

# Proposal to Separate the Morning Exercises and CPA

The PE - 101 and PE - 102 courses are senate approved compulsory courses for the first year students of B. Tech. / BS students. The Physical Education Section has been given the responsibility to conduct these courses. Currently, a Student gets 3 credit in passing the course. PE 101, conducted in morning is compulsory course for 1<sup>st</sup> year students in the 1<sup>st</sup> Semester. Similarly, PE 102, conducted in evening is compulsory course for 1<sup>st</sup> Yearites in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester. Both courses have 3 credits for passing the course.

## Current system:

Under the current system, the courses are graded as S (satisfactory)/ X (Unsatisfactory). The grade will be given after the end semester examination. A minimum of 75% attendance and satisfactory performance in each of the two components (Physical exercises and Personality Development Activities) will be necessary for passing the courses. This means that passing both the two components is essential for passing the course. Failing in one causes a fail in the course irrespective of the fact that the student has passed the other component or not.

Currently, there are 45 students repeating PE 101, with 19 having NCC as their CPA. Similarly there are 19 students repeating PE 102 with majority having NCC as their CPA. Though the coordinator (Mrs. Ruchi Yadav) denied giving exact data, she has told that only 5-6 students fail in PE. Most of them are unable to pass their CPA component.

## Proposed System:

I propose two possible solutions for the same:

- The two components be separated in the sense that passing one will be independent of the other component. However, the student will get the credits for the course only if he/she has passed both the components.
- The other possible solution is that the two courses be made completely independent, i.e. the components be separated in terms of credits also. 3 Credits for PE can be divided as 1 for Morning Exercise and 2 for CPA, or vice-versa as per the discretion of the Senate.

Mrs. Ruchi Yadav (Coordinator) and Mr. Amit (Previous year In-Charge) have appreciated the idea, agreeing on the fact that there is no need for a student to repeat the other component in case he/she fails the other. However, both of them strongly demanded that the student must be given credits for the PE only when he/she passes both the components. They said that the student would then otherwise start doing the course as per convenience and this is not appreciable.