICAL)

Assessment of skil s by the students should be done by the assessors/examiners on the basis of practical demonstration of skil s by the candidate, using a competency checklist. The competency checklist should be developed as per the National Occupation Standards (NOSs) given in the Qualification Pack for the Job Role to bring about necessary consistency in the quality of assessment across different sectors and Institutions.

The student has to demonstrate competency against the performance criteria defined in the National Occupation Standards and the assessment wil indicate that they are 'competent', or are 'not yet competent'.

The assessors assessing the skil s of the students should possess a current experience in the industry and should have undergone an effective training in assessment principles and practices. The Sector Skil Councils should ensure that the assessors are provided with the training on the assessment of competencies.

Practical examination al ows candidates to demonstrate that they have the knowledge and understanding of performing a task. This wil include hands-on practical exam and viva voce. For practical, there should be a team of two evaluators – the subject teacher and the expert from the relevant industry certified by the Board or concerned Sector Skil Council. The same team of examiners wil conduct the viva voce.

Project Work (individual or group project) is a great way to assess the practical skil s on a certain time period or timeline. Project work should be given on the basis of the capability of the individual to perform the tasks or activities involved in the project. Projects should be discussed in the class and the teacher should periodical y monitor the progress of the project and provide feedback for improvement and innovation. Field visits should be organised as part of the project work. Field visits can be followed by a smal -group work/project work. When the class returns from the field visit, each group might be asked to use the information that they have gathered to prepare presentations or reports of their observations. Project work should be assessed on the basis of practical file or student portfolio.

Student Portfolio is a compilation of documents that supports the candidate's claim of competence.

Documents may include reports, articles, photos of products prepared by students in relation to the unit of competency.

Viva voce al ows candidates to demonstrate communication skil s and content knowledge. Audio or video recording can be done at the time of viva voce. The number of external examiners would be decided as per the existing norms of the Board and these norms should be suitably adopted/adapted as per the specific requirements of the vocational subject. Viva voce should also be conducted to obtain feedback on the student's experiences and learning during the project work/field visits.

CONTINUOUS AND COMPREHENSIVE EVALUATION

Continuous and Comprehensive Evaluation (CCE) refers to a system of school-based evaluation of students that covers al aspects of student's development. In this scheme, the term 'continuous' is meant to emphasize that evaluation of identified aspects of students 'growth and development' is a continuous process rather than an event, built into the total teaching-learning process and spread over the entire span of academic session. The second term 'comprehensive' means that the scheme attempts to cover both the scholastic and the co-scholastic aspects of students' growth and development. For details, the CCE manual of Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) or the guidelines issued by the State Boards on the procedure for CCE should be fol owed by the Institutions.

5. UNIT CONTENTS

CLASS 11

Part A: Employability Skills

| Sn | Units | Duration in Hours |
|----|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. | Unit 1: Communication Skills | 25 |
| 2. | Unit 2: Self-management Skills | 25 |
| 3. | Unit 3: Basic ICT Skills | 25 |
| 4. | Unit 4: Entrepreneurial Skills | 25 |
| 5. | Unit 5: Green Skills | 15 |
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| Unit | Unit 1: Communication Skills | | | | |
|-----------|---|--|--|-----------|--|
| S. No. | Learning Outcome | Theory (10 Hours) | Practical (15 Hours) | 25 Hrs | |
| 1. | Demonstrate knowledge of various methods of communication | Methods of communication Verbal Non-verbal Visual | Writing pros and cons of written, verbal and non-verbal communication Listing do's and don'ts for avoiding common body language mistakes | 15 | |
| 2. | Identify specific communication styles | Communication styles- assertive, aggressive, passive- aggressive, submissive, etc. | Observing and sharing communicationstyles of friends, teachers and family members and adapting the best practices Role plays on communication styles. | 10 | |
| 3. | Demonstrate basic | Writing skills to the following: | Demonstration and practice of | 15 | |

| | | Total Duration in Hours | 25 |
|----------------|---|--|----|
| writing skills | Sentence Phrase Kinds of Sentences Parts of Sentence Parts of Speech Articles Construction of a Paragraph | writing sentences and paragraphs on topics related to the subject | |

| Unit | 2:Self-manage | ment Skills | | |
|-----------|--|--|--|-----------|
| S. No. | Learning Outcome | Theory (10 Hours) | Practical (15 Hours) | 25 Hrs |
| 1. | Demonstrate impressive appearance and grooming | Describe the importance of dressing appropriately, looking decent and positive body language. Describe the term grooming Prepare a personal grooming Describe the term grooming Prepare a personal grooming Prepare a personal grooming Describe the term grooming Describe the term grooming Prepare a personal grooming Prepare a personal grooming | Demonstration of impressive appearance and groomed personality Demonstration of the ability to self- explore | 07 |
| 2. | Demonstrate team work skills | Describe the important factors thatinfluence in team building Describe factors influencing team | Group discussion on qualities of a good team Group discussion on strategiesthat are adopted for team building and team work | 08 |

| | | work | | |
|----|---|--|--|----|
| 3. | Apply time management strategies and techniques | Meaning and importance of time management – setting and prioritizing goals, creating a schedule, making lists of tasks,balancing work and leisure, using different optimization tools to break large tasks into smaller tasks. | Game on time management Checklist preparation. To-do-list preparation. | 10 |
| | | | Total Duration in Hours | 25 |

| Unit | Unit 3: Basic ICT Skills | | | |
|-----------|--|--|---|-----------|
| S. No. | Learning Outcome | Theory (10 Hours) | Practical (15 Hours) | 25 Hrs |
| 1. | Describe the role of ICT in day-to- day life | Introduction to ICT Role and importance of ICT in personal life and at workplace ICT in our daily life (examples) ICT tools – Mobile, tab, radio, TV, email,etc. | Discussion on the role andimportance of ICT in personal life and at workplace Preparing posters / collages forshowing the role of ICT at workplace | 02 |
| 2. | Identify the various | Basic components of computer | Identify and name the various | 04 |

| | components of computer system | system. Hardware and software. Primary and secondary memory. Input, Output and Storagedevices | components of computer. List few hardware and software Identify and name the primary and secondary memory. Identify the various Input, Output and Storage devices | |
|----|---|---|---|----|
| 3. | Identify various peripheral devices | Various peripheral devices and their use Examples of peripherals. | List various peripheral devices. Give the examples of peripheral Practice using peripheral devices. | 04 |
| 4. | Perform basic computer operations | Procedure for starting and shuttingdown a computer Operating Systems (OS). Types of OS – DOS, Windows, Linux Desktop of Windows and Linux Files and folder Keyboard and mouse operations. Common desktop operations | Start the computer in propersequence and get the intitialscreen Identify the installed OS on computer Identify the destop and its various components Work with desktop. Create file and folder Perform keyboard and mouse operations | 07 |
| 5. | Connect with the world using internet and its applications | Introduction to Internet. Applications of Internet. Internet Browser. Websites and webpages. Email applications. Email accounts. | Introduce with Internet. Explain the applications of Internet List the various Internet Browser Search the websites. Create Email account. Send and receive email. | 08 |

| | Sending and receiving email Introduction to social media. Blog Twitter Facebook Youtube WhatsApp Digital India | Use Social Media for education. Use Blog Use Twitter Use Facebook Use Youtube Use WhatsApp Use Digital India | |
|--|---|--|----|
| | | Total Duration in Hours | 25 |

| S. No. | Learning OutcomeDescribe the | Theory (10 Hours) | Practical (15 Hours) | 25 Hrs |
|-----------|---|---|---|-----------|
| 1. | Describe the significance of entrepreneurial values and attitude. | Values in general and entrepreneurial values. Entrepreneurial value orientation with respect to innovativeness, independence, outstanding performance and respect for work | Listing of entrepreneurial values by the students Group work on identificationofentrepreneurial values and theirroles after listing or reading 2-3stories of successful entrepreneur Exhibiting entrepreneurial values in Ice breaking, rapport building,group work and homeassignment | 10 |

| 2. | Demonstrate the knowledge of attitudinal changes required to become an entrepreneur | Attitudes in general and entrepreneurial attitudes Using imagination/intuition Tendency to take moderate risk Enjoying freedom of expression Looking for economic opportunities Believing that we canchange the environment Analyzing situation and planning action Involving in activity | Preparing a list of factors that influence attitude in general and entrepreneurial attitude. Demonstrating and identifying own entrepreneurial attitudes during the following micro lab activities like thematic appreciation test. Preparing a short write-up on "whoam I". Take up a product and suggest how its features can be improved. Group activity for suggesting brand names, names of enterprises, etc. | 15 |
|----|--|--|--|----|
| | | | Total Duration in Hours | 25 |

| Unit | 5: Green Skills | | | |
|-----------|------------------------|-----------------------|---|-----------|
| S. No. | Learning Outcome | Theory (07 Hours) | Practical (08 Hours) | 15 Hrs |
| 1. | Describe importance | Main sectors of green | Preparing a poster on any one of the | 08 |

| | of main sector of green economy | economy E-waste management ,green transporatation,renewal energy,green construction, water management. • Policy initiatives for greening economy in India | sectors of green economy. • Writing a two-page essay on important initiatives taken in India for promoting green economy | |
|----|--|--|---|----|
| 2. | Describe the major green Sectors/Areas and the role of various stakeholder in green economy | Stakeholders in green economy. Role of government and privateagencies in greening cities,buildings, tourism, industry, transport, renewable energy, waste management, agriculture, water, forests and fisheries | Preparing posters on greenSectors/Areas: cities, buildings,tourism industry, transport, renewable energy, waste management, agriculture, water, forests and fisheries | 07 |
| | | | Total Duration in Hours | 15 |

Part B: Vocational Skills

| Unit | Unit 1: Communication Skills | | |
|-----------|-------------------------------|----|--|
| S. No. | S. No. Units Duration in Ho | | |
| 1. | Unit 1: Computer Fundamentals | 60 | |
| | | | |

| 2. | Unit 2: Installation of Motherboard, CPU, Memory | 40 |
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| 3. | Unit 3: Installation of Storage Devices | 20 |
| 4 | Unit 4: Installation of Peripherals and Expansion Cards | 20 |
| 5 | Unit 5: Installation of Video and Display Devices | 20 |
| | Total Duration | 160 |

| S. No. | Learning Outcome | Theory (30 Hours) | Practical (30 Hours) | 60 Hrs |
|-----------|---|---|--|-----------|
| 1. | Appreciate the concept of Information Technology (IT) and explore its various application areas | Introduction to IT. Hardware and software in IT. IT and Information Technology Enabled. Service (ITeS). Application areas of IT. | List out various IT and ITeS services Collect the information about thevarious application areas of IT. | 02 |
| 2. | Study the brief history and evolution of computer | History of computing device Technological variations in the generations of computers in hardware and software Classification of computers – As per Purpose, working principle,size and storage capacity. Specification of various types of computer with justification | Draw a table comparing the hardware technology of computers with example Draw a table comparing the programming language with example. List out the specifications of computer with justification. | 06 |

| 3. | Explain the various parts of computer system | Different components of computer system Features and specifications of different parts of computer system Uses of different parts of computer system Different types of cables and connector | Identify and list different components connectors and cables List features, types and specifications of different parts. | 02 |
|----|--|---|--|----|
| 4. | Explain Input, Output Devices | Introduction to various input, output devices Features, working of various input and output devices Computer hardware for assistive technology | Identify and make a list of various input, output devices Identify various input, output devices of a given computer system List the various devices used for assistive technology | 04 |
| 5. | Explain the various storage devices. | Common fixed and portable storage devices and their uses. Optical storage media. Solid state drive, Memory sticks/Pen drives, Flash memory and data cards. Backup and its need. Difference between primary andsecondary memory. | Identify and list the common fixedand portable storage devices andtheir uses. Identify and list the optical backing storage media and their uses. Classify the storage media into sequential and random. | 04 |
| 6. | Explain the Motherboards, | Motherboard and its components | Identify the motherboard and | 06 |

| | Processors andAdapter Cards | Block diagram of CPU. Various parts and functions of CPU Latest commonly available processor and their specifications Adapter cards. | various components mounted on it Draw block diagram of CPU. Collect the make, model and specifications of commonly available motherboard and processor from the market | |
|----|--|--|--|----|
| 7. | Explain the various types of internal memory | Various types of internal memory and their uses Difference between various internal memory. How data is stored in computer system | List various types of internal memory and state their uses Differentiate the various interna memory Draw the data storage diagram. | 06 |
| 8. | Connect I/O and multimedia devices to the respective ports | I/O Ports. Multimedia Ports. Multimedia Devices Connectivity of multimedia devicesin the respective ports. Connectivity of I/O devices in therespective I/O ports. | Identify the various I/O ports Identify the various multimedia ports. Identify the various multimedia devices. Connect the given I/O device in the respective port. Connect the given multimedia devices in the respective ports | 04 |
| 9. | Demonstrate the use of | The display device of computer. Quality of display. | List the various display device of computer | 06 |

| | Graphic Card in video Display | Graphic Cards and its function. Features/ specification of graphics card | Collect the specifications of various types of graphics card withits quality of display. | |
|-----|---|---|--|----|
| 10. | Setup and bootcomputer system | Physical connectivity of variousparts of computer system. Connectivity and operation of peripheral devices. Booting procedure. | Verify the physical connectivity of various parts Start the computer system and peripherals in proper manner. Check the working of computer system and peripherals Observe booting process and note the errors if any | 04 |
| 11. | Explore system information | User name and password. Operating system and application programs Operating system navigation toaccess system information. Hardware and software Configuration On-line help functions. | Enter user name and password. Identify the va and explore various applications installed. List the hardware and softwareconfiguration. Use on-line help functions. | 04 |
| 12. | Explore the basicoperations ofOperating System | Concept of operating system. Types of operating system. Desktop applications. Basic desktop operations | List various types of operatingsystem Perform the basic operations onthe desktop | 04 |
| 13. | Upkeep computer | Tips to clean the computer parts | Keep the cabinet. Clean the keyboard and | 04 |

| | system and peripherals | and peripherals Tools and materials required toupkeep the computer parts and peripheral | mouse Clean the monitor Clean the CD/DVD drive Clean the headphone | |
|-----|---|---|---|----|
| 14. | Follow the safety practices while using computer | Various safety issues in computer Electrical safety. Equipment and self-grounding. Electrostatic discharge. Material safety. Compliance with regulations Fire safety. Tools for safety measures. Examples with incident. | List common health and safety issues when using a computer. Recycle printed outputs, printer toner cartridges to maintain the green environment. Use a monitor that consumes less power | 04 |
| | | | Total Duration in Hours | 60 |

| Unit | Unit 2:Installation of Motherboard, CPU, Memory | | | | |
|-----------|---|---|--|-----------|--|
| S. No. | Learning Outcome | Theory (20 Hours) | Practical (20 Hours) | 25 Hrs | |
| 1. | Identify the given component formed on motherboard | Introduction to motherboard. Current make and models of motherboards Components of motherboard. Processor sockets, memory banks on the motherboard and expansion slots. | List the current make and modelsof motherboards. Identify various component on the motherboard Identify the processor sockets, | 12 | |

| | | Ports on the motherboard. Motherboard form factors and its types Various connectors and jumpers on the motherboard. CMOS (Complementary Metal- Oxide Semiconductor). Setup parameters and features on motherboard. | memory banks on themotherboard. Identify various expansion slots and ports on the motherboard. Identify various connectors and jumpers on the motherboard. Identify the CMOS Change setup parameters and features on the motherboard. | |
|----|--|--|---|----|
| 2. | Perform the given setting on BIOS | BIOS and CMOS Accessing BIOS Various BIOS settings Bootsequence, Visualization support,Clock speed, Security. POST and other diagnostics. | Access BIOS Verify the existing BIOS settings. Set or change BIOS configurations. | 06 |
| 3. | Explain the given characteristic ofprocessor (CPU) | Introduction to processor. CPU Generations. Characteristics of CPU chips – 32 bits, 64 bits. Configuration and capability of CPU chips Different generations of CPU. CPU socket types – Intel and | Identify and name the current CPU chips Collect configuration of current CPU chips Collect the pictures and videos ofvarious types of processor andobserve the difference in technology | 08 |
| 4. | Install CPU | Installation process of | Watch the video for | 06 |

| | | CPU. • Voltage, clock multiplier and bus speed | installation of CPU Install CPU and test it for proper functioning Use the diagnostic tool. | |
|----|-----------------------------------|---|---|----|
| 5. | Install and testMemory card | Introduction to Memory. Types of RAM and ROM. Memory form factors and slot types Characteristics of RAM. Speed requirements of RAM. Single, Dual and Triple channel architecture. Single vs double sided. | Identify the various types of RAM chips Identify and install the slot to install the RAM chip Test the RAM for proper functioning Verify the capability and speed of the RAM on the system | 08 |
| | | | Total Duration in Hours | 40 |

| S. | Learning | Theory | Practical | 20 |
|-----|---|---|---|-----|
| No. | Outcome | (10 Hours) | (10 Hours) | Hrs |
| 1. | Classify Hard disk drives based on their working characteristics | Introduction of Hard Disk Drive (HDD) Physical and logical components of HDD. HDD speeds and characteristics. External connections types. Solid state drives. Optical disk drives. | Identify the physical and logicalcomponents of HDD Observe the working of HDD invideo clip. Compare the solid state driveswith normal drive | 10 |

| | | | Total Duration in Hours | 20 |
|----|---|--|--|----|
| 2. | Install/uninstall storage devices | Installation process of opticaldrive. interfaces – IDE, EIDE ,PATA Master and slave configuration SATA and SSD. SATA connectors & cables. SCSI Interfaces Common symptoms of problem in HDD | Install optical drive Identify the different disk drive interfaces. Identify SATA data connectors and cables Identify the problems in HDD if any. Disconnect the HDD Re-connect the HDD | 10 |
| | | | Identify and list other storage media. | |

| S. No. | Learning Outcome | Theory (10 Hours) | Practical (10 Hours) | 20 Hrs |
|-----------|--|---|--|-----------|
| 1. | Install and configure the given peripheral devices. | The various peripheral devices. Device drivers. Connectivity of various peripheral devices with the system. | Identify and list various peripheral device Connect the peripheral deviceslike printer and scanner in appropriate port. | 10 |
| 2. | Identify the given connector type and associated cable. | Types of connector and associated cable USB controller. Firewire. Firewire cables and connections | Identify various types of connector and cable Connect the devices to USB port Identify the firewire cables and | 05 |

| | | | connections. | |
|----|---|---|---|----|
| 3. | Install and configure expansion cards. | Various types of expansion cards and its connectivity Steps to add expansion card. | Identify the various types of expansion/ add on cards. Fix the add on card in slot. Install/configure relevant driver for the add on card | 05 |
| | | | Total Duration in Hours | 20 |

| Unit | Unit 5: Installation of Video and Display Devices | | | | |
|-----------|--|--|---|-----------|--|
| S. No. | Learning Outcome | Theory (10 Hours) | Practical (10 Hours) | 20 Hrs | |
| 1. | Explain characteristics and features of display devices | Different types of display devices – CRT, LCD, LED, Plasma, Projector, OLED. Common resolution of various display Configuration of resolution. | Identify the different display devices Identify the resolution of various display Configure the resolution in windows | 10 | |
| 2. | Identify video connector types and associated cables | Various types of connectors and cables. Interface VGA, DVI, HDMI Adapters Other connections. Display ports. Video cards and drivers | Identify various types ofconnectors and cables. Identify the port Connect the devices in the appropriate port Verify the connectivity and makethe connected device functional | 05 | |
| 3. | Troubleshoot | Basic troubleshooting | Rectify the common | 05 | |

| common video and display issues | VGA mode, No image on screen,Dim/ Flickering image Discoloration, Overheat shutdown,Dead pixels Artifacts anddistorted images, Color patterns. | displayissuesRectify the problem in display.Correct the problem in display. | |
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| | | Total Duration in Hours | 20 |

CLASS 12

Part A: Employability Skills

| S. No. | Units | Duration in Hours |
|-----------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. | Unit 1: Communication Skills – IV | 25 |
| 2. | Unit 2: Self-management Skills – IV | 25 |
| 3. | Unit 3: Basic ICT Skills – IV | 25 |
| 4. | Unit 4: Entrepreneurial Skills – IV | 25 |
| 5. | Unit 5: Green Skills – IV | 15 |
| | Total | 115 |

| Unit 1: Communication Skills – IV | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|---|---|--|-----------|
| S. No. | Learning Outcome | Theory (10 Hours) | Practical (15 Hours) | 25 Hrs |
| 1. | Describe the steps to active listening skills | Importance of active listening at workplace Steps to active listening | Demonstration of the key aspectsof becoming active listener Preparing posters of steps fo active listening. | 10 |
| 2. | Demonstrate basic writing skills | Writing skills to the following: Sentence Phrase Kinds of | Demonstration and practice of writing sentences and paragraphs on topics related to the subject | 15 |

| Sentences Parts of Sentence Parts of Speech Articles Construction of a Paragraph | | |
|---|-------------------------|----|
| | Total Duration in Hours | 25 |

| S. No. | Learning Outcome | Theory | Practical | 25 Hrs |
|-----------|---|---|--|-----------|
| 1. | Describe the various factors influencing self- motivation | Finding and listing motives (needs and desires); Finding sources of motivation and inspiration (music, books, activities); expansive thoughts; living fully in the present moment; dreaming big. | Group discussion on identifying needs and desire. Discussion on sources of motivation and inspiration | 10 |
| 2. | Describe the basic personality traits, types and disorders | Describe the meaning of personality. Describe how personality influence others Describe basic personality traits Describe common personalitydisorders-paranoid,antisocial,schizoid, borderline,, narcissistic ,avoidant, dependent andobsessive. | Demonstrate the knowledge of different personality types | 15 |

| | Total Duration in Hours | 25 |
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| Unit 3: Basic ICT Skills | | | | | |
|--------------------------|--|---|--|-----------|--|
| S. No. | Learning Outcome | Theory | Practical | 25 Hrs | |
| 1. | Prepare documentation using Word Processing Application | Introduction to word processing. Software packages for word processing Opening and exiting the word processor Creating a document. Saving document. Text editing. Word wrap and alignment. Font size, type and face Header and Footer. Auto Correct. Numbering and Bullet. Creating Table. Password protection. Printing document Find and Replace Page numbering. Saving a document in various formats | List the features of word processing List the software packages for Word processing. Open and exit word processor. Create a document. Edit the text Wrap and align the text Change the font type, size, and face. Insert Header and Footer. Use Autocorrect option Assign numbering and bullets tolist items. Create Table. Save the document. Protect the document with password Print the document. Use Find and Replace Give page numbering. Save the document in variousformats | 10 | |
| 2. | Perform Tabulation using | Introduction to spreadsheet application | Introduce with the spreadsheet application | 10 | |

| | Spreadsheet Application | Various spreadsheet applications. Creating a new worksheet Opening workbook and entering data Resizing fonts and styles. Copying and moving Filter and sorting. Formulas and functions Password protection. Printing a spreadsheet Saving a spreadsheet in various formats | List the spreadsheet applications. Create a new worksheet. Open the workbook and enter text Resize fonts and styles. Copy & move the cell data. Sort and Filter the data Apply elementary formulas and functions Protect the spreadsheet with password. Print a spreadsheet Save the spreadsheet in various formats | |
|----|---|--|--|----|
| 3. | Prepare Presentation using Presentation Application | Introduction to presentation software. Software packages for presentation Creating a new presentation Entering and editing text. Adding a slide Deleting a slide. Formatting text. Inserting clipart & images. Slide layout Slide transition and custom animation Saving a presentation. Printing a presentation | Explain the features of presentation. List the software packages for presentation Create a new presentation. Add a slide to presentation. Delete a slide. Enter and edit text. Format text. Insert clipart & images. Slide layout Save a presentation. Print a presentation. document. | 05 |
| | | | Total Duration in Hours | 25 |

| Unit 4: Entrepreneurial Skills – IV | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|------------|------------|-----|
| S. | Learning | Theory | Practical | 25 |
| No. | Outcome | (10 Hours) | (15 Hours) | Hrs |

| 1. | Identify the general and entrepreneurial behavioral competencies | Barriers to becoming entrepreneur. Behavioral and entrepreneurial competencies – adaptability/decisiveness, initiative/perseverance, interpersonal skills, organizational skills, stress management, valuing service and diversity. | Administering self-rating questionaire and score responses on each of the competencies. Collect small story/anecdote of prominent successful entrepreneurs Identify entrepreneurial competencies reflected in each story and connect it to the definition of behavioral competencies. Preparation of competency profile of students | 10 |
|----|--|---|--|----|
| 2. | Demonstrate the knowlwdge of self- assessment of behavioral competencies | Entrepreneurial competency in particular: self-confidence, initiative, seeing and acting on opportunities, concern for quality,goal setting and risk taking,problem solving and creativity, systematic planning and efficiency, information seeking, persistence, influencing and negotiating, team building. | Games and exercises on changing entrepreneurial behaviorand development ofcompetenciesfor enhancing self- confidence,problem solving, goal setting,information seeking, team buildingand creativity. | 15 |
| | | | Total Duration in Hours | 25 |

| Unit 5: Green Skills – IV | | | | |
|---------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------|
| S. No. | Learning Outcome | Theory (05 Hours) | Practical (10 Hours) | 15 Hrs |
| 1. | Identify the | Role of green jobs in toxin- | Listing of green jobs | 15 |

| role and importance of green jobs in different sectors | free homes • Green organic gardening, public transport and energy conservation • Green jobs in water conservation. • Green jobs in solar and wind power, waste reduction, reuse and recycling of wastes • Green jobs in green tourism • Green jobs in building and construction • Green jobs in appropriate technology • Role of green jobd in improving energy and raw materials use • Role of green jobs in limiting greenhouse gas emissions • Role of green jobs in pollution • Role of green jobs in support adaptation to the effects of climate change | andpreparation of posters on green job profiles • Prepare posters on green jobs. | |
|---|--|--|----|
| | | Total Duration in Hours | 15 |

Part B: Vocational Skills

| S. No. | Units | Duration in Hours |
|-----------|--|-------------------|
| 1. | Unit 1: Installation and configuration of Desktop Computer | 30 |
| 2. | Unit 2: Installation and configuration of Laptop Computer | 20 |
| | | |

| 3. | Unit 3: Installation of Operating System and Software | 50 |
|----|---|-----|
| 4. | Unit 4: Installation and Maintenance of Printer and Scanner | 30 |
| 5. | Unit 5: Diagnosis and troubleshooting of computer system | 30 |
| | Total Duration | 160 |

| S. No. | Learning Outcome | Theory (10 Hours) | Practical (20 Hours) | 30 Hrs |
|-----------|---|---|--|-----------|
| 1. | Add and remove field- replaceable modules for desktop. | Field-replaceable modules indesktop Procedures to add and remove modules in the desktop | Identify the various modules ofdesktop and the place of installation Apply the established procedure toadd and remove the modules | 06 |
| 2. | Install and configure devices | Typical IRQs, DMAs, and I/O addresses and settings | Identify typical IRQs, DMAs, and I/O addresses. Alter the settings when installing and configuring devices. | 08 |
| 3. | Install and configure common IDE devices | Establish procedure to install and configure common IDE devices. | Follow established practices to nstall and configure common IDE devices | 04 |
| 4. | Install, configure and upgrade system components | System components. Installation of system components. Configuration of system Components Up-gradation of system components | Identify and name the system components Install system components. Configure the system components Up-grade the system components | 10 |

| | Total Duration in Hours | 30 |
|--|-------------------------|----|

| Unit | 2: Installation and co | onfiguration of Laptop Com | puter | |
|-----------|--|---|---|-----------|
| S. No. | Learning Outcome | Theory (20 Hours) | Practical (30 Hours) | 50 Hrs |
| 1. | Prepare for installation of Windows 10 | System configuration – processor, RAM,HDD. Introduction to desktop operating sysytem-Windows BIOS settings. Installation media Installation media Installation manual. License agreement. Installation key. HDD Partitioning. Types of file system Device drivers – VGA, Sound. | Start the computer and check the BIOS settings Note the system configuration. Match the requirement of OS installation with the exiting system configuration Set or change boot sequence in BIOS settings as per installation media Save the BIOS settings. | 04 |
| 2. | Install and configure Windows 10 OS | Procedure for installing Windows 10 Windows 10 device stetting Procedure to configure devices in windows 10 Procedure to configure networkconnectivity in Windows 10. Procedure to connect wired and wireless network in Windows 10 | Insert the media for installation Read and interpret the license agreement. Make the partitions in HDD Format the HDD with the required file system Choose the appropriate partition to install OS Follow the installation instructionsand provide the necessary data | 08 |

| | | | Confirm for the complete installation with all device drivers. | |
|----|---|---|---|----|
| 3. | Managing fies in Windows | Windows basics. File explorer. Working with files & folders. Windows 10 Apps | Manage files and folders in Windows 10. Copy, move, share files and folders in Windows 10. | 08 |
| 4. | Use various Windows utilities | The various system utilities and its features Installing and using system Installation of anti- virus. Using anti-virus software for removing virus Firewall and its configuration System requirement and installation of various software and utilities | List out the various system utilities. Install and use various systemutilities Install the anti-virus software. Run the anti-virus software todetect and remove virus. Configure firewall. Install and configure various software and system utilities. | 08 |
| 5. | Configure andtroubleshoot devicesand Printers in windows | Windows control panel. Configuration of various devices and printers Testing the working of various devices and printer. Various options to change thesettings of devices and printer. Troubleshooting operatingproblems | Explore the control panel forconfiguring the devices and printer Configure and test various devices and printers for their operation. Use various options to change thesettings of devices and printer. | 08 |

| | | of devices and printer in windows | Troubleshoot operating problemsof devices and printer in Windows. | |
|----|--------------------------------------|---|---|----|
| 6. | Install and configure Linux OS | Procedure to install and configure Linux Installation of packages. Procedure to configure devices in Linux Procedure to configure wired andwireless network in Linux. Creating user accounts Updating and upgrading Linux. Troubleshooting Linux. | Insert media for installation. Make the partitions in HDD. Format the HDD with the required file system Choose the appropriate partition to install OS Follow the installation instructionsand provide the necessary data Confirm for the complete installation with all device drivers | 08 |
| 7. | Install anti-virus and | Anti-virus packages – latest | List out the latest anti- virus | 06 |

| software packages | version with features Installation process. How to run anti-virus software fordetection and removal of viruses | packages with its version and features Read the installation instructions. Install the anti virus software. Run the anti-virus software todetect and remove virus. | |
|-------------------|--|--|----|
| | | Total Duration in Hours | 50 |

| Unit | Unit 4: Installation, Maintenance & Repair of Printer, Scanner | | | | | |
|-----------|---|--|---|-----------|--|--|
| S. No. | Learning Outcome | Theory (10 Hours) | Practical (20 Hours) | 30 Hrs | | |
| 1. | Identify the fundamental working principles of printers and scanners | Basics of printer and scanner. Terminology in printing and scanning Fundamental principle of printer and scanner | List the printing terminology Identify the fundamental principleof printing and scanning | 04 | | |
| 2. | Describe printing and scanning technologies. | Printing and scanning technology. working of printers working og scanner Types of printers Types of scanner | Observe the printing process and working for different printers. Observe the scanning process and working of different scanner | 04 | | |
| 3. | Establish the proper connectivity ofprinter and | Printer and scanner components. Interfaces. Connectors | Identify the components of printer and scanner Identify interfaces and | 06 | | |

| | scanner | Consumables and accessories | connectors for printer and scanner. Connect printer and scanner to computer Identify the consumables and accessories for printing. | |
|----|--|--|---|----|
| 4. | Install, configure, optimize, and upgrade printers and scanners | Requirement for installation. Installation process andcommands under Windows and Linux Adding network printer. | Observe the requirement for printer installation. Install the printer by following the instruction Add network printer. | 08 |
| 5. | Troubleshoot problems with printers and scanner | Common problem in printer functioning. Diagnostic procedures, and troubleshooting techniques for printers and scanners. | Observe the functioning of the printer Notice the problem in printer functioning Resolve the problem for proper functioning | 08 |
| | | | Total Duration in Hours | 30 |

| S. | Learning | Theory | Practical | 30 |
|-----|---|---|---|-----|
| No. | Outcome | (10 Hours) | (20 Hours) | Hrs |
| 1. | Identify the fundamental working principles of printers and scanners | Basics of printer and scanner Terminology in printing and scanning Fundamental principle of printer and scanner | List the printing terminology. Identify the fundamental principle of printing and scanning | 04 |

| 2. | Describe printing and scanning technologies. | Printing and scanning technology. Working of printer. Working of scanner. Types of printers. Types of scanners. | Observe the printing process andworking for different printers Observe the scanning process and working of different scanner. | 04 |
|----|---|---|--|----|
| 3. | Establish the proper connectivity of printer and scanner | Printer and scanner components. Interfaces Connectors. Consumables and accessories | Identify the components of printer and scanner Identify interfaces and connectors for printer and scanner. Connect printer and scanner to computer Identify the consumables and accessories for printing. | 06 |
| 4. | Install, configure, optimize, and upgrade printers and scanners. | Requirement for installation. Installation process andcommands under Windows and Linux Adding network printer. | Observe the requirement for printer. Notice the problem in printer functioning Resolve the problem for proper functioning | 08 |
| 5. | Troubleshoot problems with printers and scanners. | Common problem in printer functioning Diagnostic procedures, and troubleshooting techniques forprinters and scanners | Observe the functioning of the printer Notice the problem in printer functioning Resolve the problem for proper functioning | 08 |
| | | | Total Duration in Hours | 30 |

Unit 5: Diagnosis and troubleshooting computer system

| S. No. | Learning Outcome | Theory (10 Hours) | Practical (20 Hours) | 30 Hrs |
|-----------|---|--|--|-----------|
| 1. | Describe the basic troubleshooting procedures and tools | Basic troubleshooting procedures and tools | Read basic troubleshootingprocedures and tools. | 06 |
| 2. | Understand the customer's problem. | Techniques for eliciting information and problem symptoms from customers Analyzing the customer environment. | Practice techniques for eliciting information and problem symptoms from customers. Analyze the customer environment | 06 |
| 3. | Identify common problems and symptoms of system | Common problems associatedwith individual systemcomponents and their symptoms. | Identify common problems associated with individual systemcomponents and their symptoms | 06 |
| 4. | Use tools and techniques for troubleshooting | Tools, techniques and diagnosticprocedures for isolating andtroubleshooting problems Performing corrective measuresand component replacement. | Using tools, diagnostic proceduresand techniques for isolating andtroubleshooting problems. Perform corrective measures andreplace component. | 06 |
| 5. | Test and validatethe | Service tests.Benchmarks | Perform service tests, benchmarksand validation | 06 |

| device/equipment | Validation procedures. | procedures | |
|------------------|--|-------------------------|----|
| | | Total Duration in Hours | 30 |

6. ORGANISATION OF FIELD VISITS

In a year, at least 3 field visits/educational tours should be organised for the students to expose them to the activities in the workplace.

Visit a computer assembly and service centre and observe the fol owing: Location, Site, Computer systems and peripheral devices. During the visit, students should obtain the fol owing information from the owner or the supervisor of the nursery:

- 1. Computer System of various brands.
- 2. Computer parts and peripherals of various brands.
- 3. Specifications of various parts of computer system.
- 4. Comparison of various brands.
- 5. Types of computers.
- 6. Types of printers.
- 7. Types of scanners.
- 8. External and Internal Hard Disk.
- 9. Storage capacity of various storage devices.
- 10. Comparison of various parts based on cost.
- 11. Tools and equipment required for computer assembly.
- 12. Cost benefit analysis to purchase computer.
- 13. Specifications of computer based on the work requirement.
- 14. Any other information

7. LIST OF EQUIPMENT AND MATERIALS

The list given below is suggestive and an exhaustive list should be prepared by the vocational teacher. Only basic tools, equipment and accessories should be procured by the Institution so that the routine tasks can be performed by the students regularly for practice and acquiring adequate practical experience.

| Tools | Equipment | Materials |
|---|---|---|
| Components / Dividers Oscilloscope Rulers | Hubs/switchesCDROMSModem/router | UTP Cat. 5 cables UTP Cat.3 cables RJ 45 modular plug |

| I-square Multi-tester Pliers Clutters Screw drivers Goggles Gloves Protractor Steel rule LAN tester Utility Softwares Anti-static wrist wrap Masks Crimping tools Flashlights Sharp pointed | Printers Hubs Server Peripherals Desktop | Learning Manuals Work Instruction Hand-outs Board marker White board Schematic diagrams Charts Block diagrams Layout plans Location Plans Instrumentation |
|---|---|--|
| tweezers Mirrors(inspection) Soldering gun | Computer | diagrams Loop diagrams System Control diagrams Drawing boards |

8. TEACHER'S/TRAINER'S QUALIFICATION

Qualification and other requirements for appointment of vocational teachers/trainers on contractual basis should be decided by the State/UT. The suggestive qualifications and minimum competencies for the vocational teacher should be as follows:

| S. No | Qualification | Minimum Competencies | Age Limit |
|----------|--|--|---|
| 1 | Bachelor of Engineering / Technology in Computer Science / Technology OR Master of Computer Science OR Master of Computer Application OR Master of Information Technology OR DOEACC B Level Certificate It is recommended to have additional qualification such as CCNA, CCP or any other diploma in computer hardware maintenance | The candidate should have a minimum of 1 year of work experience in the same job ole. S/He should be able to communicate in English and local language. S/He should have knowledge of equipment, tools, material, Safety, Health & Hygiene. | 18-37 years (as on Jan. 01 (year)) Age relaxation to be provided as per Govt. rule |

Vocational Teachers/Trainers form the backbone of Vocational Education being imparted as an integral part of Rashtriya Madhyamik Shiksha *Abhiyan* (RMSA). They are directly involved in teaching of vocational subjects and also serve as a link between the industry and the schools for arranging industry visits, On-the-Job Training (OJT) and placement.

These guidelines have been prepared with an aim to help and guide the States in engaging quality Vocational Teachers/Trainers in the schools. Various parameters that need to be looked into while engaging the Vocational Teachers/Trainers are mode and procedure of selection of Vocational Teachers/Trainers, Educational Qualifications, Industry Experience, and Certification/Accreditation.

The State may engage Vocational Teachers/Trainers in schools approved under the component of Vocationalisation of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education under RMSA in fol owing ways:

1. Directly as per the prescribed qualifications and industry experience suggested by the PSS Central Institute of Vocational Education(PSSCIVE), NCERT or the respective Sector Skil Council(SSC).

OR

2. Through accredited Vocational Training Providers accredited under the National Quality Assurance Framework (NQAF*) approved by the National Skil Qualification Committee on

21.07.2016. If the State is engaging Vocational Teachers/Trainers through the Vocational Training Provider (VTP), it should ensure that VTP should have been accredited at NQAF Level 2 or higher.

* The National Quality Assurance Framework (NQAF) provides the benchmarks or quality

criteria which the different organisations involved in education and training must meet in order to be accredited by competent bodies to provide government-funded education and training/skil s activities. This is applicable to al organizations offering NSQF-compliant qualifications.

The educational qualifications required for being a Vocational Teacher/Trainer for a particular job role are clearly mentioned in the curriculum for the particular NSQF compliant job role. The State should ensure that teachers / trainers deployed in the schools have relevant technical competencies for the NSQF qualification being delivered. The Vocational Teachers/Trainers preferably should be certified by the concerned Sector

Skil Council for the particular Qualification Pack/Job role which he wil be teaching. Copies of relevant certificates and/or record of experience of the teacher/trainer in the industry should be kept as record.

To ensure the quality of the Vocational Teachers/Trainers, the State should ensure that a standardized procedure for selection of Vocational Teachers/Trainers is fol owed. The selection procedure should consist of the fol owing:

1. Written test for the technical/domain specific knowledge related to the sector;

2. Interview for assessing the knowledge, interests and aptitude of trainer through a panel of experts from the field and state representatives; and

3. Practical test/mock test in classroom/workshop/laboratory.

In case of appointment through VTPs, the selection may be done based on the above procedure by a committee having representatives of both the State Government and the VTP.

The State should ensure that the Vocational Teachers/ Trainers who are recruited should undergo induction training of 20 days for understanding the scheme, NSQF framework and Vocational Pedagogy before being deployed in the schools.

The State should ensure that the existing trainers undergo in-service training of 5 days every year to make them aware of the relevant and new techniques/approaches in their sector and understand the latest trends and policy reforms in vocational education.

The Head Master/Principal of the school where the scheme is being implemented should facilitate and ensure that the Vocational Teachers/Trainers:

- Prepare session plans and deliver sessions which have a clear and relevant purpose and which engage the students;
- Deliver education and training activities to students, based on the curriculum to achieve the learning outcomes;
- Make effective use of learning aids and ICT tools during the classroom sessions;

- Engage students in learning activities, which include a mix of different methodologies, such as project based work, team work, practical and simulation based learning experiences;
- Work with the institution's management to organise skil demonstrations, site visits, on-job trainings, and presentations for students in cooperation with industry, enterprises and other workplaces;
- Identify the weaknesses of students and assist them in up-gradation of competency;
- Cater to different learning styles and level of ability of students;
- Assess the learning needs and abilities, when working with students with different abilities
- Identify any additional support the student may need and help to make special arrangements for that support;
- Provide placement assistance
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Assessment and evaluation of Vocational Teachers/Trainers is very critical for making them aware of their performance and for suggesting corrective actions. The States/UTs should ensure that the performance of the Vocational Teachers/Trainers is appraised annual y. Performance based appraisal in relation to certain pre-established criteria and objectives should be done periodical y to ensure the quality of the Vocational Teachers/Trainers. Fol owing parameters may be considered during the appraisal process:

- Participation in guidance and counsel ing activities conducted at Institutional, District and State level;
- Adoption of innovative teaching and training methods;
- Improvement in result of vocational students of Class X or Class XII;
- Continuous up-gradation of knowledge and skil s related to the vocational pedagogy, communication skil s and vocational subject;
- Membership of professional society at District, State, Regional, National and International level;
- Development of teaching-learning materials in the subject area;
- Efforts made in developing linkages with the Industry/Establishments;
- Efforts made towards involving the local community in Vocational Education
- Publication of papers in National and International Journals;
- Organisation of activities for promotion of vocational subjects;
- Involvement in placement of students/student support services.

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