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KARMAVEER BHAURAO PATIL COLLEGE, URUN-ISLAMPUR,

Department of Geography

Academic Calendar (UG & PG)

Academic Year 2026–27

(As per NEP 2020, Shivaji University Kolhapur, IQAC & NAAC Guidelines)

- Semester I: 11 June 2026 – 05 November 2026
- Semester II: 23 November 2026 – 30 April 2027

Objectives

- Effective implementation of NEP-2020
- Student-Centric Learning
- Continuous Internal Evaluation (CIE)
- Experiential & Field-Based Learning
- Skill Development
- GIS & Geospatial Technology Training
- Research Promotion
- Community Engagement
- Career Guidance & Competitive Examination Preparation
- Environmental Awareness
- Outcome-Based Education (OBE)

Semester-wise Academic Plan

ODD SEMESTER (11 June – 05 November 2026)

Month	Academic Activities	Internal Evaluation	NEP-2020 / IQAC Activities
June (11–30)	Commencement of Classes, Student Induction Programme, Course Orientation, Lesson Plan Preparation	Diagnostic Test	ABC Registration, Course Outcomes Orientation, Student Profile Collection
July	Mentor–Mentee Meeting, Regular Teaching, Practical Sessions	Assignment-I, Seminar-I	World Population Day (11 July), Plastic Free Day (3 July), Nature Conservation Day (28 July), ICT-based Teaching

Month	Academic Activities	Internal Evaluation	NEP-2020 / IQAC Activities
August	GIS/GPS Practical, Survey Training	Unit Test-I, Practical Assessment-I	Research Methodology Workshop (PG), Skill Enhancement Course (SEC), Value Added Course (VAC)
September	Educational Field Visit, Remote Sensing Practical	Assignment-II, Seminar-II	World Ozone Day (16 Sept.), World Tourism Day (27 Sept.), Community Survey, Experiential Learning
October	Completion of Syllabus, Revision	Unit Test-II, Quiz, Open Book Test	Competitive Examination Guidance, Internship/Project Review, CO Assessment
1–5 November	Remedial Coaching, Practical Completion	Viva-Voce, Journal Assessment, Internal Marks Submission	Student Feedback, Course Outcome Analysis

EVEN SEMESTER (23 November 2026 – 30 April 2027)

Month	Academic Activities	Internal Evaluation	NEP-2020 / IQAC Activities
23–30 November	Commencement of Semester, Course Orientation	Diagnostic Test	Mentor–Mentee Meeting, Academic Planning
December	Regular Teaching, Practical Work	Assignment-I, Practical-I	Personality Development, Alumni Lecture, Soft Skills
January	Geography Day Week (Geo-Fest), GIS Activities	Seminar-I, Quiz	Map Exhibition, GIS Competition, Survey Instrument Demonstration
February	Advanced Teaching, Research Activities	Unit Test-I, Assignment-II	National Seminar/Conference, Drone Technology Workshop, Student Research Presentation
March	Educational Tour, Project Work	Seminar-II, Practical-II	World Forest Day (21 March), World Water Day (22 March), World Meteorological Day (23 March), Extension Activities
April	Revision, Practical Completion	Internal Practical Examination, Viva, Project Submission	Earth Day (22 April), Goodwill Programme, CO-PO Attainment, Annual Department Review

Continuous Internal Evaluation (CIE)

Semester-wise Internal Evaluation Schedule

Odd Semester

- Diagnostic Test – June
- Assignment-I – July
- Seminar-I – July/August
- Unit Test-I – August
- Assignment-II – September
- Seminar-II – September
- Unit Test-II – October
- Practical Assessment – October
- Viva & Journal Assessment – November
- Internal Marks Submission – First Week of November

Even Semester

- Diagnostic Test – November
- Assignment-I – December
- Seminar-I – January
- Unit Test-I – February
- Assignment-II – February
- Seminar-II – March
- Practical Assessment – March
- Viva & Journal Assessment – April
- Internal Marks Submission – End of April

Practical

- Laboratory Performance
- Journal Evaluation
- GIS Practical
- GPS Survey
- Field Survey Report
- Viva-Voce
- Project Work

NEP 2020 Activities

- Multidisciplinary Learning
- Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC)
- Value Added Courses
- Internship
- Field Projects
- Community Engagement
- Environmental Education

- Digital Learning
 - Blended Learning
 - Academic Bank of Credits (ABC)
 - Indian Knowledge System (IKS)
 - Experiential Learning
 - Problem-Based Learning
 - Project-Based Learning
 - Internship Report
 - E-content Development
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Geography Practical Activities

- Topographical Map Interpretation
 - GPS Survey
 - GIS Mapping
 - Remote Sensing Image Interpretation
 - Google Earth Exercises
 - QGIS Practical
 - Statistical Techniques
 - Surveying
 - Field Mapping
 - Land Use Survey
 - Settlement Survey
 - Urban Survey
 - Environmental Audit
 - Water Quality Analysis
 - Soil Sampling
 - Population Survey
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Extension Activities

- Swachh Bharat Abhiyan
 - Plastic Free Campus
 - Tree Plantation
 - Water Conservation Campaign
 - Biodiversity Survey
 - Village Survey
 - Awareness Rally
 - Cleanliness Drive
 - Disaster Management Awareness
 - Climate Change Awareness
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Employability Activities

- Competitive Examination Guidance
 - Career Counselling
 - NET/SET Guidance
 - UPSC/MPSC Orientation
 - GIS Career Workshop
 - Entrepreneurship Awareness
 - Resume Writing Workshop
 - Interview Skills Training
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Research Activities (UG & PG)

- Research Methodology Workshop
 - Mini Research Projects
 - Dissertation Guidance (PG)
 - Student Research Paper Presentation
 - Faculty Research Interaction
 - Publication Guidance
 - Data Analysis Workshop
 - SPSS/Excel/QGIS Training
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Co-curricular Activities

- Quiz Competition
 - Poster Presentation
 - Map Drawing Competition
 - Elocution
 - Essay Competition
 - Photography Competition
 - Geo Quiz
 - GIS Competition
 - Model Exhibition
 - Wall Magazine
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Major Days to Observe

- 3 July – International Plastic Bag Free Day
- 11 July – World Population Day
- 28 July – World Nature Conservation Day

- 15 August – Independence Day
 - 8 September – International Literacy Day
 - 16 September – World Ozone Day
 - 27 September – World Tourism Day
 - 14 November – Constitution Awareness Activities
 - January – Geography Day Week (Geo-Fest)
 - 21 March – World Forest Day
 - 22 March – World Water Day
 - 23 March – World Meteorological Day
 - 22 April – Earth Day
 - 5 June (Planning for next session) – World Environment Day
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Department Review & Quality Assurance

- Monthly Faculty Meetings
- IQAC Review
- Teaching Diary Verification
- Lesson Plan Monitoring
- Student Feedback
- Mentor–Mentee Review
- Course Outcome Assessment
- Programme Outcome Review
- Internal Academic Audit
- Result Analysis
- Action Taken Report (ATR)
- Annual Department Report