



# Directorate of Distance & ONLINE EDUCATION

MASTER OF ARTS

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION















#### Introduction

The Master of Arts in Public Administration through online mode is designed to help students develop strong analytical skills and grounding in diverse critical and theoretical approaches. The programme helps students develop specialization in the particular area of administrative studies. The course aims at generating qualified, competent and articulate human resource capable of contributing to relevant domains of knowledge.

An important objective of the Masters programme is to introduce students to advanced study and scholarly activity in order to provide an avenue towards a PhD for those who wish eventually to seek a career in the academia. In addition, the course is designed to provide a reasonably complete higher education in administrative studies for those who do not intend to proceed to a further degree in the field but who may branch into other areas as diverse as publishing, editing, journalism, administration, management, communications, or teaching.

The programme offers various compulsory courses providing training in Politics and grounding in the genre, eras and movements in Polity, a hands-on acquaintance with administrative criticism as well as polity and political theory. To create informed and motivated scholars, academics, litterateurs and communicators this programme adopts a comparative, contextualized and interdisciplinary perspective drawn from contemporary view of administrative and culture.

# Programme's Mission and Objectives

#### Mission:

To develop reached and unreached students into a new generation of leaders through updated quality education and carrier assistance by open and distance learning.

#### **Objectives:**

The M.A Public Administration program of Mangalayatan University is designed after acknowledging essential quality inputs received from students, alumni, parents, academicians/teachers and also incorporating the contribution of the ability which enable a learner to develop critical thinking and decision making skills so that they can identify and analyze problems, develop feasible alternatives and make decisions effectively and efficiently. The M.A programme will help students in acquiring specialised knowledge for developing the terminology and practical elements of administrative theory; also will be able to analyse the underlying meaning of Indian Administration, Personnel Administration and Financial Administration as well.



# Instructional Design

The program is divided into four semesters and minimum credit requirement is 80 to get M.A (Public Administration) degree in OL mode from Mangalayatan University. Minimum time period for acquiring M.A (Public Administration) degree will be two years and maximum time period to acquire MA(Public Administration) degree is 4 years.

SEMESTER - I							
S.No.	Course Code	Course	Credit	Continuous Assessment	Term End Exam	Grand Total	
		Theory		MAX	MAX		
1	MPA-101	Public Administration	4	30	70	100	
2	MPA-102	Indian Administration	6	30	70	100	
3 MPA-103 Organisation Behaviour		6	30	70	100		
4 MPA-104 Financial Administration		4	30	70	100		
TOTAL		20	120	280	400		

	SEMESTER - II							
S.No.	Course Code	Course	Credit	Continuous Assessment	Term End Exam	Grand Total		
		Theory		MAX	MAX			
1	MPA-201	Comparative Devt. Public Ad	4	30	70	100		
2	MPA-202	Public Personnel Administration	6	30	70	100		
3	MPA-203 Theory & Practice of Local Government		6	30	70	100		
4	MPA-204	Corporate Governance	4	30	70	100		
TOTAL			20	120	280	400		

SEMESTER - III							
S.No.	Course Code	Course	Credit Continuou Assessmer		Term End Exam	Grand Total	
		Theory		MAX	MAX		
1	MPA-301	Research Methods	4	30	70	100	
2	MPA-302	Administrative Law	6	30	70	100	
3	MPA-303 Techniques of Administr- -ative Improvement		6	30	70	100	
4 MPA-304 Social Welfare Administration		4	30	70	100		
TOTAL			20	120	280	400	

	SEMESTER - IV							
S.No.	Course Code	Course	Credit	Continuous Assessment	Term End Exam	Grand Total		
		Theory		MAX	MAX			
1	MPA-401	Public Health & Administration	4	30	70	100		
2	MPA-402	Emerging Areas in Public administration	6	30	70	100		
3	MPA-403	03 Ethics, Integrity & Aptitude in Public Administration		30	70	100		
3	MPA-404	Dissertation	4	30	70	100		
TOTAL	TOTAL			120	280	400		

# Syllabi and Course Materials

Syllabi, PPR and self-learning materials are developed mostly by experienced faculty members of Mangalayatan University in consultation with contents experts and the same will be forwarded to CIQA and Board of Studies/Academic Council/ Executive Council for further suggestions and approval.

### Study Material

The study material in digital format (e – content) of the programme shall be supplied to the students unit - wise for every course.

#### Video Lectures

The Video lectures as prescribed by the UGC Regulation shall be made available on the LMS portal of the University.

## Online Counselling Sessions

The online counselling sessions shall be scheduled beforehand by the Subject Coordinator and informed to the learners. There shall be 6 online counselling sessions / contact classes of 2 hours each for a 4 credit course, held on Saturdays and Sundays. In case of 2 credits course there shall be 4 sessions of 2 hours each and in case of 6 credits course there shall be 8 sessions of 2 hours each.

# Medium of Instruction

Medium of Course Instruction: English
Medium of Examination: English

# Student Support Systems

The university will appoint programme coordinators, course coordinator and course mentors to facilitate the learners in their learning.

Finally, The university has made appropriate arrangements for various support services including online counselling and resource-oriented-services, evaluation methods for both on and off line modes for easy and smooth services to the students' through online mode.

# Procedure for Admissions, Curriculum, Transaction and Evaluation

FEE STRUCTURE								
Name of the Program	Degree	Duration	One Time	Semester	Exam Fee	Full Year	Total	
			Reg. Fee	Fee	Per Semester	Fee	Fees	
Master of Arts	PG	2 Years	1000	8000	1000	18000	37000	
(Public Administration)								
Total							37000	

ACTIVITY SCHEDULE							
		Tentative months schedule (specify months) during ye					
S.NO.	Name of the Activity	From(Month)	To (Month)	From(Month)	To (Month)		
1	Admission	Jul	Sep	Jan	Mar		
2	Assignment submission (if any)	Sep	Oct	Mar	Apr		
3	Evaluation of Assignment	Oct	Nov	Apr	May		
4	Examination	Dec	Dec	Jun	Jun		
5	Declaration of Result	Jan	Jan	Jul	Jul		
6	Re-registration	Jul	Jul	Jan	Jan		
7	Distribution of SLM	Jul	Sep	Jan	Mar		
8	Contact Programmes	Sep	Nov	Mar	May		
	(counselling, Practicals.etc.)						

CREDIT SYSTEM							
Duration of the Programme	Credits	Name of the Programme	Level of the Programme				
2 Yrs.	80	MA (Public Administration)	Master's Degree (General)				



# Why Online Education?

- Comfortable and Flexible.
- Convenience of attending classes from home.
- Cost Effective.
- Time saving.
- No commuting.
- Monetary benefits- No textbooks required.
- Repeated access to the same lecture.
- Study anytime, anywhere.
- Write proctored exam from home

# Admission Process

- Register with Mangalayatan Online Programs
- Pay Registration fees through our available payment gateways
- Upload relevant documents and mark sheets
- Get provisional admission
- Pay semester fees
- Get admission confirmation from University
- Roll number allotted to every student
- LMS id and password creation.





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