



# Barrackpore Rastraguru Surendranath College

## *Teaching Plan*

**2022-23**

## NAME OF THE PROGRAMME

**B.A. GENERAL ( FILM STUDIES)**

## PROGRAMME OUTCOME

The Film Studies Department prepares students to participate in a world increasingly shaped by moving pictures. Through courses that offer a foundation for understanding cinema and its relation to culture , history, technology and aesthetics- Film Studies teaches students to create and analyze moving images, to produce research , and to make art.

### Notes:

You can merge cells in between and add students' seminars and class tests / internal assessment.

For incorporating PO / CO at UG level, you may refer to your WBSU CBCS syllabus.

If not there you can refer to the UGC model syllabus

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<b>Semester</b>		<b>I</b>			
<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Visual Language and Institutionalization on of the Cinematic Language.</b>				
<b>Course Code</b>	<b>FMSGCOR01T/ FMSGGEC01T</b>	<b>Credit</b>	<b>6</b>		
<b>Course Outcome</b>	<p><b>This course introduces students to the basics of film analysis, cinematic formal elements, genre and narrative structure and helps students develop the skills to recognize , analyze , describe and enjoy film as an art and entertainment form.</b></p>				
<b>Scheme of Instruction</b>					
<b>Total Duration</b>	90	<b>Class/Week</b>	7	<b>Hours/week</b>	7
<b>Instruction Mode</b>	<b>Lecture, Tutorial</b>				
<b>Scheme of Examination</b>					
<b>Maximum Score</b>	75	<b>Internal</b>	25	<b>End Semester</b>	50

<b>Course Mapping</b>		
<b>Units</b>	<b>Course Content</b>	<b>Lecture Hour (Cumulative)</b>
1	History of Visual Art and its relationship with Cinema.	8
2	Early Cinema – Louis Lumiere and August Lumiere, George Meliese .	9
3	Cinema of Transition – Edwin S. Porter , D. W. Griffith	10
4	Evolution from P.M.R to I.M.R. , Basic Concept of Cinematic Language – Shot, Scene, Sequence	10
5	Visual Transitions- Cut, Dissolve, Fade In, Fade Out , Wipe etc.	7
6	Types of Shots according to its Dimensions- Establishing Shot , Cut In, Cut Away, P.O.V.	8
7	MISE- EN-SCENE	6
8	MONTAGE	6
9	Light, Shadow and Other Compositinal Elements	10

10	Proxemics, Angle, Focus, Lens	6
11	Basic Camera Movement	10

<b>Semester</b>		<b>II</b>			
<b>Course Title</b>	<b>ART, INDUSTRY AND FILM THEORIES OF THE SILENT ERA.</b>				
<b>Course Code</b>	<b>FMSGCOR02T/ FMSHGE02T</b>	<b>Credit</b>	<b>4+2=6</b>		
	<b>FMSGCOR02P/FMSHGEC02P</b>				
<b>Course Outcome</b>	<p>Here students know a lot about international films, basically Russian and Germany and understands their importance in the history of World Films. Apart from these they get proper knowledge about different film theories and techniques of Camera</p>				
<b>Scheme of Instruction</b>					
<b>Total Duration</b>	90	<b>Class/Week</b>	7	<b>Hours/week</b>	7
<b>Instruction Mode</b>	<b>Lecture, Tutorial, Practical</b>				

### Scheme of Examination

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### Course Mapping

Units	Course Content	Lecture Hour (Cumulative)
1	Studio System	8
2	French First Wave	15
3	German Expressionism	8
4	Russian Formalism	12
5	Indian Cinema in Silent Era	8
6	Film Theories – Rudolf Arnheim, Siegfried Kracauer , Sergei Eisenstein	15
7	Writing for Camera	8
8	Visual Composition	8
9	Art for Story Telling	8

<b>Semester</b>			<b>III</b>		
<b>Course Title</b>	<b>SOCIAL CONTEXT OF CINEMA AND FILM LANGUAGE.</b>				
<b>Course Code</b>	<b>FMSGCOR03T/FMSHGE03T</b>	<b>Credit</b>	<b>6</b>		
<b>Course Outcome</b>	<p><b>Students get knowledge about different film movements</b></p> <p><b>.Film,infact,is a science.So students get knowledge about those techniques which are used to make a film.</b></p>				
<b>Scheme of Instruction</b>					
<b>Total Duration</b>	90	<b>Class/Week</b>	7	<b>Hours/week</b>	7
<b>Instruction Mode</b>	<b>LECTURE, TUTORIAL</b>				
<b>Scheme of Examination</b>					
<b>Maximum Score</b>	75	<b>Internal</b>	25	<b>End Semester</b>	50
<b>Course Mapping</b>					
<b>Units</b>	<b>Course Content</b>			<b>Lecture Hour (Cumulative)</b>	

1	Italian New Realism	20
2	French New Wave	20
3	Indian Cinema- Sound Era	15
4	Techniques of Manipulating Time and Space in Cinema. Match Cut, Jump Cut, Flash Back, Flash Forward.	15
5	Different Types of Sound used in CINEMA , Mixing Tracks, Synchronized and Non Synchronized Sound.	20

<b>Semester</b>		<b>IV</b>
<b>Course Title</b>	<b>WORLD DOCUMENTARY AND POST COLONIAL CINEMA.</b>	



<b>Course Code</b>	<b>FMSGCOR04T/FMSHGE04T</b> <b>FMSGCOR04P/FMSHGEC04P</b>	<b>Credit</b>	<b>4+2=6</b>		
<b>Course Outcome</b>	<b>Student get proper knowledge about history of world documentary. They come to know from practical classes how to make documentary films. And Students also know a lot about some Indian New Wave films.</b>				
<b>Scheme of Instruction</b>					
<b>Total Duration</b>	90	<b>Class/Week</b>	6	<b>Hours/week</b>	6
<b>Instruction Mode</b>	<b>LECTURE, PRACTICAL, TUTORIAL</b>				
<b>Scheme of Examination</b>					
<b>Maximum Score</b>	75	<b>Internal</b>	25	<b>End Semester</b>	50
<b>Course Mapping</b>					
<b>Units</b>	<b>Course Content</b>			<b>Lecture Hour (Cumulative)</b>	
1	Major differences between Fiction and Nonfiction.			5	

2	Different Modes of Documentary	8
3	Different Types of Documentary	8
4	History of World Documentary	8
5	Indian Cinema after Independence – Rise of Melodrama and Nationalist Cinema .	15
6	Indian New Wave	10
7	Latin American Cinema	10
8	Post War Japanese Cinema	10
9	Documentaries of Pre- Independent Era	10
10	Age of Films Division	6

<b>Semester</b>		<b>V</b>	
<b>Course Title</b>	<b>PARADIGMS AND PRACTICES- CRITICAL APPROACHES TO CINEMA .</b>		
<b>Course Code</b>	<b>FMSGDSE01T</b>	<b>Credit</b>	<b>4+2=6</b>
	<b>FMSGDSE01P</b>		

<b>Course Outcome</b>	<p><b>Students come to know about different theory and movements related to Cinema .Film is a psychological subject. Students get a lot of knowledge about psychology.</b></p>				
<b>Scheme of Instruction</b>					
<b>Total Duration</b>	90	<b>Class/Week</b>	12	<b>Hours/week</b>	12
<b>Instruction Mode</b>	<b>Lecture, Tutorial, Practical</b>				
<b>Scheme of Examination</b>					
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1	Idea ( Memory, Experience, Imagination), Adaptation (Novel, Story, News)			12	
2	THEME			9	
3	Fiction/ Non Fiction, Short Film			10	
4	Writings in terms of Images, Sound and			10	

	Rhythym	
5	From- Dramatic/ Non-Dramatic	9
6	Realism and Cinema – Andre Bazin	5
7	Feminism and Cinema – Laura Mulvey	10
8	Psychoanalysis and Cinema	10
9	Structuralism and Cinema – Christian Metz	10
10	Making a Fictional Silent Continuity Film of not more than 5minutes.	5

<b>Semester</b>		<b>VI</b>	
<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Popular Bengali Cinema and Alternative Approaches</b>		
<b>Course Code</b>	<b>FMSGDSE03T</b>	<b>Credit</b>	<b>4+ 2=6</b>
	<b>FMSGDSE03P</b>		
<b>Course Outcome</b>	<p><b>Students get proper knowledge about the great directors of Indian Film.</b></p> <p><b>They know about the importance of Indian cinema in the history of World Cinema. Students get proper</b></p>		

	<b>knowledge about the great directors from 50's to 90's.</b>				
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1	DHIREN GANGULI			7	
2	P.C. BARUA			7	
3	DEBAKI KUMAR BOSE			7	
4	RITWIK GHATAK			10	
5	SATYAJIT RAY			10	
6	MRINAL SEN			10	
7	TAPAN SINHA			9	
8	TARUN MAJUMDAR			8	

9	RAJEN TARAFDAR	5
10	AJOY KAR	7
11 & 12	ASIT SEN & ANJAN CHOWDHURI	5+ 5=10

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