LITERATURE, LANGUAGE AND
LIFELONG LEARNING

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VIVEKANANDA GLOBAL UNIVERSITY

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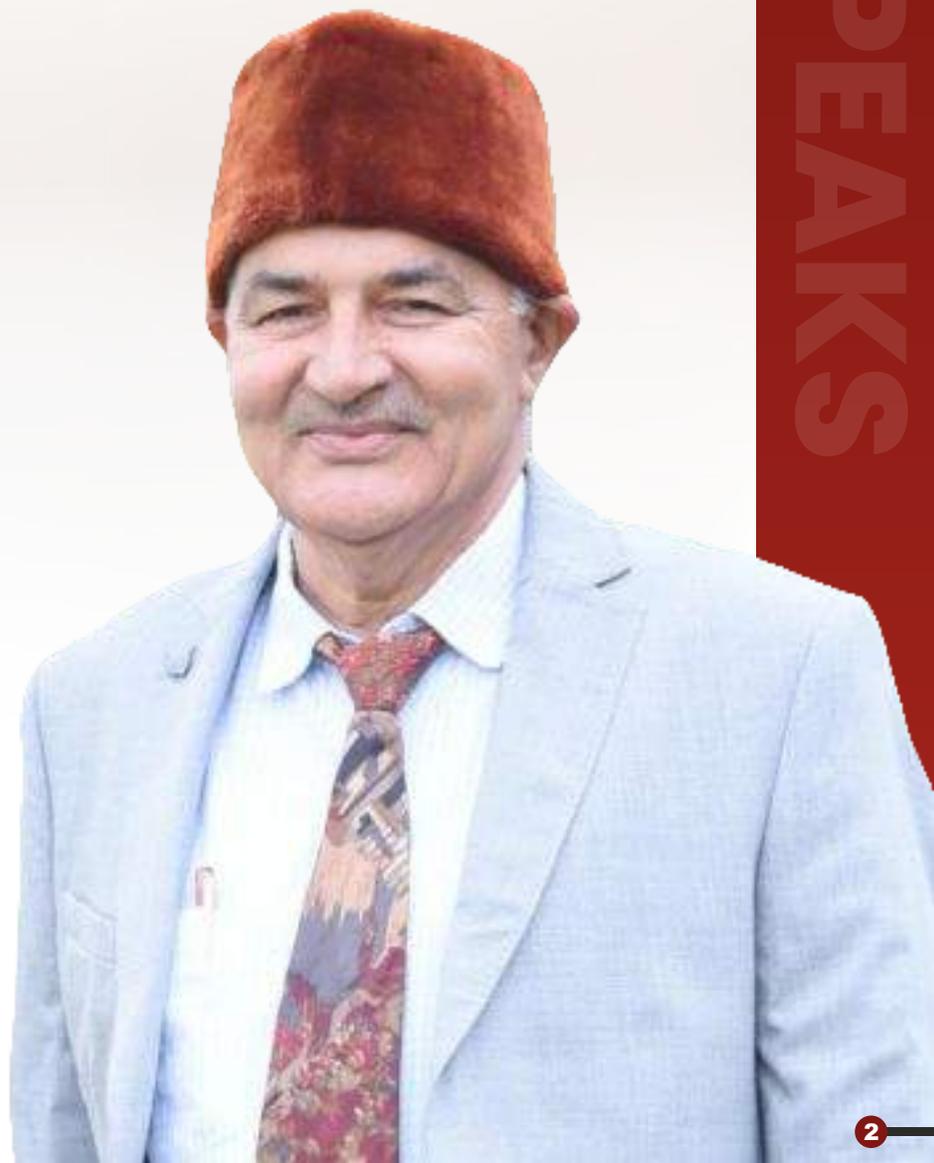and stop not till the **goal** is **reached!**

~ Our Guiding Mantra

Founder *Speaks*
Guided by Vision, Grounded in Values

At Vivekananda Global University, we believe that education is the cornerstone of national progress. With this conviction, we have created an ecosystem that nurtures innovation, ethics, and excellence in every learner. Through our Online and Distance Education platforms, our aim is to ensure that no learner is left behind in the journey toward transformation. Education must empower, and at VGU, that power is now just a click away.

Dr. K.R. Bagaria

Ex-Member, RPSC. Founder
& Vice Chairperson, VGU

ABOUT VGU

Established in 2012 under the Bagaria Education Trust in Jaipur, Rajasthan, Vivekananda Global University (VGU) delivers holistic education meeting global standards. Its 31-acre campus fosters innovation, research, and entrepreneurship, developing individuals with critical thinking and social responsibility.

Accredited with an A+ grade by NAAC, VGU offers over 60+ programs across 14 disciplines, including Engineering, Management, Law, Design, Agriculture, Commerce, Technology, and Allied Health Sciences. Recognized by UGC, AICTE, BCI, COA, and PCI, the university ensures quality education.

In October 2022, VGU launched the Centre for Distance and Online Education (CDOE), one of the pioneering centres in Rajasthan, offering UGC-Entitled Online Degrees and UGC-Approved Open & Distance Learning Degrees. Today, CDOE serves a community of over 10,000 learners worldwide, providing flexible and accessible education.

With a student body exceeding 20,000 across various modes and an alumni network of over 50,000 globally, VGU exemplifies a global university adapting to modern educational demands.

Located in Jaipur, Rajasthan	
Established in 2012	
Accredited with NAAC A+ Grade in the First Cycle	
Spread Across a 31-Acre Modern Urban Campus	
Offers 60+ Career-Focused Programs Across 14+ Disciplines	
Recognized by UGC, AICTE, BCI, COA, and PCI	
Home to 20,000+ learners in oncampus, online, and distance mode	
Backed by a Strong Alumni Network of 50,000+ Graduates Across the Globe	

VGU CAMPUS, JAIPUR

ABOUT CDOE

The Centre for Distance and Online Education (CDOE) at Vivekananda Global University was established in October 2022 with a mission to democratize higher education through flexibility, technology, and quality.

As one of the pioneering centres in Rajasthan, offering UGC-Entitled Online Degrees and UGC-Approved Open & Distance Learning Degrees. CDOE is redefining access to education for learners across the globe.
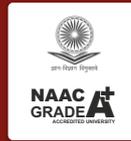
Currently offering 08 UGC-Entitled Online Degree programs and 05 UGC-Approved Open and Distance Degree programs across high-demand domains such as Management, IT, Journalism, and Arts, CDOE integrates digital tools, live interactions, and learners-centric pedagogy to deliver a seamless and engaging academic experience.

Backed by the academic legacy of VGU, CDOE serves a vibrant and growing community of 10,000+ national and international learners, enabling them to pursue career-aligned education without geographical or economic limitations.

| Established in **OCTOBER 2022** | **PIONEERING CENTRE** In Rajasthan Approved and Entitled by UGC For Online & Distance Education | **8** UGC-Entitled Online Degree Programs | **5** 5UGC-Approved Open and Distance Degree programs | **10,000+** Learners Across The Globe | **24/7** Accessibility Powered by a tech-Enabled LMS and Anytime Learning Access |

WHY CHOOSE
Online VGU?

Online VGU, a part of the Centre for Distance and Online Education, is the digital initiative of Vivekananda Global University—empowering over thousands of learners to access the same trusted VGU education with greater flexibility, affordability, and global reach.

UGC-ENTITLED & NAAC A+
Your Degree Is Recognized Globally And By All Major Recruiters.

FLEXIBLE LEARNING
Study At Your Own Pace—Anytime, Anywhere. Ideal For Working Professionals And Freshers.

INDUSTRY-ORIENTED PROGRAMS
Vast Elective Pool in Digital Marketing, FinTech, AI, Data Science, Psychology & more.

EXPERT MENTORS
Learn from PhDs, domain experts, and industry veterans.

CAREER-DRIVEN APPROACH
Internship Opportunities, Career Mentorship, Resume Building, And Placement Assistance.

AFFORDABLE FEE STRUCTURE
Flexible EMI options and high ROI.

GLOBAL ACCESSIBILITY
Programs Are Available To Study Globally.

DUAL DEGREE OPPORTUNITY
Pursue two degrees simultaneously one on-campus and one online of same level

MODERN LMS
Mobile-Friendly Learning on-the-go with 24x7 Access.

360° CAREER ASSISTANCE
Career Assistance During/ After The Completion Of Respective Degree

ACCREDITATIONS
• UGC Entitled Online Degrees
• NAAC A+ Accredited
• AICTE Approved Programs
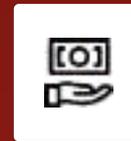• QS World University Rankings – Asia 2025: Ranked in the 681-700 band Globally Accepted

RECOGNITIONS FROM RENOWNED MEDIA HOUSES & EDUCATION PARTNERS
• Careers360 Young University Rankings
• Outlook-ICARE Rankings 2024
• Times B School

RECOGNITIONS AND
ACCREDITATIONS

UGC Entitled Online Degrees

NAAC A+ Accredited

AICTE Approved Programs

QS World University Rankings Asia 2025:

Ranked in the
681–700
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DEI & SI Rankings 2024

Ranked
3rd
in India
1025 WORLDWIDE BY

Ranked
3rd
Private University In Rajasthan
ICARE Ranking 2024

Graduate Outcomes World Ranking 2024

DIAMOND LEAGUE

Ranked
#740
Globally

EQUIVALENCE OF DEGREE
WITH REGULAR DEGREE

Prof. Rajnish Jain
Secretary

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University Grants Commission
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Equivalence of degree obtained through ODL and Online mode with degree obtained through conventional mode

The Regulation 22 of the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 stipulates as under;

"**Equivalence of qualification acquired through Conventional or Open and Distance Learning and Online modes.—** Degrees at undergraduate and postgraduate level in conformity with UGC notification on Specification of Degrees, 2014 and post graduate diplomas awarded through Open and Distance Learning mode and/or Online mode by Higher Educational Institutions, recognised by the Commission under these regulations, shall be treated as equivalent to the corresponding awards of the Degrees at undergraduate and postgraduate level and post graduate diplomas offered through conventional mode."

This is for information of the general public, students and other stakeholders.

(Rajnish Jain)

MA
English

Immerse yourself in the world of literature, language, and culture with our Online MA in English. From the classics of Chaucer and Shakespeare to modern Indian writing and literary criticism, this two-year program offers a rich academic experience. It is carefully structured to enhance critical thinking, research skills, and language proficiency.

What Makes Online VGU's MA in English Special?

This program uniquely integrates theory with practical insights—offering electives in contemporary areas like Women's Writing, American Literature, and Literary Theory. With a dissertation component in the final semester, students are encouraged to pursue in-depth research, preparing them for careers in academia, content development, publishing, or civil services. VGU's dynamic teaching methods and flexible study format make it a favorite among aspiring scholars and professionals alike.

Career Tracks Open to You:

> Content Strategist / Editor / Copywriter
> Teaching & Academia (UGC-NET ready)
> Author / Creative Writer
> Public Relations / Communication Executive
> Publishing Industry Professional
> Higher Studies (PhD)
> Civil Services / Media Exams

Program Overview

Duration
2 Years/24 Months (4 Semesters)

Eligibility
Any Bachelor's Degree From a Recognised University.

Total Credits
80

Fees Structure

Category	Total Program Fees	Semester Fees Payment Plan	Annual Fees Payment Plan with 10%Concession	One Installment Fees Payment Plan with 15%
Indian Nationals	₹ 72,000	₹ 18,000	₹ 32,400	₹ 61,200
Foreign Nationals	₹ 144,000	₹ 36,000	₹ 64,800	₹ 122,400

Note: Examination Fee Payable **₹ 1500/-** Per Semester For Indian Learner
Examination Fee Payable **₹ 3000/-** Per Semester For International Learner

PROGRAM STRUCTURE
KNOW YOUR CREDITS

Semester 1

Title	Credits
Language & Communication Skills I	4
Chaucer and Sixteenth Century Literature	4
Eighteenth and Nineteenth Century Literature	4
Nineteenth Century Literature I	2
American Literature I	3
Language & Linguistics I	3
Total Credits	**20**

Semester 2

Title	Credits
➤ Language & Communication Skills II	4
➤ Seventeenth Century Literature	4
➤ Eighteenth Century Literature II	4
➤ Nineteenth Century Literature II	2
➤ American Literature II	3
➤ Language & Linguistics II	3
Total Credits	**20**

Semester 3

Title	Credits
➤ Literary Criticism and Theory I	4
➤ Twentieth Century Literature I	4
➤ Indian Writing in English I	4
➤ Nineteenth Century Literature III	2
➤ American Literature III	3
➤ Language & Linguistics III	3
Total Credits	**20**

Semester 4

Title	Credits
➤ Literary Theory and Criticism II	4
➤ Twentieth Century Literature II	4
➤ Indian Writing in English II	4
➤ Dissertation	8
Total Credits	**20**

Total Course Credit = 80

OUR PEDAGOGY
& LEARNING EXPERIENCE

At Online VGU, our pedagogy blends innovation with learner-centric design. Through a robust Learning Management System (LMS), we offer flexible, engaging, and personalized learning experiences that cater to diverse learner needs—from all walks of life.

01 Interactive
Multimedia-Rich Course Design

02 Personalized
Custom Learning Paths

03 Flexible
Live & Recorded Classes

04 Accessible
Access Anytime, Anywhere

05 Supportive
Academic & Tech Support

06 Engaging
Quizzes, Videos & Forums

07 Adaptive
Multilingual AI Lectures

08 Collaborative
Peer Projects & Discussions

09 Guided
Faculty Interaction

10 Measurable
Smart Assessments

11 Empowering
Learner-Focused Approach

12 Enabling
UGC-Aligned Resources

ASSESSMENT & EVALUATION

At Online VGU, the assessment process is designed to ensure academic integrity, learner convenience, and fair evaluation. Combining cutting-edge technology with learner-centric practices, our system supports continuous assessment and transparent examination outcomes. Aligned with the UGC's guidelines for online learning, we emphasize both knowledge acquisition and its real-world application. Our examination approach, enhanced by AI proctoring and expert support, gives learners the flexibility they need without compromising on quality or rigour.

Key Highlights of Our Examination & Evaluation Models :

30:70 Assessment Model

30% internal assessments and 70% end-term examinations for balanced evaluation.

Hybrid Virtual Proctored Examination System

Exams are monitored through a combination of on-campus human proctors and AI-enabled remote proctoring, ensuring exam integrity regardless of location.

Pre-Exam Preparation & Support

Mock exams, training sessions, and demo walkthroughs are conducted to familiarize learners with the examination environment.

Relative Grading System

Grading is based on a relative performance scale to ensure fairness across diverse learner groups.

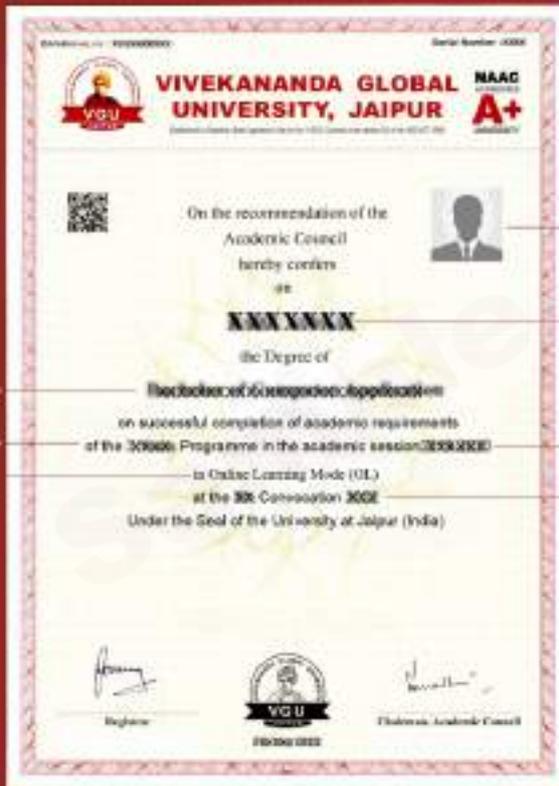### Robust Multi-Stakeholder Support System

Dedicated assistance is provided before, during, and after exams by our tech support team, learner support team, examination and evaluation cell, live proctors etc.

Continuous Updates

Semester-long updates and coordination through course coordinators and academic teams keep learners well-informed.

KNOW YOUR
DEGREE CERTIFICATE

VIVEKANANDA GLOBAL UNIVERSITY, JAIPUR

On the recommendation of the Academic Council hereby confers on

XXXXXXX

the Degree of

on successful completion of academic requirements of the XXXXX Programme in the academic session XXXXXX in Online Learning Mode (OL) at the Xx Convocation XXX Under the Seal of the University at Jaipur (India)

*Learner Photo
*Name Of The Learner
Programme Name
Programme Tenure
Mode Of Delivery
Academic Year
Convocation Year

Mode of Delivery: Online

Date of Admission: **/**/****

Date of Completion: **/**/****

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Shazia Sajid Shaikh
Owner, Coco Jumbo,
Kindergarten and Day Care

MA English | Batch: July 2024

I'm Shazia Sajid Shaikh from Mumbai, Maharashtra, currently running my own kindergarten and day care, Coco Jumbo, where I work as an administrator, curriculum planner, educator, and trainer. Pursuing my MA in English through Online VGU has been a transformative experience. The well-structured modules, supportive professors, and high-quality teaching have helped me grow professionally and sharpen my skills in education and planning. This course has directly contributed to the success and development of my kindergarten, aligning perfectly with my goals. VGU is truly a career-oriented institution with excellent educators and practical learning resources.

"2 out of every 3 VGU learners are employed while studying!"

Working With Top Brands

Our learners are building their careers with some of the most reputable employers in India and globally. Here are just a few of the standout companies where they work:

accenture | Infosys | tcs TATA CONSULTANCY SERVICES | Tech Mahindra | BOEING

DELL Technologies | BARCLAYS | Deutsche Bank | ICICI Lombard GENERAL INSURANCE | Paytm

BAJAJ FINSERV | Flipkart | Apollo | medanta THE MEDICITY | TOMMY HILFIGER

MARUTI SUZUKI | Godrej | Pidilite | Vi Together for tomorrow

and many more...

HOW TO
APPLY?

Visit: https://onlinevgu.com/ &Locate the Registration Portal

Fill Your Details And Pay The ***INR 1000/-** Registration Fee

Pay The **Academic Fee** For The first Semester/Year Or Full Program

Upload All Mandatory **Documents** & Submit Your Application

The University Will **Verify** Your Documents To Confirm Your Admission

*T&C Apply
INR 1000/- Registration Fees is Non Refundable