

BVOC (HANDLOOM WEAVER)

A new course **B.Voc (Handloom Weaver)** will be started by Mizoram University from **October 2018** for enabling the people in the region who have a background in weaving to get a formal Bachelor's degree like BA, BCom or BSc. This will be full time credit-based modular programmes, wherein banking of credits for skill and general education components shall be permitted so as to enable multiple exit and entry. The curriculum is designed to give overall training to the student on weaving, entrepreneurship skills and management skills and computer skills to create and manage their handloom enterprises. The course has been developed to impart skill based education under National Skill Qualification Framework (NSQF) recognized by the UGC under MHRD, Government of India.

The curriculum in each of the semester/years of the programme(s) will be a suitable mix of general education and skill development components. The General Education Component shall have 40% of the total credits and balance 60% credits shall be of Skill Component.

Skill Component Credits	General Education Credits	Total Credits for Award	Normal Duration	Exit Points / Awards
108	72	180	Six Semesters	B.Voc Degree
72	48	120	Four semesters	Advanced Diploma
36	24	60	Two semesters	Diploma
18	12	30	One semester	Certificate

CERTIFICATE (6 MONTHS- 30 credits after 10+2)



DIPLOMA (ONE YEAR- 60 credits after 10+2)



ADVANCED DIPLOMA (TWO YEARS 120 credits after 10+2)



BVOC DEGREE (THREE YEARS- 180 credits after 10+2)

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PROGRAMME

- B.Voc (Handloom Weaver) is a unique course introduced by Mizoram University in the region for enabling the weavers to get a formal degree in their discipline.
- The course is open to candidates who are 12th pass or equivalent from any recognized board or university.
- There shall be **NO** age bar for admission into B.Voc (handloom weaver) course.
- Preference will be given to women candidates who have a background in weaving
- B.Voc program will enable multiple entry and exit to the student to upgrade qualifications after a break whenever feasible after six months, after one year and after two years of pursuing the B.Voc program.
- **AWARD DURATION:**
 - ✓ After completing *six months* of the course, the student can exit with a **certificate** from Mizoram University.
 - ✓ After completion of *one year* the student can exit with a **Diploma** from Mizoram

University.

- ✓ After completion of *two years* of the course the student can exit with an **Advanced Diploma** from Mizoram University.
- ✓ With the successful completion of three years of the program the student will receive a degree **Bachelor of Vocation (BVoc (Handloom Weaver))** from Mizoram University.
 - The student can also join back after a break whenever feasible to continue the program after Certificate, Diploma, and Advanced Diploma to the next higher level B.Voc.
 - The curriculum in each of the semester/years of the program will be a suitable mix of general education and skill development components. The General Education Component shall have 40% of the total credits and balance 60% credits shall be of Skill Component.
 - The curriculum includes: Computer skills, drawing practice, fashion digital marketing, Computer Aided Textile Design, retail management, and other relevant subjects.
 - Candidates will be sent on internship to premier institutes such as National Institute of Fashion Technology (NIFT), Indian Institute of Handloom Technology (IIHT) and National Institute of Design (NID) and field visits.
 - Experts from premier institutes will be invited to train the students in relevant subjects.
 - Scholarship of ` 1000 per month will be given to the students at the end of the semester after successful completion of one semester.

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