

St. Stephen's College
Mathematics Department
Student-Faculty Committee Minutes
(August-December'20)

Online via Google Meet

4:00 pm

10th November, 2020

Teachers present:

1. Dr Radha Mohan(H.O.D)
2. Dr Jaspreet Kaur
3. Ms. Archana Chopra

Student representatives present:

1. Anjali Gupta- 3rd year
2. Sashank Vaibhaw and Judit Lalichan- 2nd year

The following issues were raised by the student representatives:

3rd Year (Semester V)

The Class representative put forward a request of giving an extra Assignment in all papers to improve the Internal Assessment Scores, to which the committee responded by stating that it would depend on the subject teacher based on his/her syllabus and schedule. No further problem was mentioned.

2nd Year (Semester III)

This Semester, due to online classes, there were a couple of Issues faced. Firstly, due to classes being held on google meet requiring a lot of bandwidth, people have faced connectivity issues due to which they missed out on classes and could not catch up later. Though the facility of recorded lectures and notes were available, still Students were not able to understand things and comparatively have been in a weaker position. Switching to Microsoft Teams was given an option considering it requires less bandwidth and is smoother. Next, there are papers which have a lot of Assignments and tests which made Students pressurized depriving them of self study hours. Hence, it was suggested that only 2 tests be considered for internal assessment and Assignments to be made optional. It was also mentioned that time table should be made such that classes are equally distributed everyday rather than many in one day and few in the other day. Regarding Practical marking and tests and Internal Assessment Moderation, the committee, headed by Radha ma'am told that it will depend on individual teachers. Also, as there are few Students who have Internet issues and/or do not have a laptop and are going through financial crunch, the committee decided to help them by contacting them and providing any assistance they need.

At the end of the meeting, it was decided that the committee would meet earlier next semester to discuss any problems being faced by Students.

The meeting was adjourned at 4.50pm.

