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**CIRCULAR**

**Sub: Earning of Activity Points for Award of Degree for students admitted under 2018 Regulations – reg..**

- Ref: 1. AICTE Internship Guidelines  
2. Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor Approval dated : 30-07-2019

**Preamble:**

Apart from technical knowledge and skills, to be successful as professionals, students should have excellent soft skills, leadership qualities and team spirit. They should have entrepreneurial capabilities and societal commitment. In order to match these multifarious requirement, AICTE has created a unique mechanism of awarding Activity Points over and above the academic grades.

1. Every Day College regular student admitted to the 4 years Degree programme and every student entering 4 years Degree programme through lateral entry, shall earn 100 and 75 Activity Points respectively for the award of degree through AICTE Activity Point Programme. Students transferred from other Universities to fifth semester are required to earn 50 Activity Points from the year of entry to VTU. This is applicable to B.E/B.Tech. students taking admission starting from 2018-19: regular, 2019-20 : lateral entry admission and those joining 5<sup>th</sup> semester in 2020-21.

Sl. No.	Student Category	Activity points prescribed by AICTE
1	Day College regular student admitted to the 4 years Degree programme	100
2	Student entering 4 years Degree programme through lateral entry	75
3	Students transferred from other Universities to fifth semester	50

2. The Activity Points earned shall be reflected on the student's eighth semester Grade Card.

3. The activities can be can be spread over the years (duration of the programme), anytime during the semester weekends and holidays, as per the interest and convenience of the student from the year of entry to the programme. However, minimum hours specified must be satisfied.
4. Activity Points (non-credit) have no effect on SGPA/CGPA and shall not be considered for vertical progression.
5. In case students fail to earn the prescribed Activity Points, Eighth semester Grade Card shall be issued only after earning the required Activity Points. Students shall be admitted for the award of degree only after the release of the Eighth semester Grade Card.
6. **AICTE Activity Point Programme (Activity Summary Sheet)** For more details refer to Chapter 6, AICTE Activity Point Programme, Model Internship Guidelines (copy enclosed).

<b>AICTE Activity Point Programme (Activity Summary Sheet)</b>					
The AICTE Activity Programme, a non-credit programme, can be taken up any time during the semester weekends and holidays. These activities can be spread over the years, as per convenience of the student. However, minimum hours specified must be satisfied.					
<b>Following suggestive activities may be carried out by students in teams as per their choice.</b>					
Sl. No.	Activity Head	Minimum Duration		Performance appraisal/ Maximum points/ activity	Evaluated by
		Weeks	Hours		
1	Helping local schools to achieve good result and enhance their enrolment in Higher/ technical/ Vocational Education.	2	80 - 90	20	NSS/ youth Red Cross Co-ordinators /Chairperson- CICC (College Internal Complaints Committee) / SAGY (Sansad Adarsh Gram Yojana, Govt. of India) of the institute/ Mentor
2	Preparing an actionable business proposal for enhancing the village Income.	2	80 - 90	20	
3	Developing Sustainable Water Management system	2	80 - 90	20	
4	Tourism Promotion Innovative Approaches.	2	80 - 90	20	
5	Promotion of Appropriate Technologies.	2	80 - 90	20	
6	Reduction in Energy Consumption.	2	80 - 90	20	
7	To Skill rural population.	2	80 - 90	20	
8	Facilitating 100% Digitized money transactions.	2	80 - 90	20	
9	Setting of the information imparting club for women leading to contribution in social and economic issues.	2	80 - 90	20	
10	Developing and managing efficient garbage disposable system.	2	80 - 90	20	
11	To assist the marketing of rural produce.	2	80 - 90	20	
12	Food preservation/packaging.	2	80 - 90	20	
13	Automation of local activities.	2	80 - 90	20	

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14	Spreading public awareness under rural outreach programmes	2	80 - 90	20	
15	Contribution to any national level initiative of Government of India. For e.g. Digital India/ Skill India/ Swachh Bharat Internship etc.,	2	80 - 90	20	

7. **Submission of Activity Points:** The consolidated report of activity points earned by the students shall be sent to the University. A notification in this respect will be issued by Registrar (Evaluation), VTU, Belagavi.

**The content of this circular is applicable to both Affiliated and Autonomous colleges under VTU.**

Hence, the Principals of Colleges are informed to advice and guide the students in this regard.

The contents of this circular may be brought to the notice of all concerned.

**Encl: As above**

**BY ORDER,**

*01.09.2019*  
**REGISTRAR**

**To,**

**The of Principals of All Engineering Colleges (Constituent/Affiliated/Autonomous) under the ambit VTU, Belagavi**

**Copy to:**

1. Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor through the Secretary to VC, VTU, Belagavi for kind information
2. The Registrar(Eval.), VTU, Belagavi
3. The Regional Directors (I/C) of all the Regional Offices of VTU for kind information
4. The Special Officers of Academic & Examination Section, VTU, Belagavi
4. The concerned Case workers of Academic & Examination Section, VTU, Belagavi
5. The Computer Network centre, VTU, Belagavi