

Board of Studies meeting of the Department of Home Science was conducted on 02-07-2016 at 10.30 AM in the Department of Home Science. Following members were present in the meeting.

1. Dr. Miriam Mani – Chairperson
2. Dr. Anooja Thomas. K
3. Dr. Sr. Betsy
4. Dr. S. Selsa

Dr. Miriam Mani, the chair person welcomed and thanked all the members for their participation.

After discussion the following resolutions were taken based on the agenda.

Agenda.1. Proposal of curriculum for various academic programmes.

Decided to follow the existing UG and PG syllabus prescribed by Mahatma Gandhi University .

Agenda2. Recommended books for the reference for teachers and students.

Discussed about the books to be used for the reference for teachers and students and decided to share the names of books referred in the different colleges.

Agenda 3. Suggest methodologies for teaching and evaluation.

Along with the existing methodologies of teaching. (Lecture, assignments, seminar, power point presentations and visits.) Question bank setting by the students and giving extra practical experiences connected with the subject could be given.

Evaluation can be done following the existing methods (Test papers and Assignments/ seminars), write at home tests and open book tests can be implemented as a tool for getting a concrete concept of the subject (at least can be done for class tests)

Agenda 4. Panel of names of examiners to Academic Council.

Along with existing panel members, members from S N College, Quilon and Women's College Trivandrum (Home Science Department) were also included.

Agenda 5 .Other matters discussed:

- i.Home Science could be offered as a subsidiary subject for other main courses.
- ii.For the subject of Interior decoration, application of principles can be done on models (thermo cols etc.) so that the cost can be decreased and all the concepts of ID can be applied.

(Member Secretary)

(Read and confirmed)

Dr. Miriam Mani
(Chairperson)

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