

Kalindi College



(NAAC Accredited 'A' Grade)

University Of Delhi

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

ACADEMIC SESSION



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1. Brief Introduction of Department:

The Department of Economics as a part of Kalindi College came into existence in 1967. The subject was first offered in B.A. (Programme). Then from the year 1985 onwards, B.A. Honours in Economics was offered to the students.

The study of Economics as a discipline encourages analytical thinking and a pragmatic approach to problems related to Economics. In addition to providing a strong foundation in Economic theory, the focus is on issues specific to the Indian context. The process of rational decision making taught in Economics is of great value, irrespective of the career a person chooses.

2. Scope of the Subject:

Economics provides a platform for varied vocations like IES, IAS, MBA, MFC, etc. Those with an inclination towards banking and marketing can join their analytics team, while more academically oriented students can pursue M.A. and Ph.D. The Civil Services, RBI and the Niti Ayog are very popular pursuits for those interested in administration and framing economic policies. Today, students of Economics are in demand in prestigious international organisations like the World Bank, IMF, UN etc.

3. Detail of the Faculty members

S.	Name	Designation	Qualification	Area of Specialization	
No.	Pilling has				
1.	Dr. Anjali Bansal	Associate Professor	M.A., Ph.D. (DU)	Quantitative and	
*	(TIC)			analytical Tools;	
1				Finance and growth	
2.	Dr. Punam Tyagi	Associate Professor	Ph.D.	Macroeconomics	
-			(Meerut University)	1 1	
3.	Dr. Indu	Assistant Professor	M.A., Ph.D. (DU)	Quantitative Methods	
	Choudhary			and Microeconomics	
	The state of			theory	

4. Medium of Instruction: B.A. (Hons.) Economics - English

B.A. Programme – English/ Hindi

5. Course Detail:

For Honours Course

1st Year

Semester	Core	Generic Elective	AECC
1	1. Paper 1: Introductory	Introductory	Language (MIL/
200	Microeconomics	Microeconomics	English/ Sanskrit)
000	2. Paper 2: Mathematical Methods of		The second
2	Economics-I		The second
II	3. Paper 3:Introductory	Introductory	Environmental
	Macroeconomics	Macroeconomics	Science
	4. Paper 4: Mathematical Methods of		
3.00	Economics-II		THE RESERVE

2nd Year

Semester	Core	Generic Elective	SEC
III	 5: Paper 5: Intermediate Microeconomics-I 6. Paper 6: Intermediate Macroeconomics-I 7. Paper 7: Statistical Methods for Economics 	1)Indian Economy I 2)Money& Banking 3)Economic History of India 4)Data Analysis	Data Analysis
IV	 8. Paper 8: Intermediate Microeconomics-II 9. Paper 9: Intermediate Macroeconomics-II 10. Paper 10: Introductory Econometrics 	1)Indian Economy II 2)Global Political Economy 3)Public Finance 4)Game Theory	1) Research Methodology 2)Contemporary Economics Issues

3rd Year

Semester	Core	DSE-I (Any two DSE papers	DSE-II (Any two DSE papers t	
		to be chosen from the list)	be chosen from the list)	

V	11. Paper 11: Indian	1)Public Economics	1) Money and Financial
17.6	Economy-I	2)Applied Econometrics	Markets
	12. Paper 12:	3)Game Theory	2) Environmental Economics
.9	Development Economics-I	4)Economic History of India	3) Open Economy Macroeconomics
VI	13. Paper 13: Indian	(1857-1947)	4) Law and Economics
90	Economy-II 14. Paper 14:	5)International Trade 6)Financial Economics	5) Economics of Health and Education
910.	Development	7)Political Economy I	6) Political Economy II
6 4	Economics-II		7) Comparative Economic
9	000		Development

For Programme Course

1st Year

Semester	Core
I	Principles of Microeconomics-I
II	Principles of Microeconomics-II

2nd Year

Semester	Core	SEC
III	Principles of Macroeconomics-I	Understanding Economic
		Survey and Union Budget
IV	Principles of Macroeconomics-II	Research Methodology

3rd Year

Semester	Core	Generic Elective	SEC
V	Economic Development & Policy in India-I (or) Money and Banking (or) Environmental Economics	Issues in Economic Development (or)Principles of Microeconomics	Data Analysis
VI	Economic Development & Policy in	Principles of	1) Research
	India-II (or) Public	Macroeconomics (or) The	Methodology

Fin	ance(or)Economic	History	of	Indian Economy	2)Contemporary
Ind	ia				Economics Issues

6. Infrastructure: Not Applicable

7. Award and Achievements:

Students

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0	S. No.	Name of the Student	Name of the activity	Nature of Award	Level of Award	Money received	
1	1	Aiman Muskan, Nidi Malik, Vanshika Bhatnagar, 1st Hons	Graffiti	1st Prize	Inter- College	Rs. 1,500	
	2	Nikita, 1st Hons, Khyati, 2ndt Hons	Graffiti	2nd Prize	Inter- College	Rs. 1,000	
	3	Neha, Rishu, Muskan, 2nd Hons	Admag	1st Prize	Inter- College	Rs. 1,000	
	4	Aiman Muskan, Nikita, Saiba , 1st Hons	Admag	2nd Prize	Inter- College	Rs. 600	
	5	Aditi Gupta, 1st Hons	Quiz	2nd Prize	Inter- College	Rs. 800	
	6	Lavanya Gaur, Isha Singh, Mahima Trama, 3rd Hons	Novus 2020 – Innovation Club	3rd Prize	College	Nil	
	7	Aiman Muskan, Aditi Gupta, 1stHons	Novus 2020 – Innovation Club	Appreciation Prize	College	Nil	
	8	Simran Basra, 1st Hons	Dance competition	1st Prize	Inter- College	Nil	
	9	Anuja, Jhanvi, Aiman, 1stHons	Admag	1st Prize	College	600	
	10	Saiba Noor, 1st Hons	Badminton	1st position	College	Nil	
	11	Sneha, 2nd Hons	Pithu Race	1st position	College	Nil	
	12	Vanshika, 2ndHons	Kho-Kho Competition	2nd position	College	Nil	

8. University Rank Holder & No. of O Grade and A+ grade Achievers

GRADE	NUMBER OF STUDENTS
0	14
A +	116 (in various papers)

9. Research in Department:

S. No.	Name of the Principal Investigator (Co- investigator)	Title of the Project	Name of the students	Course
1	Ms. Anita, Dr. Shalini Agarwal	The Impact of Pradhan Mantri Mudra Yojana on Employment in Delhi	Madhvi Daxini, Shreeja Guha, Sarah Batra, Nikita Jain Raghvi Goel	BA(H)Eco III year BA(H)Eco II year
2	Dr. Punam Tyagi, Dr. Indu Choudhary, Ms. Pummy Yadav	Experiments in Economics: An Analysis of Theory and Evidence	Khyati, Vanshika, Deepana, Shreya, Nivedita, Kashish	BA(H)Eco II year
3	Dr. Indu Choudhary, Ms. Madhuri Singh, Ms. Phunchok Dolker	Are Rich Countries Happier Than Poor Countries? – A Cross Country Comparative Study based on Panel Dataa	Nandini Agarwal, Muskan Jaiswal, Astha Katiyar, Bharti Verma, Akshata Anand, Neha, Himanshi, Rhythm Nanda, Tanisha Chaudhary, Nistha Kanodia Anjali Katria, Priyal Goenka, Pooja	BA(H)Eco III year BA(H)Eco II year
4	Dr. Indu Choudhary, Mr. Rohit	Rationing Constraints in Indian Rural Credit Market and Farmer Suicides.	Stuti Shukla, Shilpa Chhikara, Sakshi Dahiya, Anya Sharma Shreya Sajjanhar, Priyanka Ahuja, Muskan Jain, Shivani, Teesta, Priyanka Shaw, Srishty, Meghna, Vani	BA(H)Eco III year BA(H)Eco II year

10. Highlights of Department Society Activity

Kalindi College Economics Society (KaCES) ranked one of the top ten Economics societies of Delhi University in the session 2019-20. During 2019-20, among a series of programs, KaCES organized "TALENT HUNT AND INVESTITURE CEREMONY 2k19". Dr. Anjula Bansal, the college Principal, was the main guest. There were varieties of games, followed by other activities, in which students and teachers alike participated enthusiastically that indeed strengthened the bond among them. In addition to this, there was a wall painting competition, held by KaCES on October 01, 2019 with the theme "Swachh Bharat". Two students, Priti, Geography (Hons.) and Nikita Gandhi, History (Hons.) jointly got the first position. In the series further, KaCES organized its annual economics fest, A₹THASAAR'20, on February 13, 2020 under the convenorship of Dr. Anjali Bansal. The Guest of Honor was Mr. Devir Singh Bhandari, an Indian film director and social entrepreneur, and the chief guest was Ms. Parul Gaur, Deputy Commissioner of Income tax. The event was graced by programs namely: The Wolf of Wall Street (mock stock), The Blind Side (case study), The Mindflayer (quiz), The Impassioned Eye (mobile photography) and The Final Destination (treasure hunt). Over 200 students from 15 colleges of DU participated in the festival. There were exciting prizes and gift hampers for the winners.

In the interaction session of students with Ms. Parul Gaur, alumnae of college, she spoke at length about the journey of success, and gave answers to various important queries of students. This was really an inspiring session for the students at large.

11. Scholarships and Prizes instituted for students of the Department

S.No.	Name of the Prize	Criteria for Award
1	Canara Bank	Highest marks in B. A. (H) Economics Sem I and II
2	C. D. Sagar Memorial Prize-	Highest marks in B. A. (H) Economics Sem I and II
	Rs. 150/-	(P.O.E)
3	Indira Chawla Memorial	Highest Marks in B. A. (H) Eco Part I and II Combined
11.3	Prize- Rs. 150/-	
4	M. L. Maini Memorial Prize-	Highest Marks in B. A. (H) Eco Part II
-	Rs. 150/-	

5	Economics Teachers Prize-	Highest Marks in B. A. (H) Eco Sem I, II, III & IV
13.50	Rs. 150/-	Combined
6	Golden Iron & Steel Works	First in Eco B. A. (Prog) Part I
.0	Rs. 150/-	
7	Mangal Sain Gulati Memorial	Highest Marks in B. A. (Prog) all semester all combined
*	Prize- Rs. 150/-	
8	Old Students Association	Highest marks in B.A(H) Economics Part III
	Prize	
9	Golden Iron & Steel Works	First in Eco B.A.(P) Part II
S.No	Name of the Scholarship	Awarded for
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1	Students' Union Scholarships	Highest marks in B.A (H) Eco Part – I
2	Students' Union Scholarships	Highest marks in B.A (H) Eco Part - II
3	Rohit Malhotra Scholarship	Highest Marks in Semester I, II, III in B.A (H) Economics

12. Distinguished Alumni

S.No.	Name of the	Progression/ Institution/ Organisation
	Alumna	
1.	Ms. Parul Gaur	Deputy Commissioner of Income Tax
	(2004-2007)	
2.	Mitali Gandhi	Working as PGT Economics in Banyan Tree School
	(2008-2011)	
3.	Rupanshi (2009-	Working as Equity Advisor in Edelweiss Broking Ltd.
	2012)	
4.	Preeti Manchanda	Working as Research Associate in ASER, Delhi
*	(2011-2014)	
5.	Anjali	Working in Operations in HDFC Bank
	(2012-2015)	
6.	Tanu Gupta	Pursuing Ph.D. from Indira Gandhi Institute of Development
	(FYUP)	Research

13. Some Glimpses











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