

ORDINANCE / REGULATIONS
Undergraduate Apprenticeship Embedded Degree Programme (UGAEDP)
University of Lucknow

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1. Short Title, Commencement and Applicability

- 1.1 These Regulations shall be called the *University of Lucknow Undergraduate Apprenticeship Embedded Degree Programme (UGAEDP) Regulations*.
- 1.2 These Regulations shall come into force from the academic session as notified by the University after approval by the Academic Council and Executive Council.
- 1.3 These Regulations shall apply to all Undergraduate Degree Programmes of the University of Lucknow and its constituent/affiliated colleges where apprenticeship is embedded as an integral component of the degree programme.

2. Statutory Basis

- 2.1 These Regulations are framed in pursuance of:
 - (a) The University Grants Commission Act, 1956;
 - (b) The Apprentices Act, 1961 and Apprenticeship Rules, as amended from time to time;
 - (c) National Education Policy (NEP) 2020;
 - (d) UGC Guidelines on Apprenticeship Embedded Degree Programme (AEDP), 2025;
 - (e) Curriculum and Credit Framework for Undergraduate Programmes (CCFUP);
 - (f) National Credit Framework (NCrF);
 - (g) Statutes, Ordinances and Regulations of the University of Lucknow.

3. Definitions

- 3.1 "UGAEDP" means an Undergraduate Apprenticeship Embedded Degree Programme wherein apprenticeship training is an integral, credit-bearing component of an undergraduate degree programme.
- 3.2 "Apprentice" means a student admitted to an undergraduate degree programme of the University of Lucknow and engaged in apprenticeship training under a valid contract of apprenticeship.
- 3.3 "Apprenticeship Training" means training in an industry or establishment under a contract of apprenticeship consisting of basic training and on-the-job training (OJT).
- 3.4 "Establishment" means any industry, organization, institution, enterprise, government department, public or private sector entity eligible to engage apprentices under the Apprentices Act, 1961.
- 3.5 "Higher Educational Institution" means the University of Lucknow and its constituent/affiliated colleges recognized by the UGC.

FRAMEWORK (Structure)

If P1, P2, P3.....P12 are courses taught in Major Subjects and Q1, Q2, Q3, and Q4 are Courses taught in Minor Subject, then the proposed Structure of Undergraduate Apprenticeship Embedded Degree Programmes (UGAEDP) at the University of Lucknow, would be as follow:-

Year	Semester	Major A (Subject 1)		Major B (Subject 2)		Minor / General (Subject 3)		Co-Curricular Course (CC) / Vocational Course (VC)		Total Credits	Degree		
		Courses	Credits	Courses	Credits	Courses	Credits	Courses	Credits				
1	Sem 1	P - 1	4	P - 1	4	Q - 1	2	CC – 1	2	20	Certificate		
		P - 2	4	P - 2	4								
	Sem 2	P - 3	4	P - 3	4	Q - 2	2	VC – 1	2	20			
		P - 4	4	P - 4	4								
2	Sem 3	P - 5	4	P - 5	4	Q - 3	2	CC – 2	2	20	Diploma		
		P - 6	4	P - 6	4								
	Sem 4	P - 7	4	P - 7	4	Q - 4	2	VC - 2	2	20			
		P - 8	4	P - 8	4								
3	Sem 5	P - 9	4	P - 9	4	Q - 5	2	VC / CC	2	20	Graduation Degree (AEDP)		
		P - 10	4	P - 10	4								
	Sem 6	A three months Apprenticeship Program will earn 10 credits or six months Apprenticeship program will earn 20 credits including viva voce (Student to be decided two three months Apprenticeship program or one six months Apprenticeship program)										20	
4	Sem 7	P - 11 A / B / C*	4	MOOC	4			Minor Project or Dissertation in Major A	8	20	Graduation Honours with AEDP		
		P - 12**	4										
	Sem 8	A three months Apprenticeship Program will earn 10 credits or six months Apprenticeship program will earn 20 credits including viva voce (Student to be decided two three months Apprenticeship program or one six months Apprenticeship program)										20	
		Rashtra Gaurav (Compulsory Non-Credit Course)***											
Total Credits											160		

Note:-

*Students will study Course P - 11 A / B / C as an Elective in Major A.

**Students will study Course P - 12 as a Research Methodology.

***Students will have to pass the Rashtra Gaurav for obtaining Certificate, Diploma, Undergraduate Degree or Undergraduate Honours Degree with Research, only once.