Diploma in Journalism

2011–2012
ASSIGNMENTS

Chairperson
Department of Studies and Research in Mass Communication and Journalism

Karnataka State Open University
Mansagangotri, Mysore - 570006
KSOU Objectives

To provide access and equity through open – flexible learning, which is relevant to the learners, at their doorsteps.
To create individualized virtual learning spaces to the needs of the new age learners.
To enable universal knowledge resources sharing through innovative pedagogy.
To assure better quality and excellence through institutional collaboration and accessibility.
To ensure institutional determination towards emancipatory learning
To widen student access through innovative technology for life long learning.
To create learning environment and knowledge media of first choice for learners and professionals worldwide.
To keep pace with new age requirement and encourage proactive convergence of media and technology for teaching – learning.
To innovate, explore and practice new avenues in knowledge, management and sharing, for positive social intervention.
To ensure sustained efforts to interpret and operationalise learners needs to develop new skills through collaborative and interactive learning.

Guidelines for Submitting Assignments:

1. You are required to submit ONE Assignment per Course carrying 10 Marks each, and FIVE Assignments totally for the continuous assessment during the academic year 2011-12 (Write each assignment on separate sheets. Tag all of them together and put them in one cover.)
2. You should write the correct and complete enrolment number, name in full, address and the date of submission at the top of the first page of each answer sheet/assignment. You should also write course title and assignment number in block letters in the centre at the top of the first page of each answer sheets/assignments. The top of the first page of each assignment should indicate the following details.

**PROGRAMME:** - Diploma in Journalism

**ENROLMENT**
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**NAME.....................................................**

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**COURSE.....................................................**

**TITLE.......................................................**

**DATE.......................................................**

The assignment answer should be complete in all respects. The student should ensure that he/she has written all the five assignments before submitting to the Chairperson of the Department. Incomplete answer sheets results in poor grades. The student should use only full scape size paper for writing. The answer to question should be on the basis of the relevant units/blocks sent to you by the University. Assignments should be written in one’s own handwriting and should not be printed or typed. Always substantiate your answer with illustrations cases.
1. The University has the right to entertain or reject the assignment submitted after the due date. The student is, therefore, advised in his own interest to submit all the five assignments positively and properly tagged, and send them to the Chairperson of the Department on or before 31st March 2012.

2. The student should retain for his own record one copy (photo copies) of each of the assignments submitted.

3. He/She should keep the acknowledgement for having sent all the five assignments to the Chairperson, DOS&R in MASS COMMUNICATION AND JOURNALISM, Karnataka State Open University, Manasagangotri, Mysore-570 006.

4. Assignments once submitted cannot be re-submitted for improvement of marks and are not subject to re-evaluation.

5. In case answers to a particular assignment are found to be identical with the answers of some other students, then these answers will not be evaluated.

Chairperson, 
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Assignment Questions 2011-2012

Course-I – Principles of Journalism and Mass Communication

1. Identify the relationship between Press and Democracy.

2. What are the professional opportunities found in Journalism?

Course-II Survey of Indian Press

1. Sketch the origin of Indian Journalism.

2. Discuss the future of Language Newspapers.
Course-III-Reporting and Press Laws.

रचनात्मक राष्ट्रीय कथा कार्यरत.

1. Define news and discuss the elements of news
कार्यरत ट्यूटो लातू एवं तरी कार्यरतयानुसार सहस्राधी 
सहस्राधी/or

2. Analytically write about the Indian press freedom.
दक्षिणी क्राक्षा कालज्ञानोऽन्या
कार्यरत ज्ञायानम् परिचालन.

Course-IV- News Editing and Special Writings.

मूल रचना मानुषेऽन्या महत्तवम्.

1. Collect 10 best headlines and write about them
नावू शवं तथागतोऽध्यात्म तर्कात्म. अध्यात्म नावू 
महत्तवम्

सहस्राधी/or

2. Discuss the significance of freelance Journalism.
कार्यरत रचनात्मकात्मक महत्तव ज्ञायः

Course-V- Newspaper Management and Current Affairs.

न्याय रचना मानुषेऽन्या महत्तव
कार्यरत ज्ञायानम् परिचालन.

1. Debate the impact of Globalisation.
कार्यरत रचना मानुषेऽन्या महत्तव ज्ञायः

OR सहस्राधी

2. What are the techniques of newspaper production?
न्याय रचना मानुषेऽन्या महत्तव ज्ञायः?
KSOU Mission and Responsibilities

Affordable education to the masses without discrimination. Initiatives to strengthen local, national and global co-operation. Fill up the gaps in higher education and to bring in much needed correction and chances. Generate quality Human resources with a sense of education. Induct flexibility in Higher Education without sacrificing quality and variety. Democratizing and de-elitizing higher education. Elevating the teaching – learning experience under distance education to a new height. To provide an alternative non-formal, non-instructional and cost effective channel for tertiary education.

To help reduce cultural disparities and social imbalances with affordable higher education opportunities.

To promote time-honoured values and commitment to quality.