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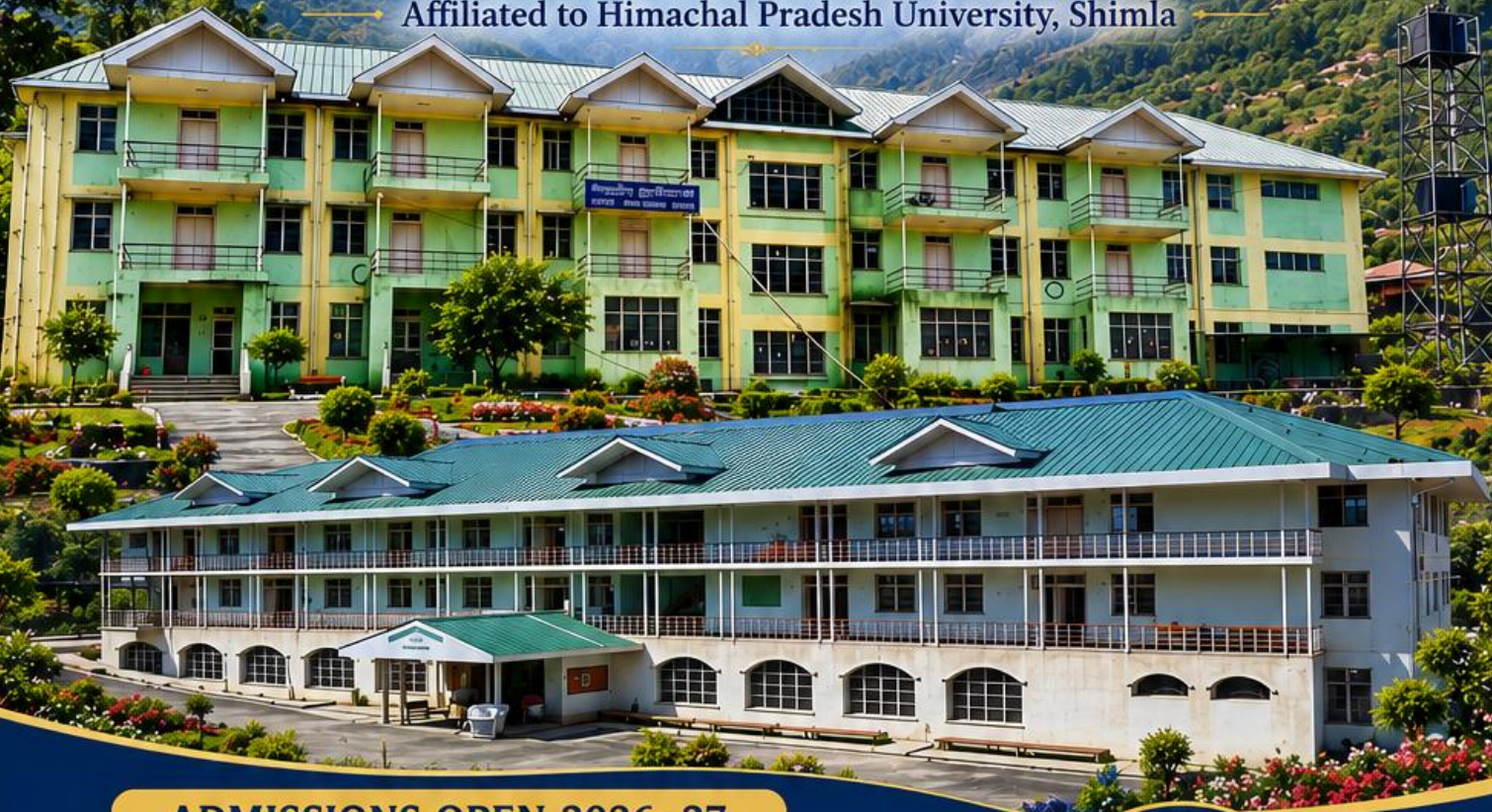
GOVERNMENT DEGREE COLLEGE SHAHPUR

(Institution of Excellence)

PROSPECTUS 2026-27

HANDBOOK OF INFORMATION

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Empowering Young Minds
through Knowledge,
Values and Excellence.

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From the Principal's Desk...

Dear Students, Faculty, Staff, Parents and Esteemed Members of the Community,

As Government Degree College Shahpur enters its **19th year of service** with the commencement of the new academic session **2026–27**, it gives me immense pleasure and pride to share a landmark achievement in the history of our institution.

This academic session marks the **introduction of BCA, BBA, B.Voc. and PGDCA courses for the first time in the college**. The launch of these career-oriented and skill-based programmes is a significant step towards expanding educational opportunities for the youth of Shahpur and the adjoining areas. On this momentous occasion, I extend my **heartfelt gratitude to the Hon'ble Government of Himachal Pradesh, the Department of Higher Education, HPU Shimla and all the higher authorities** for their valuable support, guidance and approval in making these new programmes possible. I also sincerely appreciate the efforts of all officials, faculty members, staff and other stakeholders whose contribution has helped the college reach this important milestone.

The introduction of **BCA, BBA, B.Voc. and PGDCA** is not merely an addition of new courses; it represents our commitment to **quality education, skill development, employability and the holistic development of our students**. As we begin this new chapter, let us work together with dedication, discipline, innovation and a shared vision for the progress of our college and the community we serve.

Once again, my heartfelt congratulations to the entire college community and the people of Shahpur and adjoining areas on this historic achievement.

I wish all our students, faculty and staff a **productive, rewarding and successful academic session 2026–27**.

With best wishes,

Dr. Vishavjeet Singh

Principal

Government Degree College Shahpur



Message from BCA Coordinator Desk...

The introduction of the **Bachelor of Computer Applications (BCA)** at Government Degree College Shahpur in the academic session **2026–27** marks a significant milestone in the history of our college. For the first time, students of Shahpur and the surrounding areas will have the opportunity to pursue a specialized undergraduate programme in the field of computer applications within our institution.

We live in an era where technology has become an essential part of education, business, communication, governance and everyday life. The rapid growth of **Artificial Intelligence, Data Science, Cloud Computing, Cyber Security, Web Technologies and other emerging fields** is creating exciting opportunities for young learners. BCA provides a strong foundation for understanding these technologies and developing the skills required to meet the demands of the digital age.

Our aim is to make the BCA programme a journey of **knowledge, practical learning, creativity and skill development**. Along with academic concepts, students will be encouraged to develop logical thinking, problem-solving abilities, programming skills and an aptitude for continuous learning. Practical work, projects and exposure to emerging technologies will help students connect classroom knowledge with real-world applications.

As the **first batch of BCA students of Government Degree College Shahpur**, you will have a unique place in the academic history of the institution. Your dedication, achievements and innovative ideas will contribute to building a strong foundation for this newly introduced programme.

I warmly welcome all students joining BCA and encourage you to approach this new journey with **curiosity, commitment and confidence**. Let us work together to create a culture of learning and innovation and prepare ourselves for the opportunities of a technology-driven future.

**Welcome to BCA at Government Degree College Shahpur—
the beginning of a new academic journey and a new digital chapter in our college.**

With best wishes for your success,

Prof. Sanjiv Kumar

**BCA Coordinator
Government Degree College Shahpur**



Message from PGDCA Coordinator...

The commencement of the **Post Graduate Diploma in Computer Applications (PGDCA)** at Government Degree College Shahpur during the session **2026–27** is a noteworthy addition to the academic profile of our institution. With this programme being offered **for the first time**, the college is opening a new pathway for graduates who wish to strengthen their competence in computing and digital technologies.

Computing has moved far beyond being a specialized area of study; it now supports almost every sector of the economy and public life. Organizations increasingly require individuals who can understand digital systems, handle information efficiently and adapt to technological change. PGDCA is intended to respond to this need by providing learners with focused training in **computer applications, programming, databases, networking and modern digital practices**.

The programme will place particular emphasis on **hands-on experience and application-oriented learning**. Students will get opportunities to work with software tools, undertake practical exercises and develop solutions to problems encountered in real-life situations. Such exposure can help graduates add a valuable technological dimension to their existing academic qualifications and professional aspirations.

The inaugural batch will have the distinction of being the **pioneering group of PGDCA students at Government Degree College Shahpur**. You will therefore have an opportunity not only to benefit from this new programme but also to contribute to its early growth through your participation, performance and constructive ideas.

I encourage every learner to use this opportunity to broaden their capabilities, explore unfamiliar areas of technology and remain receptive to new methods of working. **A qualification becomes truly valuable when knowledge is converted into competence and competence into purposeful action.**

I extend my sincere welcome to all students entering the PGDCA programme and wish you an enriching and rewarding academic experience.

May your learning here become a stepping stone towards greater professional possibilities.

With best wishes,

Dr. Keshav Koushal

PGDCA Coordinator
Government Degree College Shahpur



Message from B.Voc. Coordinator...

The launch of **Bachelor of Vocation (B.Voc.)** at Government Degree College Shahpur in the academic session **2026–27** is a significant new beginning for our institution. As this programme is being introduced **for the first time**, it reflects our commitment to providing learners with education that connects academic learning with the skills and competencies valued in the world of work.

The nature of employment is changing rapidly. Employers increasingly look for individuals who can combine **sound knowledge with practical ability, professional behaviour and workplace readiness**. B.Voc. has been conceived with this very purpose—to give students an opportunity to learn through a balanced blend of classroom instruction, practical training and skill-oriented activities.

An important feature of vocational education is its close relationship with **real-world practices**. Students will be encouraged to understand how their learning can be applied in actual work situations, develop occupational skills and gradually build confidence in performing tasks independently. The programme can therefore serve as a useful bridge between higher education and future employment, entrepreneurship or further learning.

For the students joining the inaugural batch, this is more than the beginning of a new course. **You are the first learners who will help establish the identity and reputation of B.Voc. at Government Degree College Shahpur.** Your sincerity, participation and achievements will become an important part of the programme's early story.

I extend a warm welcome to the first batch of B.Voc. students and wish you a meaningful, productive and successful journey ahead.

Learn with purpose. Practise with confidence. Build skills for life.

With best wishes,

Dr. Sohan Kumar

**B.Voc. Coordinator
Government Degree College Shahpur
Session 2026–27**

Schedule for the Academic Session 2026-27

Admission/ Regular Study Schedule		
Particulars	Period	Days
Submission of admission forms for the session 2025-26	01 June to 19 June	19 Days
Pre-admission counseling of students	13 June to 19 June	07 days
Display of 1st Merit List	20 th June at 5.00 PM	
Fee to be deposited	21 st June to 23 rd June	03 Days
Display of 2nd Merit List	24 th June at 3.00 PM	
Fee to be deposited	25 th June to 27 th June	03 Day
Orientation of 1st year Students	28 th to 30 th June	03 Day
Admissions of UG 2 nd & Final year students on roll on basis	1 st June to 19 th June	19 Days
Fee to be deposited	12 th June to 23 rd June	12 Days
Post admission counseling	24 th June to 30 th June	07 Days
Regular Teaching	1 st July to 15 March of next year excluding vacation period	
	Total teaching days	>180
Annual Practical Examination / remedial / need based classes / self-study by student	16 th march to 25 th march	
Theory examination	26 th March to 10 th may	
Evaluation of answer scripts	7 th April to 17 th may	
Result of all U.G. classes	Up to 30 th June	
Result of revaluation	Up to 20 th August	
Supplementary examination	September	
Result of supplementary examination	October	
Vacation Schedule		
Festival Break	2 days before and 2 days after Diwali	5 Days
Winter Vacations	01 January to 04 February	35 Days
Summer Vacation	18 May to 11 June	25 Days
	Total Vacation Period	65 Days

Note: Changes make occur in schedule as per the guidelines of HPU / HP. Govt. / College administration.

INSTITUTIONAL CALENDAR 2026-27

Induction Programme	Zero Week
International Youth Day	12 th August
Independence Day	15 th August
College Inception Day	17 st August
Sadbhavna Day	20 th August
Sanskrit Day	31 st August
CSCA Formation	As Notified By HPU
Teacher's Day	5 th September
Literacy Day	8 th September
Hindi Diwas	14 th September
Ozone Day	16 th September
Tourism Day	27 th September
Surgical Strike Day	30 th September
PTA General House Formation	Last Sunday Of September
Gandhi Jayanti	2 nd October
World Mental Health Day	10 th October
Rashtriya Ekta Diwas	31 st October
Vigilance Awareness Week	From 31 st October To 5 th November
Athletic Meet	1 st Week Of November
Education Day	12 th November
Communal Harmony Week	19 th -25 th November
Constitution Day	30 th November
CSCA Function	Last Week Of November
World Aids Day	1 st December
INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PERSONS With DISABILITY	3 rd December
Human Rights Day	10 th December
Half Yearly Exams	2 nd Week Of December
National Mathematics Day	22 nd December
National Consumer Day	24 th December
NSS Camp	1 st Week Of January
National Youth Day	12 th January
Voter Awareness Day	25 th January
Republic Day	26 th January
National Science Day	28 th February
Annual Prize Distribution Function	Last Week Of February
International Woman's Day	8 th March
National Poetry Day	21 st March
Water Day	22 nd March
Himachal Day	15 th April
Earth Day	22 nd April
World Book Day	23 rd April
Anti-Tobacco Day	31 st May
World Environment Day	5 th June
International Yoga Day	21 st June
World Music Day	21 st June

ADMISSION COMMITTEES

BCA Venue:-ITLab	PGDCA Venue:- IT Lab
Mr. Sanjiv Kumar (Convener) Mr. Harish Kumar Ms. Sakshi	Dr. Keshav Koushal (Convener) Ms. Shilpa Mr. Sachin Mehra

B.Voc. Venue:- Math Department	
Dr. Sohan Kumar (Convener) Dr. Sushila Sharma Dr. Seema Bala	

National Education policy and HPU-CCFUGP

The National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 aims to transform higher education by promoting holistic, multidisciplinary, flexible, and student-centric learning. It envisions the development of creative, ethical, skilled, and socially responsible individuals capable of meeting the challenges of the 21st century. The policy emphasizes conceptual understanding, critical thinking, innovation, communication skills, and experiential learning instead of rote memorization. It also seeks to integrate sciences, social sciences, arts, humanities, sports, vocational education, and Indian knowledge systems to provide well-rounded education to students.

In accordance with the vision of the NEP 2020, the University Grants Commission introduced the Curriculum and Credit Framework for Undergraduate Programmes (UGC-CCFUGP 2022). Based on these guidelines, Himachal Pradesh University has implemented the HPU-CCFUGP for undergraduate programmes from the current academic session.

The new curriculum framework provides flexibility to students in choosing courses according to their interests and career goals. It promotes multidisciplinary education with a flexible choice-based credit system and multiple entry and exit options. Under this framework, students may obtain a Certificate after one year, Diploma after two years, Bachelor's Degree after three years, and Bachelor's Degree with Honours/Research after four years of study, subject to fulfilment of prescribed credits.

The HPU-CCFUGP also focuses on skill development, employability, value-based education, use of technology, research aptitude, and experiential learning. It encourages academic mobility, interdisciplinary learning, and the holistic development of learners while ensuring equity, inclusion, and respect for Indian culture and constitutional values.

Our college is committed to implementing the spirit of NEP 2020 by providing quality education, academic flexibility, skill-oriented learning opportunities, and a supportive environment that prepares students to become responsible citizens and lifelong learners.

Disclaimer Regarding NEP

The directorate of Higher Education, Government of Himachal Pradesh issued in its letter no. EDN-H(8)-Misc.-L/(NEP-2020) dated 26.02.2020, regarding implementation of National Education Policy (NEP-2020) across all the colleges in the state. Since then, all the stakeholders across the state were preparing the policy documents for effective implementation of NEP-2020 from the academic session 2022-23. Therefore, it is pertinent to mention here that all the content mentioned in this prospectus-cum-handbook of information related to admission, syllabus, examination and scheme for CBCS etc. will be governed by the rules and regulation of NEP-2020 in the state (if implemented).

Procedure of online admission

Procedure of online admission: (On website www.gcshahpur.ac.in)

1. Read the instructions thoroughly and carefully as given in the prospectus.
2. Keep soft copies of the following documents ready with you (Documents required to be uploaded online while filling the form):
 - i. Recent passport-size scanned photograph (less than 250 KB)
 - ii. Signature specimen (less than 250 KB)
 - iii. Matriculation certificate
 - iv. 10+2 certificate
 - v. Character certificate (not older than 6 months) issued by the Head of the Institution last attended or character certificate issued by a gazetted officer in case of private candidate. *The original character certificate must be attached with the admission application form.*
 - vi. Migration certificate (for students who have completed 10+2 from board other than HP Board)
 - vii. Bonafide Certificate (only for Himachali girls)
 - viii. 40% disability certificate/category certificate in case the student is seeking any kind of fee concession (IRDP/BPL/PwD/age relaxation)
 - ix. UID Aadhaar Number or Enrollment Number (if applied for Aadhaar)
 - x. APAAR ID
 - xi. Student's own mobile number and email ID belonging to the candidate only
 - xii. Scanned copy of the front page of the student's own bank account passbook showing account number and IFSC code
3. All candidates who wish to apply for scholarships must have a valid Aadhaar-linked bank account with core banking facility. Please keep the bank account number, branch name, and branch IFSC code ready.
4. Candidates applying under any reservation category must possess valid supporting documents.
5. At the time of counselling, candidates must bring a printout of the online filled admission form along with photocopies of all submitted documents and the original documents for verification.
6. Students are advised to regularly check their email, SMS, the college official website, and the college notice board for the latest updates regarding the admission process, cut-off lists, and counseling schedule.
7. In case any student faces difficulty while applying online for admission, they may contact the following faculty members for assistance:
 - i. Mr.Sanjiv Kumar – 9418730912
 - ii. Dr.Shivani Sabharwal – 9015045885
 - iii. Dr. Keshav Kaushal – 862887589
 - iv. Dr. Sohan Kumar – 9418305295
 - v. Mr. Sunil Kumar – 9805864423
8. At the time of admission, students must bring their parents/guardians (only blood relatives and not students of this institution) to the college.

Note: Old students can apply directly by logging in their panel using their username and password.

Steps to be Followed for Admission

Step 1

Visit the college website:

[Government College Shahpur Official Website](#)

Step 2

Click on “**Admission 2026–27**”.

Step 3

For 1st Year Students:

Click on “**New Registration**”.

Students should register themselves by entering:

- Student Name
- Mobile Number (Own)
- Email ID (Own)
- Aadhaar Number

Step 4

Pay the prospectus fee online.

Step 5

After successful registration, the username and password will be sent through email.

Step 6

2nd & 3rd year students should log in using their username and password. Fill in all the required details (Educational Details) and upload the necessary documents.

Step 7

Submit the application form.

Step 8

Take a printout of the final admission form and submit it to the college along with photocopies of the uploaded documents.

Step 9

Get all photocopies verified by the Admission Committee in the college.

Step 10

Pay the online admission fee after verification.

Bachelor of Computer Applications (BCA)

Himachal Pradesh University Undergraduate Curriculum Framework (As per National Education Policy-2020)

Course:

Apart from Department of Computer Science, Government College Shahpur has also started BCA course from the academic session 2026-27. BCA is the three year Degree Course having semester system of examination w.e.f. 2014. The total number of seats in BCA course is 40 from session 2026-27. The distribution of Seats is as under:

	Category	Number of Seats in BCA
Scheme-I	Subsidized Seats	30
Scheme-II	Non Subsidized Seats	10
	Total (I+II)	40

Note: One more seat above all these for Single Girl Child (SGC). So total seats will be 41.

Eligibility Conditions:

Plus two examination in any discipline under 10+2 system or any other examination equivalent thereto, of Board/University established by law in India with at least 40% marks (35% marks in case of SC/ST candidates).

Age Limit

Maximum age limit for admission to BCA course is 21 years for general category, 24 years for SC/ST category and 23 years for girls candidates, as on the 1st July of the year concerned. The Vice Chancellor may permit age relaxation up to maximum of three months.

Basis of Admission

Scheme-I (Subsidized Seats)

There shall be an **No entrance examination** for candidates seeking admission to BCA course. The selection process comprises of following stages for academic session 2026-27:

1. The admission to BCA will be strictly on the basis of merit prepared on the 12th class marks/percentage.
2. If any two students has equal marks/ percentage at 12th class, then their 10th class marks will be considered for further ranking.

Scheme-II (Non Subsidized Seats)

After filling seats in subsidized category, top 10 candidates in the merit list will be admitted next in BCA programme. The candidate seeking admission under payment non-subsidized category must submit his/her consent.

Note:

1. Fee once deposited shall not be refunded.
2. The student admitted to the faculty of BCA will be governed by the rules & regulations contained in the Prospectus 2026-27 of Government College Shahpur (H.P.)

Reservation:

As per HP Government and HPU rules and regulations.

Detailed Course Outline for BCA

HIMACHAL PRADESH UNIVERSITY

BCA Syllabus (NEP-2020) Effective from Academic Session 2025-2026

Semester I

Sr. No	Course Code	Course Type	Course Title	Contact Hrs/week				C	Semester End Marks	
				L	T	P	H		EE	IA
1	COMP-101	DSC-A1	Fundamentals of Computers and Office Productivity Tools	4	0	0	4	4	70	30
2	COMP-102	DSC-B1	Programming using C	4	0	0	4	4	70	30
3	COMP-103	MDC- 1	Accounting	3	0	0	3	3	50	25
4	COMP-151	SEC-1	Fundamentals of Computers and Office Productivity Tools - Lab	0	0	6	6	3	50	25
5	COMP-152	MC-1	Programming using C- Lab	0	0	8	8	4	70	30
6		AEC-1	To be chosen from corresponding Pool	-	-	-	-	2	35	15
TOTAL								20	345	155
									Total = 500	

Semester II

Sr. No	Course Code	Course Type	Course Title	Contact Hrs/week				C	Semester End Marks	
				L	T	P	H		EE	IA
1	COMP -201	DSC-A2	Internet and Web Technologies	4	0	0	4	4	70	30
2	COMP-202	DSC-B2	Data Structures	4	0	0	4	4	70	30
3	COMP- 203	MDC- 2	To be chosen from Mathematics Pool	-	-	-	-	3	50	25
4	COMP -251	SEC-2	Internet and Web Technologies- Lab	0	0	6	6	3	50	25
5	COMP -252	MC-2	Data Structures - Lab	0	0	8	8	4	70	30
6		I/A/P/C- 1	As per HPU Guidelines	-	-	-	-	4	70	30
7		VAC-1	To be chosen from VAC Pool	-	-	-	-	2	35	15
TOTAL								24	415	185
									Total = 600	

BCA Syllabus Effective from 2014 onwards

Semester-III

Paper Code	Paper Title	Credit	University Examination	Internal Assessment	Max. Marks	Exam Duration Hours
BCA0301	Mathematics-III	4	50	50	100	3
BCA0302	Business Practice and Management	4	50	50	100	3
BCA0303	Computer Organization	4	50	50	100	3
BCA0304	Object Oriented Programming with C++	4	50	50	100	3
BCA0305	Desktop Publishing and Designing	4	50	50	100	3
BCA0304(P)	Object Oriented Programming with C++ Lab-V	3	25	25	50	3
BCA0305(P)	Desktop Publishing and Designing Lab-VI	3	25	25	50	3
Total					600	

Semester-IV

Paper Code	Paper Title	Credit	University Examination	Internal Assessment	Max. Marks	Exam Duration Hours
BCA0401	Personal Management	4	50	50	100	3
BCA0402	Accounting	4	50	50	100	3
BCA0403	System Analysis and Design	4	50	50	100	3
BCA0404	Internet Technology and Web Page Design	4	50	50	100	3
BCA0405	Programming in Visual Basic	4	50	50	100	3
BCA0404(P)	Internet Technology & Web Page Design Lab-VII	3	25	25	50	3
BCA0405(P)	Programming in Visual Basic Lab-VIII	3	25	25	50	3
	Total				600	

Semester-V

Paper Code	Paper Title	Credit	University Examination	Internal Assessment	Max. Marks	Exam Duration Hours
BCA0501	Operating System	4	50	50	100	3
BCA0502	e-Commerce	4	50	50	100	3
BCA0503	Management Information System	4	50	50	100	3
BCA0504	ASP.net Technologies	4	50	50	100	3
BCA0505	Computer Oriented Statistical Methods	4	50	50	100	3
BCA0504(P)	ASP.net Technologies Lab-IX	3	25	25	50	3
BCA0505(P)	Computer Oriented Statistical Methods Lab-X	3	25	25	50	3
	Total			600		

Semester-VI

Paper Code	Paper Title	Credit	University Examination	Internal Assessment	Max. Marks	Exam Duration Hours
BCA0601	Computer Networks	4	50	50	100	3
BCA0602	Numerical Methods	4	50	50	100	3
BCA0603	Multimedia Technology	4	50	50	100	3
BCA0604	Computer Graphics	4	50	50	100	3
BCA0605	Software Engineering	4	50	50	100	3
BCA0604(P)	Computer Graphics Lab-XI	3	25	25	50	3
BCA0605(P)	Major Project	3	25	25	50	3
	Total			600		

Post Graduate Diploma in Computer Application (PGDCA)

PGDCA (CBCS) Course (1 year)- Two semesters Framework Effective from 2025 onwards

About

Government College, Shahpur has started PGDCA from the academic session 2026-27. The Post Graduate Diploma in Computer Applications (PGDCA) is a dynamic program designed to provide students with a comprehensive understanding of computer applications. This one-year course bridges the gap between theoretical knowledge and practical expertise, empowering graduates with the necessary skills to excel in the ever-evolving technology sector.

Course Duration and Seats

The duration of the PGDCA Course is one year, spread over two semesters and examination will be held at the end of each semester. The total number of seats in PGDCA course is 40 (+ 1 Single Girl Child). The distribution of seats is as under:

Category		Number of Seats in PGDCA
Scheme-I	Subsidized Seats	30 (+ 1 supernumerary Single Girl Child)
Scheme-II	Non Subsidized Seats	10
Total (Scheme-I + Scheme-II)		40 (+1 Single Girl Child)

Eligibility for PGDCA

Provided that the candidate is a Graduate with minimum 50% marks (45% in a case of SC./ST.) in aggregate in Bachelor's Degree or equivalent from a University established by law in India shall be eligible to apply for the admission.

Or

A Bachelor's Degree or equivalent with a minimum of 48 credits in Major subject, 48 credits in two minor subjects, 9 credits in compulsory, 1 credit in GI & hobby with aggregate of 106 credits for the award of pass degree.

Age Limit for PGDCA

Candidates seeking admission in PGDCA programme shall not be more than 26 years for male candidates, 28 years for female candidates and 29 years for SC/ST candidates as on 1st July of the admission year concerned.

Note: For Person with Disabilities candidates relaxation in age will be allowed as applicable under rules.

Basis of Admission for PGDCA

1. The admission to PGDCA will be strictly on the basis of merit prepared on the Graduation class marks/percentage.
2. If any two students has equal marks/ percentage at Graduation class, then their 12th class marks will be considered for further ranking.

Basis of Admission Scheme-II (Non Subsidized Seats)

After filling seats in subsidized category, top 10 candidates in the merit list will be admitted next in PGDCA programme. The candidate seeking admission under payment non-subsidized category must submit his/her consent.

Detailed Course Outline:

The detailed course outline for PGDCA is given below which is subjected to any change by the Board of Studies approved by Academic Council and Executive Council of Himachal Pradesh University.

Course Code & Paper Names

SEMESTER-I

Course Code	Paper	Credits	Univ. Exam Marks	Internal Assessment	Total Marks
DCS-101	Fundamentals of Programming Using C	4	75	25	100
DCS-102	Office Automation Tools	4	75	25	100
DCS-103	Computer Organization	4	75	25	100
DCS-104	Elective - 1	4	75	25	100
DCS-105	Practical-I (C Language)	3	75	25	100
DCS-106	Practical-II (Office Automation Tools)	3	75	25	100
Total		22			600

Elective-1	
Course Code	Paper
DCS-104 (i)	Operating System
DCS-104 (ii)	Software Engineering
DCS-104 (iii)	Multimedia Technology

SEMESTER –II

Course Code	Paper	Credits	Univ. Exam Marks	Internal Assessment	Total Marks
DCS-201	Data and File Structure	4	75	25	100
DCS-202	Web Technology and Designing	4	75	25	100
DCS-203	Database Management system	4	75	25	100
DCS-204	Elective - 2	4	75	25	100
DCS-205	Practical-III (Web Technology and Designing)	3	75	25	100
DCS-206	Practical-IV (DBMS)	3	75	25	100
Total		22			600

Elective-2	
Course Code	Paper
DCS-204 (i)	Data Communication and Networks
DCS-204 (ii)	Object Oriented Programming Using JAVA
DCS-204 (iii)	Artificial Intelligence

Total Credits: 22 + 22 = 44

Dress Code for PGDCA

The Dress Code will be observed for five days in a week i.e. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The prescribed Dress for boys and girls is as follows:

Sr. No.	Item	Colour
1	Shirt	Light Sky Blue
2	Pant	Navy Blue
3	Tie	Maroon
4	Sweater	Gray
5	Socks	Black
6	Shoes	Black

Dress code is compulsory and strictly to be followed by the PGDCA students except on Wednesday, violators will be fined Rs. 100 per day.

BACHELOR OF VOCATION (B. Voc.)

UGC Approved 3-Year Regular Degree Program Course of Study

The college offers the following two 'NSQF' (National Skill Qualification Framework) UGC approved 3 - year regular degree programs under the semester system for vocational studies as mentioned below:-

B. Voc. in Hospitality & Tourism

ABOUT THE BACHELOR OF VOCATION (B. Voc.) DEGREE PROGRAMME

The University Grants Commission (UGC) has launched an employment-oriented scheme on skill Development-based higher education as a part of College / University education, leading to a Bachelor of Vocation (B. Voc.) degree with multiple entry and exit at different levels viz. Diploma / Advance diploma and degree in compliance to the National Skills Qualification Framework (NSQF). Multiple entry and exit will allow students the flexibility to earn and study at their convenience.

OBJECTIVES: -

- * To provide multiple entry and exit options at various levels through program design in confirmation of the skill ecosystem.
- * To create requisite job role-specific skilled manpower for the industry at various NSQF levels as per NOS's (National Occupational Standards).
- * To empower the youth leading to employment and income-generating opportunities.
- * To provide a judicious mix of skills relating to a profession and appropriate content of general Education.

COURSE STRUCTURE

B. Voc. program is designed with the provision for multiple exit levels. All the candidates enrolled for diploma courses or further will be treated at par from the second semester onwards. Students may exit after six months with the certificate (NSQF Level 4) or they may continue for diploma or Advanced Diploma level courses leading to B. Voc. degree.

Following table provides a snapshot of the various certificates and their duration: -

NSQF Levels	Skill Component Credits	General Education Credits	Total Credits for Award	Normal Duration	Exit Points/ Awards
4	18	12	30	One Sem.	Certificate
4.5	36	24	60	Two Sem.	Diploma
5	72	48	120	Four Sem.	Advance Diploma
5.5	108	72	180	Six Sem.	B. Voc. Degree

Multiple Entry and Exit Options:

- After the completion of Semester I, the candidate will get a Certificate, and she/he may go for a job or continue studying.
- The candidate may re-join Semester II. After the completion of Semester II, the candidate will get a Diploma, and she/he may go for a job or continue studying.
- The candidate may re-join Semester III. After the completion of Semesters III and IV. The candidate will get an Advanced Diploma, and she/he may go for a job or continue studying.

The candidate may re-join Semester V. After the completion of Semesters V and VI, the candidate will be awarded a B. Voc. Degree, and she/he may go for a job or become an entrepreneur, or continue studying for the M. Voc. Degree (NSQF Level 8 onwards) and can register for Ph.D. Degree (NSQF Level 10) after it, in Vocational studies, or they can take admission in any other masters' programme after completion of required Bridge course, or appear in any competitive exams conducted by State Public Service Commission and Union Public Service Commission.

INTERNSHIP PROGRAM:

- Internship for 6 weeks after the completion of each year is an integral/essential component of B. Voc. Degree.
- The Internship shall also carry credits to be added in the final evaluation of skill components.
- Fully sponsoring internship apart for facilitating the skill component (60%) of this programme along with courseware for whole of the programme.
- Candidates enrolled for this programme are entitled for 'Kaushal Vikas Bhatta' as per state government policy.

HOSPITALITY & TOURISM			
NSQF Level	Semester	Job Role	Training Hours
4	I	Guest Service Associate (Front Office)	585
4.5	II	Guest Service Executive (Housekeeping)	585
5	III & IV	Duty Manager (Front Office)	1310
5.5	V & VI	Restaurant Manager (F&B Service)	1349

Course:

The total number of seats in B.Voc. course is 40 from session 2026-27. The distribution of Seats is as under:

	Category	Number of Seats in BCA
Scheme-I	Subsidized Seats	30
Scheme-II	Non Subsidized Seats	10
	Total (I+II)	40

Note: One more seat above all these for Single Girl Child (SGC). So total seats will be 41.

Eligibility Conditions:

Plus two examination in any discipline under 10+2 system or any other examination equivalent thereto, of Board/University established by law in India with at least 40% marks (35% marks in case of SC/ST candidates).

Age Limit

Maximum age limit for admission to B.Voc. course is 21 years for general category, 24 years for SC/ST category and 23 years for girls candidates, as on the 1st July of the year concerned. The Vice Chancellor may permit age relaxation up to maximum of three months.

Basis of Admission**Scheme-I (Subsidized Seats)**

There shall be an **No entrance examination** for candidates seeking admission to B.Voc course. The selection process comprises of following stages for academic session 2026-27:

1. The admission to B.Voc will be strictly on the basis of merit prepared on the 12th class marks/percentage.
2. If any two students has equal marks/ percentage at 12th class, then their 10th class marks will be considered for further ranking.

Scheme-II (Non Subsidized Seats)

After filling seats in subsidized category, top 10 candidates in the merit list will be admitted next in B.Voc programme. The candidate seeking admission under payment non-subsidized category must submit his/her consent.

Note:

1. Fee once deposited shall not be refunded.
2. The student admitted to the faculty of B.Voc will be governed by the rules & regulations contained in the Prospectus 2026-27 of Government College Shahpur (H.P.)

Reservation:

As per HP Government and HPU rules and regulations.

Note: For further enquiry of any kind regarding B.Voc. kindly contact Dr. Sohan Kumar.

FEE / FUNDS / FINES

(Important Note: Fee and funds / fines shown or mentioned in the information book/prospectus are just for referece. The actual fee/funds charged at the time of admission may be different from the shown or mentioned in this book/prospectus. College / HPU reserve the right to change fee/ funds at any time without prior notice in any form.)

1. Every student must pay his/her dues on the dates notified by the college from time to time.
2. First Year students must pay all dues at the time of admission.
3. Failure to pay dues on the due date will result in a fine of **Rs. 1/- per day**.
4. In case of non-payment of dues, the student's name will be struck off from the college rolls at the end of the month.
5. Registration fee will not be charged from students migrating from another college if they are already registered with Himachal Pradesh University. Other dues will be charged as per rules.
6. Every student must obtain a **No Dues Certificate** from the Library, NSS, Sports Department, Fee Clerk, etc., before leaving the college.
7. The Principal has the authority to expel any student found guilty of misconduct, indiscipline, or ragging.
8. Security deposit will lapse if a student does not apply for a refund within one year of leaving the college.
9. Fine for absence must be paid along with the dues, while other fines must be deposited by the date announced by the college office/fee counter.
10. Contribution towards PTA funds is **Rs. 1000/- per student per annum**, payable at the time of admission.
11. Bonafide Himachali girl students are exempted from tuition fees on submission of a valid Himachal Pradesh Bonafide Certificate at the time of admission.
12. Students having more than **40% disability** are exempted from fees and funds.

BCA

BCA-1st Semester fee for Subsidized

Boys & (Girls from state other than HP)	
General	IRDP / BPL
9919	9669

Girls (HP State bonafide)	
General	IRDP / BPL
8619	8369

BCA-1st Semester fee for Non-Subsidized

Boys & (Girls from state other than HP)	
General	IRDP / BPL
14419	14169

Girls (HP State bonafide)	
General	IRDP / BPL
15119	14869

BCA-Second Semester fee for Subsidized

Boys & (Girls from state other than HP)	
General	IRDP / BPL
7840	7540

Girls (HP State bonafide)	
General	IRDP / BPL
6840	6540

BCA-Second Semester fee for Non-Subsidized

Boys & (Girls from state other than HP)	
General	IRDP / BPL
12340	12040

Girls (HP State bonafide)	
General	IRDP / BPL
13340	13040

PGDCA

PGDCA-1st Semester fee for Subsidized

Boys & (Girls from state other than HP)	
General	IRDP / BPL
10419	10169

Girls (HP State bonafide)	
General	IRDP / BPL
10119	9869

PGDCA-1st Semester fee for Non-Subsidized

Boys & (Girls from state other than HP)	
General	IRDP / BPL
14919	14669

Girls (HP State bonafide)	
General	IRDP / BPL
14619	14369

PGDCA-Second Semester fee for Subsidized

Boys & (Girls from state other than HP)	
General	IRDP / BPL
8340	8040

Girls (HP State bonafide)	
General	IRDP / BPL
8340	8040

PGDCA-Second Semester fee for Non-Subsidized

Boys & (Girls from state other than HP)	
General	IRDP / BPL
12840	12540

Girls (HP State bonafide)	
General	IRDP / BPL
12840	12540

B.Voc.

B.Voc-1st Semester fee for Subsidized

Boys & (Girls from state other than HP)	
General	IRDP / BPL
8520	8270

Girls (HP State bonafide)	
General	IRDP / BPL
8220	7970

B.Voc-1st Semester fee for Non-Subsidized

Boys & (Girls from state other than HP)	
General	IRDP / BPL
10520	10270

Girls (HP State bonafide)	
General	IRDP / BPL
10220	9970

B.Voc-Second Semester fee for Subsidized

Boys & (Girls from state other than HP)	
General	IRDP / BPL
6441	6141

Girls (HP State bonafide)	
General	IRDP / BPL
6441	6141

B.Voc-Second Semester fee for Non-Subsidized

Boys & (Girls from state other than HP)	
General	IRDP / BPL
8441	8141

Girls (HP State bonafide)	
General	IRDP / BPL
8441	8141

Dress Codes

BCA Dress Code

A formal dress code implies cultivation of special attitude and gives different look to the students and also adds to his/her personality. Wearing of dress in the college is compulsory.

1. **Summer Dress Code** – Light Blue Plain Shirt, Black Trouser and Black Leather Shoes with Navy Blue Neck Tie for both Boys and Girls.
2. **Winter Dress Code** – Black Sweater and Navy Blue Blazer Coat shall be the dress Code during the winters for both Boys and Girls.

Dress Code for PGDCA

The Dress Code will be observed for five days in a week i.e. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The prescribed Dress for boys and girls is as follows:

Sr. No.	Item	Colour
1	Shirt	Light Sky Blue
2	Pant	Navy Blue
3	Tie	Maroon
4	Sweater	Gray
5	Socks	Black
6	Shoes	Black

Dress code is compulsory and strictly to be followed by the PGDCA students except on Wednesday, violators will be fined Rs. 100 per day.

B.Voc. Dress Code

Dress code details for B.Voc. will be shared in the first class.

LEAVE RULE

3. The name of the student will be struck off from the rolls of the college if he/she remains absent without leave for more than 5 days in any class/subject (Theory/Practical).
 4. A tutor can recommend leave up to 3 days. For longer duration, a student must get the application signed by Senior Tutor/Principal.
 5. Leave during House Examinations will be sanctioned by the Principal on the recommendation of tutor/subject teacher.
 6. Leave for sickness must be accompanied by a medical certificate.
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CODE OF CONDUCT FOR STUDENTS

1. Every student must always carry with him/her a duly completed identity card and he/she must produce it whenever demanded by any teacher or security guard.
2. Any student representing the college in Sports/Cultural/NSS/co-curricular activities must get permission from the concerned subject teacher. Students participating in inter-college competitions should note that the practice/rehearsal should be either before the classes or after the classes.
3. It is for the information of the students that ragging is not only a social evil but also a punishable crime.
4. There is a complete restriction on bringing unwanted outsiders to the college campus.
5. Students must help the college administration in keeping the college campus clean and beautiful by making use of dustbins installed in the campus.
6. Students must not cause any damage to the college property. In case any damage is noticed, it will be recovered from the students.
7. Use of chewing gum, cigarettes, ghutka, etc. in the college campus is strictly prohibited.
8. Use of mobile phones or head/earphones is strictly prohibited in the college campus.
9. The college has zero tolerance for any kind of abuse/harassment/violence in the campus.
10. The Principal reserves the right of expulsion/suspension of any student who is found indulged in indiscipline/illegal activity and violation of code of conduct.

VALUES & ETHICS

1. Be punctual.
2. Do not loiter about in the corridors.
3. Utilize your free time in the library.
4. Help the needy. Participate in community work.
5. Be healthy, be positive, exercise regularly.
6. Treat everyone with respect & empathy.
7. Display inclusiveness, appreciate diversity, and abide by the norms and guidelines of the institution.

LIBRARY

The college library houses 4003 books and 191 books are there in the book bank section. Seven daily newspapers (two English & five vernacular) and five magazines have also been subscribed for the college library. Two books are issued at a time for 14 days to a student and the librarian has the right to recall the books at any time. In case of loss of books, the students have to replace the book or pay fine in addition to the price of books. The library remains open from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. The library is fully equipped with various facilities and amenities like SOUL software etc.

ANNUAL PRIZE DISTRIBUTION

Annual Prize Distribution function is held in February/March every year. Prizes are awarded to students who show excellence in the field of Academics, Sports, Cultural events, NSS and other activities. The rules for the award of prizes will be notified separately.

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

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| • Campus Beautification Committee | • Commerce & Management Society |
| • Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat Club | • IT Club |
| • Gender Champion | • Mathematics Club |
| • Electoral Literacy Club | • Cultural Society |
| • Eco Club | • Literary Society |
| • NSS | • Science Society |
| • Red Ribbon Club | • Social Sciences Society |
| • Rovers & Ranger | • Yuva Tourism Club |
| • Road Safety Club | • Health Club & First Aid Committee |
| • Yoga & Happiness Club | • Sports |
| • Yuva Red Cross | |
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COLLEGE MAGAZINE

The college magazine “**Samarpan**” is published every year to give expression to the creative talents of students. The magazine has nine sections. Each section is edited by the staff editor and assisted by the student editor.

COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION (PTA)

There is a Parent-Teacher Association which plans and undertakes development works in the college. The association is run by the Executive Committee which takes all decisions. The Parents/Guardians of the students contribute towards PTA fund at the time of admission.

COLLEGE STUDENTS CENTRAL ASSOCIATION (CSCA) & OLD STUDENT ASSOCIATION (OSA)

The college student body called CSCA is nominated as per norms and directions of Himachal Pradesh University / Sardar Patel University. It follows the recommendations of the Lyngdoh Committee. CSCA plays an important role in involving students in various co-curricular and extra-curricular activities at inter/intra college level.

Old Student Association (OSA) has been formed with the objective of involving stakeholders for the development of the college and students.

Rules For Computer LAB

1. Lab computers are for academic and research use. Personal e-mailing, chatting and games are not permitted.
2. Setting of the computers should not be changed.
3. No personal CDs, Pen Drives and Memory Cards are allowed in computer lab.
4. Internet facility can be availed with the prior permission of a teacher.
5. Accessing prohibited sites may invite penalty or suspension from Lab/ College.
6. No eatables are allowed in the lab.

Name Struck Off and Re-Admission and Re-Admission

In case the name of a candidate is struck off, the re-admission is permissible within 1st seven days with first re-admission fee of Rs. 100/- on a prescribed performa. If the candidate fails to seek re-admission within first seven days then he/she should seek re-admission upto 12 days, on payment of Rs. 200 as second re-admission fee on the personal presence of parent / guardian. After 12 days from the date of his / her name is struck off, there shall be no re-admission in any case.

If the name of the student is struck off again then 2nd re-admission fee is Rs. 200/- and if the name of the student is struck off 3rd time, there is no provision for readmission in that case.

Note:

- Parents are requested to be present with their wards at the time of counseling
- Parents are requested to check performance of their wards in the last Saturday of every month in the respective departments.

RAGGING IS A PUNISHABLE OFFENCE

Ragging Means the Following:

Any conduct practice by which dominant power of senior students, former students or outsiders is brought to bear on students freshly enrolled who are in a way considered junior by other students and includes individual or collective acts practices which:

- Involve physical or psychological assault or threat or use of force or wrongful confinement or restrain; or
- Violate the status, dignity and honor of such students; or
- Expose students to ridicule and contempt and affect their self-esteem; or
- Entail verbal abuse and aggression, indecent gesture and obscene behavior.

Any student found involved in any ragging activity shall be punished as under:

1. Expulsion from the college.
2. Suspension from the classes.
3. Fines with public apology.
4. Withholding scholarship or other benefits.
5. Debarring from re-presentation in events.
6. Legal proceedings under criminal law shall be initiated.
7. Imprisonment, fine or both.
8. Withholding of result of examination.

In case of any complaint, kindly contact Anti-Ragging cum Discipline Committee.

TOLL-FREE ANTI-RAGGING HELPLINE: 18001805522 (24x7)

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*Where Knowledge Inspires, Values Guide
and Excellence Leads.*



A MESSAGE TO OUR STUDENTS



Education is the most powerful tool for personal growth and social transformation. At GDC Shahpur, we are committed to providing quality higher education in a supportive and inclusive environment. We strive to empower our students with knowledge, skills, values and confidence to meet the challenges of tomorrow and become responsible citizens.

Wishing all students a successful academic journey and a bright future ahead!



LEARN with curiosity and purpose.



EXPLORE new ideas and opportunities.



EXCEL in academics and life.



SERVE with compassion and responsibility.

OUR FACILITIES FOR YOUR GROWTH



ICT LAB



LIBRARY



COMPUTER TRAINING



DIGITAL LIBRARY & STUDY AREA

OUR VISION



To empower students through holistic education, innovation, inclusiveness and excellence, enabling them to become responsible citizens and lifelong learners.

OUR MISSION



- To provide accessible and quality higher education.
- To promote academic excellence and critical thinking.
- To inculcate ethical values, social responsibility and environmental awareness.
- To prepare students for meaningful careers and lifelong learning.

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and college activities, students are advised
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