

## Central University of Andhra Pradesh

The Central University of Andhra Pradesh is in Anantapuramu in the Rayalaseema region of Andhra Pradesh. The University was established by an Act of Parliament in the year 2018 with the purpose of ushering a new era in the sphere of higher education with innovative socially and culturally relevant academic programs. It also aims at transforming students into knowledgeable and responsible citizens of the nation through value-based education with an emphasis on interactive learning coupled with hands on experience. The Central University of Andhra Pradesh offers four UG and seven PG programmes.

For the implementation of National Education Policy 2020, the University has constituted a committee and the best practices of the University with reference to NEP-2020 are as follows:

- The University has introduced multidisciplinary education in all the four UG and seven PG programmes. The university ensures student participation, class discussion, role plays, seminar presentation, field visits, industry interaction and student involvement in commercial development for multidisciplinary education.
- Out of 11 programmes nine programmes are LOCF based whereas the curriculum of B.A. (Hons.) Political Science and B.Sc. (Hons.) Economics has been revised on the basis of LOCF and being implemented from the academic year 2021-22.
- 30% of the UG and PG programme has been embedded with the experiential learning component.
- Two B.Voc. programmes with multiple Entry-Exit System are being offered in line with National Skill Quality Framework of UGC guidelines
- The Academic Bank of Credit (ABC) is yet to be implemented by the University.
- The National Academic Depository is yet to be implemented by the University.
- The University has adopted the Credit Transfer of SWAYAM courses (Online courses) in revised curriculum of UG and in new PG programmes and up to 20% of total credits to be implemented from the academic year 2021-22.
- All the four UG programmes of the University are embedded with skill development inputs. Further the University has also incorporated the compulsory internship and project work in all the UG and PG programmes which is in the process of implementation from the academic year 2021-22.
- The University has one regional language programme in Telugu.
- The University is not offering any online programme at present.
- More than 20 Programmes/Webinars/Training have been conducted by the University for the implementation of NEP-2020.
- As a part of initiatives for implementation of NEP-2020, the University has revised its both UG & PG curriculum and all the academic programmes for the academic year 2021-22 is embedded with discipline specific core and elective subjects, ability enhancement compulsory courses and skill and value-based courses. Further the learner centric pedagogy is being adopted in the new curriculum and implemented from the academic year 2021-22.