



KERALA AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY

KAU- Education- Minimum marks for pass in Undergraduate Courses(2024 UG Admission onwards)– fixed- Orders issued.

DIRECTORATE OF EDUCATION

No. KAUEDU/1840/2025- EDUB2

Dated. 03-10-2025

- Read:-
1. KAU Academic Handbook 2023 Clause 23.4
 2. KAU Academic Handbook Clause 28.2
 3. Note submitted to the Special Academic Council held on 20.08.2025
[vide Item No.OA I(2)]
 4. Approved Minutes of the Academic Council held on 20.08.2025

ORDER

In the KAU Academic Handbook 2023, clause 23.4, vide paper read as 1st, it is stipulated that a separate minimum of 40% marks in both theory and practical examinations is essential for passing a course and in clause 28.2, vide paper read 2nd, it is also stipulated that a student who had failed or not secured the separate minimum of 40% either in theory or practical examination in a particular course shall register it as a re-examination course along with juniors. However the marks obtained by the student for the regular practical class work, records and assignments from the first attempt will be retained.

The evaluation pattern for Undergraduate Programmes (UG) have been changed in the context of the implementation of the recommendations of Sixth Deans Committee from 2024 admission onwards and fixation of total marks for each course at 100. In view of this, a proposal for revising minimum required mark for a pass in theory, practical and progressive assessment is placed before the Special Academic council held on 20/08/2025 as detailed below as per the reference read 3^{r d} paper above

Components		Maximum marks	Minimum required marks (40%)
Theory + Practical Courses			
1	Midterm (20) + Final examinations (50)	70	28
2	Progressive Assessment	15	6
3	Practical	15	6
Theory only Courses			

1	Midterm (30) + Final Theory (50)	80	32
2	Progressive Assessment	20	8
Practical only Courses			
1	Midterm	30	12
2	Progressive Assessment	20	8
3	Final Practical	50	20

The Academic Council has examined the proposal in detail and approved it. In consonance with the decision of the Academic Council, the following orders are issued.

- 1) A separate minimum of 40% marks in theory, practical, and progressive assessment shall be applicable for Undergraduate programmes from 2024 admission onwards as detailed above.
- 2) A student who registers for re-examination shall be required to appear for all components of the examination.
- 3) The minimum Grade Point required to pass a course shall be 5.00 out of 10.00.

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To

- 1) The Deans of Faculty/Deans of all colleges under KAU
- 2) The Controller of Examination, KAU
- 3) The Deputy Controller of Examination, KAU
- 4) The Associate Director of Research, RARS Kumarakom
- 5) The Academic Officers(UG) of all colleges under KAU
- 6) The Programmer (Acad)

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