Online Education for Lifelong Learning

SWAYAM-NPTEL Local Chapter

Vallabh Govt. College Mandi

(Local Chapter ID: 6569)

SWAYAM

*(**S**tudy **W**ebs of **A**ctive–Learning for **Y**oung **A**spiring **M**inds)*

SWAYAM is a programme initiated by the Government of India and designed to take the best teaching and learning resources to all, including the most disadvantaged. SWAYAM seeks to bridge the digital divide for students who have hitherto remained untouched by the digital revolution and have not been able to join the mainstream of the knowledge economy. This is done through an indigenous developed IT platform that facilitates hosting of all the courses, taught in classrooms from 9th class till post-graduation to be accessed by anyone, anywhere at any time.

Salient Features:

➢ All the courses are interactive, prepared by the best teachers in the country and are available, free of cost to the residents of India.

➢ There are 4-week, 8-week as well as 12-week courses offered twice a year.

- ➢ The student can online review and assess his progress week after week and get his doubts clarified mutually by the faculty in charge or by mentors, immediately, enabling him to understand the subject better.
- ➢ The courses hosted on SWAYAM are in 4 quadrants – (1) video lectures, (2) specially prepared reading material that can be downloaded/printed (3) self-assessment tests through tests and quizzes and (4) an online discussion forum for clearing doubts.

Benefits to students through SWAYAM online courses

1. One of the biggest advantages offered by Swayam is that, for certain courses, a learner can earn credits for completing the course on the platform and these credits can even be transferred to the academic record of the learner.

2. Get Certificates/Diplomas from the premium institutes like IITs, IISC etc. based on one's performance (Participation, Successfully Completed, Elite, Elite + Gold).

3. Have free access to courses run on the SWAYAM Platform

4. Flexibility to learn different aspects of knowledge.at one's own pace.

5. Use college infrastructure for course access.

6. Learning from the best teachers.

7. Internship opportunities.

8. Value addition in their study.

9. Advanced learners will be greatly benefited which will help in improving the NAAC grading.

10. Soft Skill Training. (Online Mock Interview, Employability Assessment Test, Online Interactive Sessions)

11. Help students to increase their employability.

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How to enroll (join) in a course

Please go to this link to join for courses that you are interested in. https://onlinecourses.nptel.ac.in/

- Students have to say **YES** to the question 'Are you part of a Local Chapter'
- Choose the correct college name from the dropdown. This is very important; else the learner will not be available in your SPOC login
- Students choose the Profession as '**Student**'
- Faculty choose the Profession as 'Faculty' (Not Employed)
- Use the **same email id** for enrolling to courses & exam registration.
- Assignments submitted through one mail id & exam registered through another mail id will not be accepted

IMPORTANT LINKS

For details about various courses offered at SWAYAM click the link: https://swayam.gov.in/explorer

Detailed course list for July 2024 session and important deadlines are available at **this link.**