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Department of Architecture

Course: MSAR115 - Environmental Codes and Energy Ratings

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Class: I st Yr M. Arch I Sem A.Y. 2026-27

Internal Assessment: 50

External Theory Exam: 50

Total Marks: 100

Credits: 3

Contact Periods/ week: 03 periods (50 min.each)

Time Table: Thursday (09:00 AM - 11:45 PM)

Attendance: Min 75%

Min. Passing Marks: 50% each in Internal & External Assessment, 50% in Aggregate

Objective:

To expose students the various environmental codes and energy ratings as on date.

Out Line of the Course:

Awareness about applicable environmental codes, and relevant energy rating system procedures and protocols shall be explored.

LECTURE PLAN

WEEK	DATE	TOPIC OF CLASS LECTURE & DISCUSSION	REFERENCES / REMARKS
1	Week-1	Introduction to the course and subject Sustainable Architecture/Building design Origin, Definitions, Concepts & Definitions.	Lecture-1
2	Week-2	Outline understanding of UN frame work on climatic change, Kyoto protocol, Earth Summit, National policies of Sustainable & Energy Efficient Development	Lecture-2
3	Week-3	Introduction and guidelines of latest ECBC, The Indian Green Building Council and LEED,	Internal Assessment-1 To make a report by referring journals/research papers in own words and should have APA Style of referencing: 1) Write in detail about UN frame work convention of climate change 2) What is Kyoto protocol & Earth Summit. Explain about them briefly 3) Write the different national policies on sustainable and energy efficient development.
4	Week-4	The Energy and Research Institute and the GRIHA System, policy guidelines of sustainable architecture etc.	Lecture-4
5	Week-5	Mid-semester Examination/Presentation	Mid-semester Examination
6	Week-6	IGBC Training Modules	Lecture-5
7	Week-7	Mandatory requirements, the Energy Conservation Act, 2001 (52 of 2001) its legal framework	Lecture-6

8	Week-8	Energy Conservation Act Institutional arrangement and a regulatory mechanism at the Central and State level to embark upon energy efficiency drive in the country	Lecture-7 Mid-Semester Exam
9	Week-9	The Energy Conservation (Amendment) Act, 2010- Main Amendments, Energy Efficiency Measures such as 1.Standard and labelling programme, 2.Demand side management, 3. Energy Conservation Building Code (ECBC),	Lecture-8
10	Week-10	4.Bachat Lamp Yojana (BLY), 5. Strengthening Institutional Capacity of State Designated Agencies (SDAs), 6.State Energy Conservation Fund (SECF), 7.Energy Efficiency in Small and Medium	Lecture-9
11	Week-11	8.Professional certification and accreditation, 9.School Education Programme, 10. Indo-German Energy Efficiency Project, 11.Energy Conservation Awards	Lecture-10
12	Week-12	National mission for Enhanced Energy Efficiency (NMEEE), Perform, Achieve and Trade (PAT), Market Transformation for Energy Efficiency (MTEE),	Lecture-11 Internal Assessment-3
13	Week-13	Energy Efficiency Financing Platform (EEFP), Framework for Energy Efficient Economic Development (FEEED),	Lecture-12
14	Week-14	Partial Risk Guarantee Fund (PRGF), Venture Capital Fund for Energy Efficiency (VCFEE).	Lecture-13
15	Week-15	The Environment (protection) Act 1986, rules to regulate environment pollution and Prevention, control and abatement of environmental pollution and institutional mechanism.	Lecture-14
16	Week-16	Presentation of Assignemnts/ Internal Examination	Internal Assessment-III To Carrount detailed GRIHA/IGBC Green Rating Self Evaluation for an Existing Building/Proposed Design in a presentation format

S.No.	Category of Evaluation	Marks	Note
1	Assessment – I:	15	<i>The Marks allotted at each stage is tentative. Categories of evaluation may be increased or decreased (merged) on need-basis</i>
2	Mid semester exam	20	
3	Assessment – III:	15	

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