

**Certificate
in
Library and Information Science**

**Assignments
For January 2023 and July 2023 Sessions**



**Faculty of Library and Information Science
School of Social Sciences
Indira Gandhi National Open University
Maidan Garhi
New Delhi-110068**

DATES FOR SUBMISSION OF ASSIGNMENTS

FOR JANUARY SESSION

31th March 2023

FOR JULY SESSION

30th September 2023

WHERE TO SUBMIT THE ASSIGNMENTS

**Kindly submit your assignments at the
concerned Study Centre within the due
dates as mentioned above**

Dec 2013

© Indira Gandhi National Open University, 2013

All rights reserved. No part of this work may be reproduced in any form, by mimeograph or any other means, without permission in writing from the Indira Gandhi National Open University.

Further information on Indira Gandhi National Open University courses may be obtained from the University's office at Maidan Garhi, New Delhi-110 068 or visit university's web site <http://www.ignou.ac.in>.

Printed and published on behalf of the Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi by the Director, School of Social Sciences.

Laser Typeset by:

Printed at

CONTENTS

	Page No.
Instructions for Assignments	4
BLI-011 : Libraries: an Introduction	6
BLII-012 : Document Processing and Organisation	8
BLII-013 : Information Sources and Library services	10
BLII-014 : ICT in Libraries	12

INSTRUCTIONS FOR ASSIGNMENTS:

- 1) As part of CLIS Programme, each candidate has to do one assignment each in all the courses.
- 2) Assignments carry 30% weightage in the continuous evaluation of a course. The Term End Examination carries 70% weightage. Hence, the marks/grade you get in your assignments will be counted in your final result. Candidates are, therefore, advised to take assignments seriously, complete and submit them in time.
- 3) You must remember that assignments are compulsory. You will not be allowed to appear for the Term End Examination for a course if you do not submit the specified number of assignments and complete the practical in time for that course.

Instructions for Tutor Marked Assignments:

- 1) *The validity of the assignment is ONE YEAR. Those who take admission in January session or July session have to attempt the assignments of that session only. If they fail to submit their assignments before the due date of the particular session, they are supposed to attempt the fresh set of assignments of subsequent sessions (e.g. if a student of January 2021 session fails to submit her/his assignments till 30th September 2021, s/he will have to attempt the fresh assignments of January 2022 session). Similarly, those who take admission in July session have to attempt the assignments of July session only. If they fail to submit their assignments before the due date of the particular session, they are supposed to attempt the fresh set of assignments of subsequent July session (e.g. if a student of July 2021 session fails to submit her/his assignments till 31st March 2022, s/he will have to attempt the fresh assignments of July 2012 session).*
- 2) Write your Enrolment Number, Name, Full Address and Date of Dispatch at the top right-hand corner of the first page of your answer sheet.
- 3) Write the Programme Title/ Code, Course Title/Code, Assignment Number and Name and Code of the Study Centre on the left-hand corner of the first page of your answer sheet.

The top of the first page of your answer sheet for each assignment should be as follows:

Programme Title	Enrolment No.
Course Code & Title.....	Name
Assignment Number	Address
Study Centre (Code).....
Study Centre
(Place)
.....	Date

- 4) Your answer sheet should be complete in all respects. Make sure you have answered all the questions in an assignment before you submit them. Incomplete answer sheets will bring you poor grades/marks.
- 5) Do not just reproduce your answers from the units. If you reproduce from units, you will get a Zero.
- 6) Do not copy from the response sheets of other students. If copying is noticed, the assignments of such students will be rejected.
- 7) Typed and computer print assignment are not permissible.
- 8) Use only fullsize size paper for you answer, ordinary writing paper, neither too thick nor too thin will do.
- 9) Leave 3” margin on the left and atleast 4 lines in between each answer in an assignment. This will enable your Counsellor to write useful comments in appropriate places. Write question number with each answer.
- 10) The evaluated assignment will be returned to you by the Coordinator of your Study Centre. This will also include a copy of assignment sheet containing global comments of the evaluator on your performance in the assignment. This will enable you to improve in your future assignments as well as the Term End Examinations.
- 11) The Tutor Marked Assignments should be sent to the Coordinator of the Study Centre allotted to you.

BLII-011: Libraries: An Introduction

Assignment

Coverage:

Course Code: BLII-011

Course: Libraries: An Introduction

Assignment Code: AST/TMA/Jab.2023-Jul.2023

Units: 1-8

Total Marks: 50

Part-1: Answer all questions in about 300 words. All questions carry equal marks

1. What do you understand by society? Explain the stages of societal evolution. (5)
2. Explain the need, purpose and functions of library in society. (5)
3. Describe the role of academic libraries. (5)
4. Explain the different roles and responsibilities of specialist in library. (5)
5. Explain the information technology (IT) competencies needed for library staff. (5)
6. Explain the tools that are commonly used for selection of documents for new materials in library. (5)
7. Define library records. Explain the need for library records. (5)
8. Explain the process and methods of stock verification. (5)

Part-11: Write short notes in about 100 words. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Hybrid library (2)
2. Readers service (2)
3. Technical processing(2)
4. Acquisition through gifts in library (2)
5. Physical processing (2)
6. Advantage of stock verification (2)

BLII-012: Document Processing and Organisation

Assignment

Coverage:

Course Code: BLII-012

Course: Document Processing and Organisation

Assignment Code: AST/TMA/Jan.2023-July 2023

Units: 1-6

Total Marks: 50

Note: Answer all questions.

1) Classify **ANY 10** (out of 12 given titles) of the following titles using Dewey Decimal Classification (19th edition).

10x2=20 marks

- (1) Encyclopedia of Science
- (2) English Literature
- (3) Higher Education
- (4) Copyright Law
- (5) Jainism
- (6) Textbook of Economics
- (7) Human Physiology
- (8) Geography of Asia
- (9) Child Medicine
- (10) Temple Architecture
- (11) Organic Chemistry
- (12) French Grammar

2) Catalogue **any two** titles as per AACR-2R. All the added entries are to be provided. Answers are to be worked out on paper only, marking out 5"×3" cards. All titles carry

Equal Marks.).

15x2=30 marks

Title 1

An Introduction to analysis: integral calculus

By Ram Krishna Ghosh

12th Edition. 2012

Central Book Agency. Kolkata.

Other Information: Call No. 515.43

Accession No. 4568, Size 24x12 cm, ISBN 9788173817342

Pages- xi , 445 pages

Title: 2

A textbook of Botany

S N Pandey and Kishore Kumar

Edited by

H K Kapoor

2006. Vikas Publishing.

New Delhi. ISBN 9788125918233.

Other Information:

Class No. 581 Pages: x, 234

Acc. No. 24012 Size: 23 cm. X 16 cm.

Title: 3

The **Bhagavad Gita** translated from the Sanskrit with an introduction

By

Juan Mascaro

Penguin Publishers

Middlesex

1962. 122 pages.

ISBN: 140441212.

Class Number 891.21 M374

BLII-013: Information Sources and Library Services

Assignment

Coverage:

Course Code: BLII-013

Course: Document Processing and Organisation

Assignment Code: AST/TMA/Jan.2023-July 2023

Units: 1-6

Total Marks: 50

Note: Answer all questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1) Please visit a library website and collect following information about the library and write in the space given below:

i).Name of the Library _____

ii).Type of the Library _____

iii).Write URL of the website_____

iv.) List any five databases subscribed by the Library.

2) Write the full bibliographic description of any five Encyclopaedia's sources which are available online.

3) Visit the website of any National Library and list the services provided by it. Also prepare the list of important resources available in the library.

4) Visit the website of OCLC and write the services provided by them.

5) Visit the website of DOAJ and write the full bibliographic description of any five e-journals.

BLII-014: ICT in Libraries

Assignment

Coverage:

Course Code: BLII-014

Course: ICT in Libraries

Assignment Code: AST/TMA/Jab.2023-Jul.2023

Units: 1-7

Total Marks: 50

Part-I: Answer all questions in about 300 words. All questions carry equal marks

1. Describe various input and out devices.
2. Explain common utilities available in a common operating system.
3. Examine impact of ICT on library housekeeping operations.
4. What are the factors should be taken into consideration for the evaluation of library automation packages?
5. Describe the functioning of the internet.
6. Explain the need of web-based library services in libraries.
7. Define web 2.0 and describe its various tools with suitable examples.
8. Describe the role of subject gateways in providing access to e-resources.

Part-II: Answer all questions in about 100 words. All questions carry equal marks

1. Discuss LibreOffice Components
2. Identify various modules in KOHA and SOUL.
3. RFID and Smart Card-based inventory control in libraries
4. Discuss the importance of LISTSERVERS.
5. Describe how to set up internet connection