

B.Ed. Two Year Programme

E.3 : Computer and Web Technologies in Education

Maximum Marks: 100

Aim

The course intends to develop an understanding of use of Computers and Web technologies in Educational Context. Specifically the Course will have the following aims: Become aware of fundamentals of computers and widespread use of various application software in education; become familiar with web technologies and their role in pedagogical approaches; become aware of the potential and practical issues / problems of computer and web technologies usage in their own subject area.

Unit I: Computers in Education

Fundamentals of Computer

- Hardware and Software
- Troubleshooting, Networking and Internet Security

Introduction to Application Software in Education

- Proprietary and Open Source Software
- Generic (Office, VUE etc.) and Subject specific application software
- Assistive technologies in Education

Unit II: Web Technologies in Education

- Introduction to Web technologies: Web.1.0, Web.2.0, & Web.3.0
- Web 2.0 technologies for classroom learning
- Learning Objects: concept and its applications to educational contexts
- Computer / web supported pedagogical approaches (Computer Assisted Learning (CAL), Problem Based Learning, Project Based Learning, etc.)
- Computer / Web Technologies in School Administration
- Web tools for assessment of/for learning
- Information literacy: Concept, Components, Standards, and its application to educational contexts

Unit III: Introduction to programming

- Basic, LOGO, and C

Unit IV: Issues related to Technology Integration in Education

- Practical issues in integrating computer and web technologies for classroom learning

Sessional Practical

Project Work (in small groups) on subject specific themes using application software and web technologies

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