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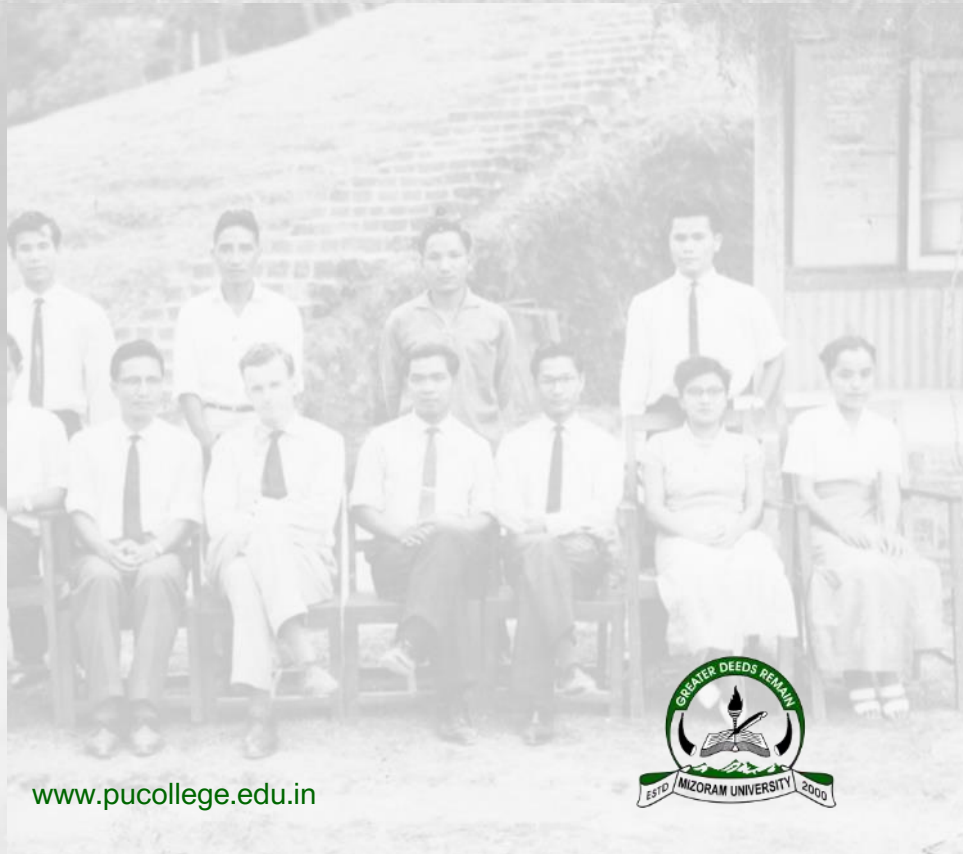
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A Constituent College of Mizoram University
NAAC accredited A+ grade with a CGPA of 3.37 (2022–2027)
National Institutional Ranking Framework all-India ranked 34th (2023)
International Organization for Standardization certified (ISO 9001:2015 & ISO 14001:2015)
University Grants Commission's Community College (since 2015)
India Today ranking's "Best College for Arts and Science" in northeast India (2022)
Department of Biotechnology's Star College (2019–2022)
Advanced Level Institutional Biotech Hub of DBT (since 2017)
DBT-BUILDER (2021–2026)

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MOTTO

Learning and service

VISION

- To achieve excellence in teaching, learning, research, and leadership in education and community services.
- To be the preeminent centre of scholarship in higher education at the post-graduate, doctoral and post-doctoral levels.
- To establish a reputable research center for investigating local, national and international issues.
- To improve the infrastructural facilities to attain national standard.

MISSION AND OBJECTIVES

- The college motto “Learning and Service” is the guiding beacon of our endeavor in striving for academic excellence in higher education and humanitarian services.
- To impart quality knowledge through effective teaching and to produce competent graduates in arts, science and commerce.
- To enhance the commitment of the faculty by strengthening the facilities, thereby promoting a distinguished academic environment.
- To work for the improvement of the society through social services and other extension programmes.

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Profile of the College

Pachhunga University College (PUC) is a public and co-education institute in Aizawl, the state capital of Mizoram, India. It is a constituent college of Mizoram University, a central university established by an Act of Parliament of India. The college is named in honour of Pachhunga, a leading businessman and politician, who funded its initial management. Catering 22 undergraduate courses, it is the only college in Mizoram that runs humanities, sciences, commerce and management in a single management. Originally launched as intermediate of arts (equivalent of higher secondary education) institute, it evolved into a multi-bachelor's degree college and then into the first postgraduate college in Mizoram with the introduction of MA in both Mizo and Philosophy, and MSc in Life Sciences in 2018. In 2016, National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) conferred A+ grade with a CGPA of 3.51, which is so far the highest of any institute in Mizoram. It is also the only college in Mizoram to have ranking from the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF).

Founded on 15 August 1958 as Aijal College, it is the oldest and remains the largest college in Mizoram, by enrolment and campus size. Classes were held at Aijal Theatre Hall (antecedent of Vana Pa Hall) and at an abandoned warehouse at Children's Park, adjacent Raj Bhavan. It was renamed Pachhunga Memorial College (PMC) in 1962, upon the demise of Pachhunga, the major benefactor since its inception. The Assam Government declared provincialisation (official recognition) on 1 July 1965, and the name was changed to Pachhunga Memorial Government College (PMGC). Permanent teachers were appointed only in 1967 under the Assam Public Service Commission. UGC granted full recognition in 1969. In 1979, the North Eastern Hill University adopted it as its constituent college, earning its final name Pachhunga University College. The management of the college was transferred to Mizoram University as the university was established in July 2001.

The permanent campus, occupied since 1965, is situated in College Veng, a locality at the eastern side of Aizawl. The 138-acre campus is the only verdant forest reserve with Aizawl and is aptly dubbed the "lung of the city." For its natural conservation of forests, it received the Indira Priyadarshini Vrikshamitra Awards in 1995, a national award for pioneering and innovative works in afforestation and wasteland management, from the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India. It received the "Best College" award from the Zoram Research Foundation, consecutively in 2004 and 2006. Since 1998, it holds a record of most blood donation from educational institution in Mizoram. It received the national award, Indira Gandhi NSS Awards, in 2016.

The Department of Science and Technology, Government of India awarded the college with a special scheme of Fund for Improvement of Science and Technology Infrastructure (FIST) between 2009 and 2013. In 2011, the Department of Biotechnology, Government of India set up Institutional Biotech Hub, which was upgraded to Advanced Institutional Biotech Hub in 2017. The same year, DBT awarded its Star College Scheme. It received Community College Scheme from the University Grants Commission in 2015. In 2016, the UGC made it College with Potential for Excellence, which embodies a financial grant of 15 million rupees. DBT granted its Star College Scheme again in 2019.

The National Assessment and Accreditation Council classified it as B grade with a cumulative grade point average of 2.78 in 2011 and raised it to A+ grade with a CGPA of 3.51 in 2016, and then with a CGPA of 3.37 in 2022. It attained the highest NAAC rank among institutes in northeast India.

In 2019, UGC awarded the college as “Mentor Institution” under the scheme *Paramarsh*, a “UGC Scheme for Mentoring NAAC Accreditation Aspirant Institutions to promote Quality Assurance in Higher Education.” It is the only institution with the scheme in northeast India.

The National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) listed it among the best 150 colleges in India (rank band within 101-150) since 2018. It gave 45th rank in 2022 and 34th in 2023 among colleges in India, that remains the highest score from northeast India.

The *India Today* ranking published in 2022 for “India’s Best Colleges” listed the college as the “Best College for Arts and Science” in northeast India. It gave all-India rankings of 141st in arts, 167th in science and 183rd in commerce subjects.

The college has developed student and community support programmes. Under Village Adoption, Phulpui village (2012-2015), Lungleng village (2016-2018), Dulte village (2019-2021), and Khawrihnim (2021-ongoing) are supported. For students from low-income family, Earn-While-Learn scheme is provided. Finishing School for is conducted for graduating students.

PUC is an all-time record holder in Mizoram as the top blood donor from an institution since 1998. It organises a Cultural Day every three years since 2011. It confers Laisuih Award to outstanding literary/music contribution among the Mizo people. V. Thangzama (2011), Lalnunmawia a.k.a Valtea (2015), and Lalnunsanga of the rock band T. Melody (2018) are the record recipients.

As of 2022, there are 3018 students under the tutelage of 114 teachers, with the support of 20+ guest teachers. 90% of the teachers have PhD degree. There are 6 full professors, 40 associate professors, and the rest, assistant professors. Principal is the administrative head, and is backed by Vice Principal, Personal Secretary, Section Officers, Assistant Librarian and 85 non-teaching staff.



Profile of the Postgraduate Section

A document titled “Memorandum for PhD Supervision and Establishment of PG Courses” was submitted to the Vice Chancellor of Mizoram University in November 2011 by J.V. Hluna and K. Lalchhandama, President and General Secretary, respectively, of the Pachhunga University College Teachers’ Association, demanding provision for direct Ph.D. students by PUC teachers and opening of postgraduate course in the college. By then the University Grants Commission (in its regulation in 2009) has laid down provision for PhD supervision for college teachers. The issues were wholeheartedly received by the university authority. At the same time three subjects, namely philosophy, sociology and statistics were proposed for postgraduate courses on the ground that these are the “subjects having no PG courses [in Mizoram University] but only UG at the college.” The proposal was accordingly incorporated in the XIIth Plan (2012–2017) submitted to the university in 2011.

As the two matters were taken into scrutiny, they were put into deferment. For postgraduate subjects the financial and administrative burdens involved was the main critical issues. As to PhD supervision, a separate committee was instituted to assess the credibility of the proposal. The argument was that there was no postgraduate teaching in the college so as to link the PhD research. After several but futile attempts to justify the matter from PUCTA, it was taken to rest.

In November 2015, the Aizawl City Colleges Students’ Union requested Mizoram University to open more PG courses to cope up with increasing number of graduate students. In pursuance, the 30th Meeting of the Academic Council of MZU on 26 April 2016 resolved [AC:30:4(6)] to prepare PUC for PG courses. Proposal for the XIIIth Plan (2017–2021) was submitted in November 2016 in which creation of eight postgraduate subjects was included. The Principal with advised decision proposed six subjects in the 32nd Meeting of the Academic Council on 4 August 2017, which were agreed for the XIIIth Plan. In the final stage, three subjects including Life Sciences, Mizo and Philosophy were chosen for immediate opening. The curricula and course structure for first semester were prepared by ad hoc boards and were approved at the 34th Academic Council meeting on 10 May 2018.

M.A. in Mizo, M.A. in Philosophy and M.Sc. in Life Sciences (managed by a composite department of Biotechnology, Botany and Zoology) started on 1 August 2018, formally inaugurated by Professor R.P. Vadhera, Pro-Vice Chancellor of Mizoram University. The college became the first postgraduate college among Mizoram colleges. Separate Board of Studies was constituted by the Vice Chancellor in September 2018 that prepared a complete syllabus for the whole course, which was approved at the 35th Academic Council meeting on 26 November 2018.

Looking into the departmental facilities and research funds from external agencies, with qualification and academic records of the teachers, the Department of Life Sciences was ready to run a Ph.D. programme. The department submitted an application to the university on 14 November 2019, which was highly recommended by the Dean’s Committee (unanimous was the word), and with the proposed curriculum, was approved at the 37th Academic Council meeting on 12 December 2019. The minute runs thus:

AC:37:3(6) Proposal for Opening of Ph.D. Programme in Life Sciences at Pachhunga University College

Letter addressed to Registrar, Mizoram University received from Head, Department of Life Sciences, Pachhunga University College duly forwarded by Principal, Pachhunga University College, vide letter No.

19/52/2154 dt.14.11.2019, regarding the request of MZU authority to consider Ph.D. Programme in Life Sciences at Pachhunga University College, which the college (PUC) has been committed to this challenge of managing Ph.D. programme as a milestone in the history of the university.

It further indicated that the Department of Life Sciences satisfies all the criteria as imposed by the OC-4 of MZU Ordinance "On the Doctor of Philosophy Programme" (as amended in 2019).

The Academic Council was apprised that 74th Deans' Committee held on 26.11.2019 (vide resolution No.PART-5, 5.5) discussed the matter in great details and unanimously resolved to approve opening of Ph.D. Programme in Life Sciences, Philosophy and Mizo from next academic session where in PG programs are offered, strictly as per MZU Regulations.

The Council ratified the action taken by the University to introduce Ph.D. in Life Sciences, Philosophy and Mizo Departments subject to the approval of the Executive Council and further approved the syllabus of the course work in Life Science.

Starting from 2020, the Department of Life Sciences became the first department to run Ph.D. programme in a college in Mizoram. In the same session, M.Sc. in Geophysics was launched. M.Sc. in Applied Mathematics and Statistics opened in 2022, and Ph.D. in Philosophy in 2023.

The Department of Biotechnology, Government of India, bestowed its new scheme called DBT-Boost to University Interdisciplinary Life Science Departments for Education and Research Programme (DBT-BUILDER), with a financial assistance of ₹ 2.68 crores, to the Department of Life Sciences in March 2021. This approval made the department the first in Mizoram to be awarded the scheme.



Students Par Excellence



Ms Cecilia Vanlalpekhlu was only in a junior class in Philosophy when she passed NET in the UGC NET examination held in December 2019, and became the first PG student of Pachhunga University College to have qualified UGC NET.

Born in 1997, she is the daughter of C. Lalhmingthanga and living in Khatla, Aizawl. She studied secondary education at Providence High School in Aizawl, finishing in First division with letter marks in Mathematics and English. After completing higher secondary examination in science in Second division with a letter in English, she converted to Philosophy, on which she excelled with topper-Distinction in BA examinations of MZU. She is currently serving in her parent faculty at PUC.



Mr Hunropuia is a Research Scholar in Life Sciences who qualified NET-JRF in the CSIR-UGC NET examination held in December 2019, becoming the first student from Pachhunga University College to earn a direct Junior Research Fellowship.

Sharing Jesus's birthday in 1998, he is the son of C. Lawmsangpuia, Council Veng, Lawngtlai. He completed secondary education from Downtown School at Lawngtlai in Distinction with letter marks in Mathematics, Science and Social Science. He completed HSSLC in First division from St. Paul's Higher Secondary School, Aizawl. After obtaining B.Sc. in Zoology from PUC in First class (with 81.33% of marks), he enrolled in Life Sciences to become the first batch of students in 2018-2020.

Students Par Excellence



Mr C. Lalrinmawia is a junior researcher under the DBT-BUILDER of the Department of Life Sciences, PUC. In 2022, he was selected for the Innovation in Science Pursuit for Inspired Research (INSPIRE) Fellowship by the Department of Science and Technology, India, making a record of the first INSPIRE Fellow from PUC.

Born of Mr C. Lalrinnunga, Tlangnuam, Aizawl, he passed matriculation with Distinction in 2014, and then HSSLC in 2016 with Distinction, both from the Mizoram Board of School Education. He completed B.Sc. in Zoology from PUC in Distinction (with 85% of marks) securing 8th rank in the university examination. He topped the final MSc in Life Sciences examinations with a CGPA of 9.35 in 2021, and continued for Ph.D. course.

College Facilities

Infrastructure

There are administrative building, four arts blocks, science block, life science block, physical science block, sports infrastructure and gym facility, seminar hall, library, playground with open pavilion, multipurpose auditorium, basketball court, volleyball court, security office, staff quarters.

Library

There is a central library that houses 55,000+ books, 43 journals and a wide range of encyclopaedia. All the books are automated using SOL2.0 from INFLIBNET. Self-servicing and automated access system are available using RFID Management System provided by Rapid Radio since 2020.

IT

- Free internet is provided by National Informatics Centre.
- Internet Resource Centre is located adjoining the Seminar Hall. Free internet access is available for all.
- All classrooms and Seminar Hall are provided with LCD projectors and supported with power backups. Smart TVs are used in Psychology and Life Sciences.

Laboratories

- All science departments, psychology and geography have separate laboratories.
- Advanced Level Institutional Biotech Hub is maintained by Life Sciences Department.
- Research and Instrumentation Centre is maintained by Life Sciences Department.
- There are separate Research Labs for Botany, Biotechnology, Chemistry, and Physics.
- Language Lab is maintained by English Department.
- Computer Lab is maintained by Mathematics Department.
- Tally Academy is managed by Commerce Department.

Transport

Routine bus services are available to students and teachers to and from the college on all working days.

Hostel

There are three Boys' Hostels with total capacity of 240 students and two Girls' Hostels with total capacity of 180 students. There are two warden quarters, one each for boys and girls.

Medical Centre

Qualified doctors and nurses are available for free consultation on Wednesdays.

Career Guidance & Counselling Centre

Free service is available for consultation and of personal queries .

Canteen

There are two permanent canteens and one MULCO outlet.

PUCMULCO store

Educational materials and stationary items are available .

IGNOU

IGNOU Study centre, established in 2008, offers various courses on master's degree, certificate programme, diploma programme, and bachelor's degree.



Admission Guidelines

Criteria

1. Merit of applicants will be considered from entrance performance, which can be either:
 - a) Common University Entrance Test (CUET) conducted by the National Testing Agency, or
 - b) PUC Entrance Test (PUCET) conducted by the college.
1. Personal interview will determine the final selection.

Eligibility

- Minimum mark score of 55% or equivalent grade in the qualifying university examination.
- For M.Sc. in Applied Mathematics and Statistics, a candidate must be a B.Sc. in Mathematics or Statistics.
- For M.Sc. in Geophysics, a candidate must be a B.Sc. in Physics or Geology.
- For M.Sc. in Life Sciences, a candidate must be a B.Sc. in any biology.
- For M.A. in Mizo, a candidate must be a B.A. in Mizo.
- For M.A. in Philosophy, a candidate must have any bachelor's degree recognised by UGC.

Application

- Admission should be applied only through the online portal at www.pucollege.edu.in
- Students in final semesters may also apply by simply filling up the result (percentage) box as "Awaiting result"; but they have to produce full results at the interview/written test.

Application fee

- An application fee of ₹500/- for general applicants, or ₹300/- for ST/SC/PwBD applicants, should be paid at the time of entrance test for PUCET.

Entrance test

- There will be 50 multiple choice questions for 50 marks.
- For master's degrees, Mizoram University Under-Graduate CBCS syllabus will be used.

- Topics covered in undergraduate elective courses will be used in each subject, e.g. papers in I to IV semesters of zoology and botany for Life Sciences; of physics and geology for Geophysics.
- For Ph.D., existing M.A./M.Sc. syllabus will be used.

Interview

- Written test performance will be used to determine eligibility for interview.
- The number of candidates called for interview will not cross triple of the class capacity, e.g., 30 for intake 10.
- Candidate must produce original documents at the interview.

Admission capacity

- The maximum capacity in master's degree is 10 in Mizo, Philosophy and Geophysics, and 15 in Life Sciences and Applied Mathematics and Statistics.
- Capacity in Ph.D. is determined by availability of qualified supervisors.

Reservation of seats

- The distribution of total seats available is 50:50 for open category and ST/SC.
- 3% is reserved for physically-challenged individual.
- 40–60% disability may be given 5% added weightage, and above 60% may be given 7% weightage.
- For outstanding sportsperson, 10% weightage may be given for representing the country at international events, 5% for representing the state and 3% for inter-university at national level.
- For children of regular employees of Mizoram University, 7% weightage may be given. Certificate of employment should be issued from the office of the Registrar or Principal.
- Special reservation on need basis will be given to candidates under sponsored schemes such as from UGC, MHRD, Commonwealth, etc., recognised by the Government of India.

Documents to be submitted

For selected students, copies of the following documents should be submitted at the time of admission to the respective departments:

1. Two recent and coloured passport photographs.

2. Final university grade card and certificate (whichever are applicable).
3. AADHAAR card.
4. MZU registration card (if from external university, original migration certificate and an application for registration to MZU).
5. Documents supporting claim of reservation, if any.

Important dates

Course	Application	Last Date	Entrance Test	Result	Interview
All	Opens from	14/07/2023	17/07/2023	18/07/2023	19/07/2023
PG/PhD	20/06/2023	1700 h	1000 h		1000 h

- Admission date and procedure will be notified separately as and when all university results are available.
- See the last page for Academic Calendar.

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General Course Structure for Master's Degrees under NEP 2020

Postgraduate programmes are regulated by and designed according to the “National Education Policy 2020” of the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India, “Guidelines for Multiple Entry and Exit in Academic Programmes offered in Higher Education Institutions” of the University Grants Commission, and the “Guidelines for Implementation of NEP 2020: Multiple Entry and Exit in Academic Programmes offered in Mizoram University” of the Mizoram University, which was implemented in 2022.

Outline

There will be flexibility in the master's programme offered by Mizoram University, viz.

1. Two-year master's degree course for those who completed a three-year bachelor's degree.
2. There will be an exit option after completion of one year, i.e., two consecutive semesters, in a two-year course as a Post- Graduate Diploma degree.
3. One-year master's degree course for those who obtained a four-year bachelor's with honours/ research.
4. There will also be provisions for integrated five-year bachelor's/master's programme depending on the capability of academic department(s).

Semester

Each semester consists of 18 weeks equivalent to 90 days. The odd semester is from August to December and even semester from February to July.

Course distribution

Course Type/Name	Code	Semester	No of papers	Credits
Disciplinary/Interdisciplinary Major	MJ	I to IV	9 + 2 = 11	34
Disciplinary/Interdisciplinary Minor	IM	I to 3	3 + 3 = 6	12
Field Projects/Internship/ Apprenticeship	FP/INTS/ FPTS	I to IV	4	16
Dissertation	MJ/649	III	1	6
	MJ/699	IV	1	12
Total credit				80

Courses offered as interdisciplinary major and interdisciplinary minor by a department will be from the disciplinary major and disciplinary minor courses and will also be taken up by the students from

other subjects.

Assessment

- ◆ Each course shall be assessed on the scale of 100 marks.
- ◆ Courses shall be assessed through Continuous Assessment in the form of sessional work and end-semester examination.
- ◆ The sessional work shall carry 40% of the total marks in the forms of class tests, home assignments, problem-based assignments, individual or team project reports, oral presentations, etc., as determined by the course in-charge.
- ◆ The first component (C1) carrying 20 marks shall be from first 50% of the course contents and the second component (C2) carrying 20 marks shall be from the remaining 50% of the course.
- ◆ Departmental Moderation Board shall be formed to moderate marks of sessional works.
- ◆ End-semester examination carrying 60% of the total marks shall be the third component (C3) of the assessment.
- ◆ Questions for the end-semester examination will be set by the course in-charge keeping in view that all the portions of the course are adequately covered.
- ◆ Departmental Moderation Board shall ensure that the questions for end-semester examination adequately cover the course contents.
- ◆ The department will prepare criteria for assessment of sessional works, field project/ internship/apprenticeship and dissertation.

Computation of Grades

Marks	Letter Grade	Grade Point
90–100	O (Outstanding)	10
85–89	A+ (Excellent)	9
80–84	A (Very Good)	8
70–79	B+ (Good)	7
60–69	B (Above Average)	6
50–59	C (Average)	5
40–49	P (Pass)	4
<40	F (Fail)	0

Marks obtained will be converted into letter grade and grade point as in the table.

Grade can be converted to percentage using the formula:

$$\% = \text{CGPA} \times 9.$$



Course Structure for M.Sc. in Applied Mathematics and Statistics

Course Code	Course Name	Credits
FIRST SEMESTER		20
AMS/MJ/500	Numerical Methods	3
AMS/MJ/501	Astronomy	3
AMS/MJ/502	Stochastic Processes	3
Interdisciplinary major	[To be chosen from an MJ course offered by other disciplines]	3
AMS/MN/503	Research Methodology and Statistical Computing	2
Interdisciplinary minor	[To be chosen from an MN course offered by other disciplines]	2
AMS/FP/504	Practical	4
SECOND SEMESTER		20
AMS/MJ/550	Mathematical Modelling	3
AMS/MJ/551	Operation Research	3
AMS/MJ/552	Multivariate Analysis	3
Interdisciplinary major	[To be chosen from an MJ course offered by other disciplines]	3
AMS/MN/553	Graph Theory	2
Interdisciplinary minor	[To be chosen from an MN course offered by other disciplines]	2
AMS/FP/554	Practical	4
Exit option with Post-Graduate Diploma after the first year or two semesters with the completion of courses equivalent to 40 credits		
THIRD SEMESTER		20
	[Applied Mathematics]	
AMS/MJ/600-A	Integral Transforms and Fourier Analysis	3
AMS/MJ/601-A	Differential Geometry	3
AMS/MN/602-A	Classical Mechanics and Fluid Dynamics	2
Interdisciplinary minor	[To be chosen from an MN course offered by other disciplines]	2
AMS/FP/603-A	Practical	4
AMS/MJ/649	Dissertation	6
FOURTH SEMESTER		20
	[Applied Mathematics]	
AMS/MJ/650-A	Elasticity	4
AMS/FP/651-A	Practical	4
AMS/MJ/699	Dissertation	12
TOTAL CREDITS		80

Course Structure for M.Sc. in Applied Mathematics and Statistics

THIRD SEMESTER	[Statistics]	20
AMS/MJ/600-B	Demography	3
AMS/MJ/601-B	Econometrics	3
AMS/MN/602-B	Health Statistic & Epidemiology	2
Interdisciplinary minor	[To be chosen from an MN course offered by other disciplines]	2
AMS/FP/603-B	Practical	4
AMS/MJ/649	Dissertation	6
FOURTH SEMESTER	[Statistics]	20
AMS/MJ/650-B	Survival Analysis	4
AMS/FP/651-B	Practical	4
AMS/MJ/699-B	Dissertation	12
	TOTAL CREDITS	80

Course Structure for M.Sc. in Geophysics

Course Code	Course Name	Credits
FIRST SEMESTER		20
GP/MJ/500	Geomathematics	3
GP/MJ/501	Geophysical Prospecting	3
GP/MJ/502	Well Logging	3
Interdisciplinary major	[To be chosen from an MJ course offered by other disciplines]	3
GP/MN/503	Numerical Techniques	2
Interdisciplinary minor	[To be chosen from an MN course offered by other disciplines]	2
GP/FP/504	Practical	4
SECOND SEMESTER		20
GP/MJ/550	Theory of fields	3
GP/MJ/551	Basin Analysis & Petroleum Geology	3
GP/MJ/552	Near Surface Geophysics & Geotechnical Modelling	3
Interdisciplinary major	[To be chosen from an MJ course offered by other disciplines]	3
GP/MN/553	Basic Electronics	2
Interdisciplinary minor	[To be chosen from an MN course offered by other disciplines]	2
GP/FP/554	Practical	4
Exit option with Post-Graduate Diploma after the first year or two semesters with the completion of courses equivalent to 40 credits		
THIRD SEMESTER		20
GP/MJ/600-A	Seismology	3
GP/MJ/600-B	Remote Sensing & GIS	3
GP/MJ/601-A	Earth Geophysics	3
GP/MJ/601-B	Mining Geology	3
GP/MN/602	Environmental Physics	2
Interdisciplinary minor	[To be chosen from an MN course offered by other disciplines]	2
GP/FP/603		4
GP/MJ/649	Dissertation	6
FOURTH SEMESTER		20
GP/MJ/650	Oceanography and Climatology	4
GP/FP/651	Practical	4
GP/MJ/699	Dissertation	12
TOTAL CREDITS		80

Course Structure for M.Sc. in Life Sciences

Course Code	Course Name	Credits
FIRST SEMESTER		20
LSC/MJ/500	Cell Biology	3
LSC/MJ/501	Microbiology	3
LSC/MJ/502	Systematics and Biodiversity	3
Interdisciplinary major	[To be chosen from an MJ course offered by other disciplines]	3
LSC/MN/503	Foundations of Medical Biology	2
Interdisciplinary minor	[To be chosen from an MN course offered by other disciplines]	2
LSC/FP/504	Practical based on DM courses	4
SECOND SEMESTER		20
LSC/MJ/550	Biochemistry	3
LSC/MJ/551	Genetics and Molecular Biology	3
LSC/MJ/552	Evolution and Ethology	3
Interdisciplinary major	[To be chosen from an MJ course offered by other disciplines]	3
LSC/MN/553	Biology in Human Welfare	2
Interdisciplinary minor	[To be chosen from an MN course offered by other disciplines]	2
LSC/FP/554	Practical based on DM courses	4
Exit option with Post-Graduate Diploma after the first year or two semesters with the completion of courses equivalent to 40 credits		
THIRD SEMESTER		20
LSC/MJ/600	Biotechniques and Biomolecules	3
LSC/MJ/601	Bioinformatics and Biostatistics	3
LSC/MN/602	Research Methods and Ethics	2
Interdisciplinary minor	[To be chosen from an MN course offered by other disciplines]	2
LSC/FP/603	Practical based on DM courses	4
LSC/MJ/649	Dissertation	6
FOURTH SEMESTER		20
[One course to be chosen from a pool of MJ/650]		
LSC/MJ/650-A	Animal Physiology and Endocrinology	4
LSC/MJ/650-B	Immunology	4
LSC/MJ/650-C	Plant Physiology and Biochemistry	4
LSC/MJ/650-D	Plant Anatomy and Embryology	4
LSC/FP/651	Practical based on MJ course	4
LSC/MJ/699	Dissertation	12
TOTAL CREDITS		80

Course Structure for M.A. in Mizo

Course Code	Course Name	Credits
FIRST SEMESTER		20
MIZ/MJ/500	Hla	3
MIZ/MJ/501	Lemchan	3
MIZ/MJ/502	English Prose	3
Interdisciplinary major	[To be chosen from an MJ course offered by other disciplines]	3
MIZ/MN/503	Mizo Thawnthu	2
Interdisciplinary minor	[To be chosen from an MN course offered by other disciplines]	2
MIZ/FP/504	Practical (Ziak Mite Biangbiakna)	4
SECOND SEMESTER		20
MIZ/MJ/550	Thawnthu Tawi	3
MIZ/MJ/551	Thutluang	3
MIZ/MJ/552	English Poetry	3
Interdisciplinary major	[To be chosen from an MJ course offered by other disciplines]	3
MIZ/MN/553	Mizo Hla Hlui	2
Interdisciplinary minor	[To be chosen from an MN course offered by other disciplines]	2
MIZ/FP/554	Practical (Mizo Hmun Hlui Zirna)	4
Exit option with Post-Graduate Diploma after the first year or two semesters with the completion of courses equivalent to 40 credits		
THIRD SEMESTER		20
MIZ/MJ/600	Theory of Literary Criticism	3
MIZ/MJ/601	Mizo Thu leh Hla Thlitfimna	3
MIZ/MN/602	Research Methodology	2
Interdisciplinary minor	[To be chosen from an MN course offered by other disciplines]	2
MIZ/FP/603	Practical (Mizo Thiam Thil)	4
MIZ/MJ/649	Dissertation	6
FOURTH SEMESTER		20
MIZ/MJ/650-A	Thawnthu	4
MIZ/FP/651	Practical (Mizo Thlawhhma Lak Dan)	4
MIZ/MJ/699	Dissertation	12
TOTAL CREDITS		80

Course Structure for M.A. in Philosophy

Course Code	Course Name	Credits
FIRST SEMESTER		20
PHIL/MJ/500	Indian Epistemology and Metaphysics	3
PHIL/MJ/501	Western Epistemology and Metaphysics	3
PHIL/MJ/502	Social and Political Philosophy	3
Interdisciplinary major	[To be chosen from an MJ course offered by other disciplines]	3
PHIL/MN/503	Environmental Ethics	2
Interdisciplinary minor	[To be chosen from an MN course offered by other disciplines]	2
PHIL/FP/504	Practical/Project	4
SECOND SEMESTER		20
PHIL/MJ/550	Logic	3
PHIL/MJ/551	Philosophy of Religion	3
PHIL/MJ/552	Analytic Philosophy	3
Interdisciplinary major	[To be chosen from an MJ course offered by other disciplines]	3
PHIL/MN/553	Philosophy of M.K. Gandhi	2
Interdisciplinary minor	[To be chosen from an MN course offered by other disciplines]	2
PHIL/FP/554	Practical/Project	4
Exit option with Post-Graduate Diploma after the first year or two semesters with the completion of courses equivalent to 40 credits		
THIRD SEMESTER		20
PHIL/MJ/600	Ethics	3
PHIL/MJ/601	Phenomenology and Existentialism	3
PHIL/MN/602	Philosophy of Culture	2
Interdisciplinary minor	[To be chosen from an MN course offered by other disciplines]	2
PHIL/FP/603	Practical/Project	4
PHIL/MJ/649	Dissertation	6
FOURTH SEMESTER		20
PHIL/MJ/650	Post Modernism	4
PHIL/FP/651	Practical/Project	4
PHIL/MJ/699	Dissertation	12
TOTAL CREDITS		80

Fee Structure for Master's Degree Courses

Sl No	Particulars	Amount (₹) for M.Sc.				Amount (₹) for M.A.			
		1 Sem	2 Sem	3 Sem	4 Sem	1 Sem	2 Sem	3 Sem	4 Sem
1.	Admission	350	0	0	0	350	0	0	0
2.	Tuition fee	2460	2460	2460	2460	2460	2460	2460	2460
3.	Library fee	220	220	220	220	220	220	220	220
4.	Sports fee	350	0	350	0	350	0	350	0
5.	Medical fee	280	0	280	0	280	0	280	0
6.	Student Council fund	500	0	500	0	500	0	500	0
7.	Students' aid fund	200	0	200	0	200	0	200	0
8.	Magazine fee	400	0	400	0	400	0	400	0
9.	Identity card	100	0	0	0	100	0	0	0
10.	Laboratory/resource fund	2520	2520	2520	2520	1000	1000	1000	1000
11.	College T-shirt	350	0	350	0	350	0	350	0
12.	Transport/Development fund	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400
13.	Alumni/Graduation fund	0	0	0	550	0	0	0	550
14.	Curricular activity fund	300	2830	0	870	300	2830	0	870
15.	Exam fee	650	650	650	650	650	650	650	650
16.	Practical exam fee	250	250	250	250	0	0	0	0
17.	Admit card	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
18.	Marksheet fee	220	220	220	220	220	220	220	220
19.	Dissertation fee	0	0	800	800	0	0	800	800
20.	Certificate/Convocation fee	0	0	0	600	0	0	0	600
	TOTAL	9650	9650	9700	9640	7880	7880	7930	7870

PG FEE STRUCTURE

NB.

- Laboratory/resource fund (sl. no. 10) is for academic activities such as in FP courses.
- Curricular activity fund (sl. no. 14), as per 2023 MZU guideline, can be utilised for field trip, seminar, placement and extension programmes, to be organised normally in the final year.

- For repeating any course, the following fees are required:

Admit card	–	₹ 100/-
Mark sheet	–	₹ 220/-
Exam (repeater fee)	–	₹ 210/- (per paper)
Centre fee	–	₹ 150/-
Total	–	₹ 680/- (per paper)

- Fees can be paid in cash at Establishment counter or via online to:

Account name	:	PUC Fee Collection
Account number	:	40155124089
Bank	:	State Bank of India
Branch	:	College Veng (IFSC SBIN0018500)

In case of online payment, a soft copy/screenshot of the amount and transaction number should be produced at the fee counter.

Ph.D. Programme

Courses

Ph.D. courses are available in:

1. Life Sciences since 2020
2. Philosophy from 2023

The courses were approved by the Mizoram University Academic Council [AC:37:3(6)] in its 37th meeting on 2 December 2019.

Course structure

- Minimum duration is three years and maximum is six years, inclusive of the course work.
- Course work is pre-requisite, and a student must score at least 55% of marks to get registration.
- A research scholar shall appear before the Research Advisory Committee once in six months to make a presentation of the progress of his/her work for evaluation and further guidance.
- After completion of the research, the candidate will publicly defend his/her thesis.
- The candidate must publish at least one (1) research paper in refereed journal and make two presentations in conferences/seminars before the submission of the thesis.



- A public viva voce will be conducted for the candidate upon satisfactory recommendation from the external examiners.

[For details refer to MZU Ordinance OC-4: On the Doctor of Philosophy Programme]

Regulations

1. Scholars admitted before 2023 will be governed by by the UGC (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of M.Phil./Ph.D. Degrees) Regulations, 2016, as adopted by the university.
2. Those who enrolled in and after 2023 will be by by the UGC (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of M.Phil./Ph.D. Degrees) Regulations, 2022, as adopted by the university.

Guidelines

A constituent college of the Mizoram University, Pachhunga University College is financially dependent on but separate entity from the Mizoram University. As such there is no separate fund for conducting PhD programme, and as a college, the facilities and infrastructure are limited. As explicitly recorded in the AC minute [AC:37:3(6)], the Ph.D. programme was approved on the condition that it was a “challenge of managing Ph.D. programme as a milestone in the history of the university.”

Therefore, the Ph.D. courses are meant to be a self-sustaining management, and thus it is the inherent responsibility of the teacher to procure and provide all the essential facilities and funds on their own.



Eligibility for admission

- Minimum of 55% marks in aggregate or its equivalent grade 'B' in the UGC seven-point scale in Master's degree examination in the parent discipline.
- Students awaiting P.G./M.Phil. result can also apply, provided they have full results at the time of interview.

Of all other qualifications being equal, preference will be given to candidates who are

1. having valid JRF such as from UGC NET, CSIR-UGC NET, DBT BET, ICMR NET and DST INSPIRE; or JRF under sponsored project in the department with qualified CSIR-UGC NET or MHRD-IIT GATE;
2. Incumbent teachers at the Mizoram university or its affiliated institutions, who have regular employment ; but on a condition that the candidate is willing and entitled to avail official study leave;
3. former PG students of Pachhunga University College.

Procedure of admission

- Admission should be applied through www.pucollege.edu.in
- Applicant should settle for potential supervisor before applying.
- General procedure for PG admission will be followed (see page 11-13).
- Personal interview will determine the final selection for admission.
- An application fee of ₹500/- for general candidate or ₹300/- for ST/SC/PwBD candidate has to be paid at the time of PUCET.

Documents required

In addition to those specified on page 12–13, copies of the following documents should be submitted at the time of admission:

1. Result of national eligibility test (NET/BET/INSPIRE/GATE), if any.
2. For employed candidate, no objection certificate, leave availability certificate, and copy appointment order.
3. JRF appointment order for candidates under research project.

Ph.D. Course Work

Course structure and content in Life Sciences

Title of the Paper	Code	Credit	C1	C2	C3	Total
Research Methodology	LSC-601	4	20	20	60	100
Instrumentation: Tools and Techniques	LSC-602	4	20	20	60	100
Research and Publication Ethics (RPE)	LSC-603	2	20	20	60	100
Taxonomy	LSC-604 A	4	20	20	60	100
Parasitology and Microbiology	LSC-604 B					
Biochemistry and Phytochemistry	LSC-604 C					
TOTAL		14				400

Course structure and content in Philosophy

Title of the Paper	Code	Credit	C1	C2	C3	Total
Research Methodology	PHIL-601	4	20	20	60	100
Research and Publication Ethics (RPE)	PHIL-602	4	20	20	60	100
Readings in Existential Philosophy	PHIL-603	2	20	20	60	100
Readings in Contemporary Indian Thinkers	PHIL-604 A	4	20	20	60	100
Philosophy of Social Sciences	PHIL-604 B					
Philosophy of Hermeneutics	PHIL-604 C					
TOTAL		14				400

Evaluation

- ◆ Total credit a student must earn is 14 and the total final examination marks is 400.
- ◆ The course will be completed in one semester.
- ◆ There will be two internal assessments, as:
 1. C1 – One test which will carry 20 marks
 2. C2 – One assignment in the form of report or seminar carrying 20 marks
- ◆ End semester examination will carry 60 marks.
- ◆ Pass mark in each paper is 50% of the full marks.
- ◆ The final marks will be converted into 10-point scale as:

7.00–10.00	=	O (Outstanding)
6.00–6.99	=	A (Pass)
5.00–5.99	=	B (Pass)
- ◆ A student must secure at least B in all the papers.

Eligibility for Supervision

A supervisor must:

1. be a full-time regular teacher of the department having a Ph.D. degree, who is not applying for permanent appointment or on long-term service of more than one year out of the university.
2. have peer-reviewed publications in journals approved by the UGC CARE. An Assistant Professor must have three of such publications, and a Professor and Associate Professor, five.
3. be willing to provide all necessary facilities on his/her end for completion of the research .
4. apply his/her eligibility to the Chair of the Departmental Research Committee in prescribed form with supporting documentary evidence of the credentials.

Allocation of Supervisor

1. Considering the limited infrastructure and resources in the college, a Professor will guide no more than four students; an Associate Professor, three; and an Assistant Professor, two, at a time.
2. Admission will be opened on the basis of availability of allocation for supervisors.
3. Each supervisor is the Convener of the Research Advisory Committee of his/her scholar; while Head of the department is the Chairperson.

Research Code of Conduct

Supervisor

1. A supervisor is responsible for maintaining the integrity of the department and the institute, as well as that of science, and thus, the advancement of knowledge. He/she should thus be aware of laws and regulations that govern research ethics and practices in biology such as those of the American Chemical Society, Nuremberg Code, Declaration of Helsinki, Committee for the Purpose of Control and Supervision of Experiments on Animals, etc.
2. A supervisor must maintain high moral standard and avoid involvement in discrimination, harassment, bullying, dishonesty, fraud, misrepresentation, coercive manipulation, censorship, or other misconduct. He/she should in fact be alert and active against such misdemeanors.
3. A supervisor must not engage in any act of biases and prejudices in the manners on race, gender, age, religion, ethnicity, nationality, sexual orientation, gender identity, presence of disabilities, educational background, or other personal attributes.
4. A supervisor must treat colleagues and students with respect and dignity and must free himself/herself from interference in their affairs, while openly strive to be objective in professional judgement.

- Any breach of conduct will be judged by the Departmental Research Committee and can lead to suspension or interdiction of supervision privilege.

Research scholar

- A research scholar should learn and be adept at the research principles, particularly the related ethical issues.
- He/she must behave cordially but reservedly so as to not infringe on others' privacy and confidentiality.
- Any breach of conduct will be judged by the Departmental Research Committee and can lead to suspension or eviction from the department.

Fee structure for Ph.D. course

Sl No	Particulars	Amount (₹) for science			Amount (₹) for arts			All (₹)
		1 Sem	2/4/6 Sem	3/5/7 Sem	1 Sem	2/4/6 Sem	3/5/7 Sem	Submi-ssion
1.	Admission	350	0	0	350	0	0	0
2.	Tuition fee	3300	3300	3300	3300	3300	3300	0
3.	Library fee	420	420	420	420	420	420	0
4.	Sports fee	350	0	350	350	0	350	0
5.	Medical fee	280	0	280	280	0	280	0
6.	Student Council fund	500	0	500	500	0	500	0
7.	Students' aid fund	200	0	200	200	0	200	0
8.	Magazine fee	400	0	400	400	0	400	0
9.	Identity card	100	0	0	100	0	0	0
10.	Laboratory/Resource fund	2100	2100	2100	1000	1000	1000	0
11.	College T-shirt	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
12.	Transport/development fund	200	200	200	200	200	200	0
13.	Alumni/Graduation fee	0	0	0	0	0	0	550
14.	Course work exam fee	650	0	0	650	0	0	0
15.	Admit card	100	0	0	100	0	0	0
16.	Marksheet fee	250	0	0	250	0	0	0
17.	Dissertation/Thesis fee	0	0	0	0	0	0	8000
18.	PhD registration fee	700	0	0	700	0	0	0
19.	Certificate/Convocation fee	0	0	0	0	0	0	700
	TOTAL	9900	6020	7750	8800	4920	6650	9250

Student Council

The Student Council is an official and apex body of the postgraduate students at Pachhunga University College. It is responsible for organising and overseeing students' welfare and co-curricular activities.

Composition

- Office Bearers
- Two class representatives from each class.
- Principal, as the patron.
- One teacher representative appointed by the Principal.

Office bearers

- President (to be elected from the senior class)
- Vice President (to be elected from the senior class)
- General Secretary (to be elected from the senior class)
- Joint Secretary (to be elected from the senior class)

Tenure

The Student Council is an annual body. One term starts at the commencement of the odd semester and terminates at the end of the succeeding even semester.

Election

- Election will be held every year at the beginning of an odd semester.
- Each class will elect two class representatives, preferentially a male and a female, for the council members.
- The principal will nominate one faculty representative as a Returning Officer.

Other Organisations

- **National Service Scheme (NSS):** The Pachhunga University College NSS Unit has a long tradition in community services in and out of the campus. It is known for its record of the

highest number of blood donations in Mizoram.

- **National Cadet Corps (NCC):** It is the first NCC Unit established in a college in Mizoram.
- **Adventure Club:** The Adventure Club build friendships and exercise team skills by planning and participating in outdoor adventures, such as expedition, rock climbing, hiking, etc.
- **Chess Club:** It aims to provide a friendly social atmosphere for developing skill in chess playing.
- **Red Ribbon Club:** The Red Ribbon Club makes use of Peer Educators for disseminating awareness on HIV/AIDS among the students through various activities.
- **Cultural clubs:** There are **Ainawn Cultural Club** and **Chhawkhlei Cultural Club**.
- **Literature Club:** For experiencing literary knowledge and develop a taste for literature.
- **Fitness Club:** Fitness Club is located at the Gym, PUC playground, facilities are provided by UGC.
- **Innovation Club:** It aims to nurture critical thinking and innovations of faculty and students.
- **Finishing School:** Organised every summer for the outgoing students, it aims as stabilizing their education and to shape them into wholesome individuals.
- **Eco Club:** Initiated by Environmental Science Department, it organizes awareness campaigns and activities on environmental issues.
- **Legal Literacy Club:** This club is an awareness for human rights and other legal issues and is supported by the District Legal Services.



Student Council

The First Batch

Office Bearers

The first election was held on 7 August 2019. The first Office Bearers were:

- President : Dr Tawnenga, Principal
- Vice President : Mr Christopher Rodingpuia (Life Sciences)
- General Secretary : Mr Thangbiakhluna (Mizo)
- Joint Secretary : Ms Lalngazuali (Philosophy)

Executive Members

- Class Representatives : Mr Hunropuia (3rd Semester, Life Sciences)
- Mr Amosa Lalmunsiamia (1st Semester, Life Sciences)
- Mr Lalthawmmawia (3rd Semester, Mizo)
- Mr Malsawmtlunga (1st Semester, Mizo)
- Mr Beiphalai Lapi (3rd Semester, Philosophy)
- Mr Nancy Vanlalchhanchhuahi (1st Semester, Philosophy)
- Ms Lalhlmpuii (3rd Semester, Life Sciences)
- Ms L.S. Chanchinmawii (1st Semester, Life Sciences)
- Ms Lalramnunpuui (3rd Semester, Mizo)
- Ms Ramtharnglaki (1st Semester, Mizo)
- Ms Lynda Hmingthansangi (3rd Semester, Philosophy)
- Ms Cecilia Vanlalpekhui (1st Semester, Philosophy)

STUDENT COUNCIL



Student Council 2022–2023

Election for the office of the Student Council for 2022–2023 was held on 12 August 2022, and the following students were elected:

President	:	Mr Lalthanzara	Department of Mizo
Vice President	:	Mr K. Lallawmpuia	Department of Life Sciences
General Secretary	:	Mr Jephtha Lalmangaihzuala	Department of Geophysics
Joint Secretary	:	Ms H. K. Vanlalchhuangi	Department of Philosophy



PUC Code of Conduct

INTRODUCTION: Pachhunga University college is committed to maintaining equality, fairness, and healthy environment for higher education. It accommodates a diverse community and sexes, and aims to provide inclusiveness, harmony and personal development by upholding the Fundamental Rights, Directive Principles and Fundamental Duties of India. This code is ratified by the Academic Committee for the purposes of personal responsibility, peer accountability, safety, and social consciousness, among the students.

1. RAGGING : The University Grant Commission (UGC Regulation on curbing the menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institution) 2009 defines ragging as, "Any act of physical or mental abuse (including bullying and exclusion) targeted at another student (fresher or otherwise) on the ground of colour, race, religion, caste, ethnicity, gender (including transgender), sexual orientation, appearance, nationality, regional origins, linguistic identity, place of birth, place of residence or economic background." Ragging in campus is punishable by law and possible penalties range from

- (1) cancellation of enrolment,
- (2) debarring from examinations,
- (3) suspension for period of 1 to 4 semesters,
- (4) expulsion,
- (5) fine ranging from ₹ 25000 up to 1 lakh.

2. SEXUAL HARASSMENT: UGC (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal of sexual Harassment of women Employees and Students in Higher Educational Institution) Regulation, 2015 defines "sexual harassment" as. "An unwanted conduct with sexual undertones if it occurs or which is persistent and which demeans, humiliates or creates a hostile and intimidating environment or is calculated to induce submission by actual or threatened adverse consequences and includes any one or more or all of the following unwelcome acts or behaviour (Whether directly or by implication) namely:

- (a) any unwelcome physical, verbal or non-verbal conduct of sexual nature;
- (b) demand or request for sexual favours;
- (c) making sexually coloured remarks;
- (d) physical contact and advances or
- (e) showing pornography.

Sexual harassment in the college is a legal crime and the penalty for a perpetrator student is expulsion.

3. ATTENDANCE: UGC (Minimum Standards of Instruction for the Grant of the First Degree Through Formal Education) Regulations, 2003 imposes a minimum of 75% attendance out of the total number of classes students should attend in all subjects for eligibility to appear in the university examinations. Students deficit in attendance, i.e. <75% are barred from appearing in the end semester examinations. CCA attendance is recorded separately; absence in CCA will be fined with Rs 100 every time.

4. CONTINUOUS ASSESSMENT: There are three continuous assessments in a semester (C1 and C2) to which all students must compulsorily appear. If a student fails to appear in any of the test, he/she will have to meet the Principal and furnish an explanation. Under special conditions, the Principal in consultation with the department concerned can grant special permission n for retest, if necessary.

5. SMOKING, MISUSE OF ALCOHOL AND NARCOTICS/INTOXICANTS: The college strictly prohibits smoking, drinking liquor and indulgence in any intoxicants within the college campus. Violation shall bear penalties such as:

- (a) A fine of ₹ 200 (For every offence) for smoking;
- (b) A fine of ₹ 200 for drinking liquor or use of intoxicants as the first offence; second offence leads to expulsion.

6. MALPRACTICE IN EXAMS: Malpractice in exams includes any sort of cheating, copying from notes or other students, use of illegal materials or gadgets, disrupting others and practice of any unfair mean. Students indulging in such malpractices shall be punished as per the Mizoram University Examinations Rules and Regulations. Punishment can result up to direct expulsion.

7. CLEANLINESS: The college strives to sustain hygienic and sanitary campus. There should not be littering in the college campus. Students should discard wastes in the proper dustbin provided. Toilets should be cleaned after use. Spitting in the classrooms, pavements, corridors and Toilet is strictly prohibited. Offenders are liable to a fine of Rs 100. Teacher, Administrative officers and security staff can impose the fine.

8. MOBILE PHONES: Use of mobile phones and related electronic gadget is restricted in the classroom during class hours and examinations. If a student is found violating this restriction his/her mobile phone/ device will be confiscated. Confiscated phones can be claimed from the Principal only after seven days upon payment of Rs 200 as a fine.

9. LEAVE OF ABSENCE: Students are not entitled for personal leave of absence from the classes. However, in case of emergencies and unavoidable circumstances, an application supported by relevant documents (sickness - doctor's letter; death related – funeral service program) should be submitted to the Head of the department or teacher concerned, immediately on the first day of resuming classes. No leave application should be entertained or considered if it is submitted after a lapse of even just one day.

10. SOCIAL MEDIA AND CYBER CRIME: Social media such as Facebook, Instagram, WhatsApp, blogs, etc. can be useful means of communication and sharing information. But students are advised to abstain from posting derogatory remarks about the college and its fraternity that could incite adverse consequences. If a student is found guilty of such activity, Disciplinary Committee of the college will take appropriate actions.

11. INTER-CLASS COMPETITION: The College does not allow any class to organize an inter-class competition of any kind not organised by the college or without the approval of the heads of the department or the principal. Violation of this rule shall result in the following disciplinary actions:

- (a) Students of both parties will be subjected to college campus service.
- (b) Students of both parties will lose one-day attendance.

12. FUND-RAISER: Fund raising/ donations for service of the college and approved by the college authority is encouraged. However, Students individual or in groups, should not conduct fund raising activities on their own. Selling of any item, foodstuff, book and stationery material for educational purposed should be done only with a written authorisation of the principal.

13. VEHICLE PARKING AND TRAFFIC: Students should park their vehicles in the parking lot specified for them in an orderly fashion. Students should obey general traffics rules. Two wheelers can have only one pillion rider; and the driver should wear helmet. The speed limit inside the campus in 20 km/hr.

14. COLLEGE T-SHIRT: The college has an official T-shirt. It is compulsory for student to wear the T-shirts on Monday, and on special occasion notified by the college authority. An offence carries a fine of ₹ 100.

15. DISRUPTIVE BEHAVIOUR: Disruptive behaviour or any conduct of a student that disturb teachers or other students to the point of disrupting teaching, disciplinary, or functions of the college on or off campus. The penalty is expulsion

16. PARTICIPATION IN LOCAL TOURNAMENT: Students are not allowed to participate in local tournaments of any form and manner during class hours. The college will nor entertain any leave application furnished for such participation.

17. CLASS PICNIC: The college does not endorse class picnic. Any consequences will be the sole responsibility of the students, and not the college.

Academic Calendar

	Activity	Date
1.	Commencement of odd semester	: 1 August
2.	Clearance of semester fee (3rd Sem + PhD)	: 7–10 August
3.	Student Council election	: 11 August (Friday)
4.	Freshers' Day	: 18 August (Friday)
5.	College Week	: 21–25 August
6.	Teachers' Day	: 5 September
7.	C1	: 11–22 September
8.	C2	: 1–10 November
9.	C3 exam	: 1–18 December
10.	Winter vacation	: 19 December–31 January
11.	Commencement of even semester	: 1 February
12.	C1	: 1–17 March
13.	C2	: 17–28 April
14.	C3 exam	: 15–30 June (tentative)
15.	Summer vacation	: 1–31 July (tentative)

