

YAIMA COLLEGE OF OPTOMETRY

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FROM THE CHAIRPERSON'S DESK

Optometrists are primary healthcare practitioners of the eye and visual system who provide comprehensive eye and vision care, which includes refraction and dispensing, detection / diagnosis and co-management of disease in the eye and the rehabilitation of conditions of the visual system.

We take immense pleasure and pride to announce that, the Yaima College of Optometry (YCO) is commencing its 4th batch this year (2021-2022 session) under Manipur University. With increasing demand and need of the optometrists in the state, we are also happy to announce that the Manipur University has increased the intake capacity to 20 students per batch from this session.

It may also be noted and appreciated that, despite the Covid-19 Pandemic, the College administration and its teaching faculties together are putting its best efforts to continue the regular classes strictly adhering to the SOPs given by the State Government so that the students do not have any gap in timely completion of their course.

I firmly believe that, YCO will not only enhance delivery of eye care services but will also serve an exemplary role in opening new vistas in the field of Ophthalmology in our state.

Kh. Noni Devi
Chairperson
Yaima College of Optometry



FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

Eyes are windows to the brain, which enables us to see, to learn, to live and appreciate the wonders and beauty of the nature. In spite of knowing its importance, we usually are not able to take proper care of it. It has been observed that our country has the maximum number of blind people in the world of which avoidable blindness and vision impairment contributes a significant amount. Around 11 million children in India are blind or visually impaired merely from the lack of an eye examination and appropriate pair of glasses. Recognizing such situations, it is very important for us to increase the manpower of eye health care.

Optometrist are primary healthcare provider of the eye and vision system who can successfully manage the leading cause of vision impairment (i.e. refractive error) and can also help alleviate the burden of other causes of blindness through diagnosis, referral and co-management.

As the Principal of Yaima College of Optometry, I feel extremely happy and proud that the college is starting its 4th batch. I also take opportunity to appreciate the efforts of our staffs for continuing the classes in this prevailing situation of Covid-19 while strictly adhering to SOPs. I encourage all the youths who are opting medical profession as their career to choose this noble profession of optometrist and help people to see the beauty of the world. I give my best wishes to the students and faculties for the coming session 2021-2022.

Dr. Kh. Bidur Singh
Principal
Yaima College of Optometry

ABOUT US:

There are significant challenges for eye healthcare with ever increasing avoidable blindness and visual impairment. These mainly include insufficient number of competent healthcare professionals at the primary as well as at tertiary levels, non-rationalization of available resources and the inability to afford treatment.

India currently has around 12 million blind people against 39 million globally – which makes India home to one third of the world’s blind population. Out of this population 80% of blindness can be prevented if better eye care services could be provided. This trend holds true for every part of the country including the Northeastern side where the geographical terrain is different from rest of the country too.

Addressing the pressing need to cope with such challenges, the “Yaima College of Optometry” under the guidance of Yaima Mission for Vision as well as of Yaima Eye Hospital and Research Centre is offering a 4 years professional degree in optometry. The College is located at Khagempalli Pankha, Huidrom Leikai, Imphal West, Manipur - 795001.

From invaluable clinical works to vibrant classroom discussion, we take pride on preparing exemplary optometrists who would advance in the field of eye care thereby creating a promising as well as a brighter future.

ABOUT OPTOMETRY

World Council of Optometry (WCO) has defined optometrists as a health care profession that is autonomous, educated and regulated (licensed / registered). Optometrists are the primary health care practitioners of the eye and visual system who provide comprehensive eye and vision care including refraction and dispensing, detection / diagnosis and management of disease in the eye and rehabilitation of conditions of the visual system.

As primary eye care practitioners, optometrists have a vital role in detecting potentially serious eye diseases such as cataract, glaucoma and age-related maculopathy, and general health conditions such as hypertension and diabetes.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES:

There are many career options available to optometry graduates as a result of their academic and clinical experience. An eye optometrist can work at:

1. Government & Corporate sector.
2. Practice independently.
3. Work for an optical chain or under an optical store.
4. Public health.
5. Industries and companies.
6. Eye care hospitals & Institutions.
7. Education sector & Optometry colleges.
8. Scientific research and integrated professional areas.

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

The Yaima College of Optometry under Manipur University, Canchipur, Imphal, Manipur is offering degree course in the Bachelor of Optometry (B.Optom). The course is a full time academic course with classroom lectures and practical training sessions.

PROGRAMME STRUCTURE OF BACHELOR OF OPTOMETRY (B.Optom)

FIRST SEMESTER

Paper Code	Course Title	IA		UE*		Practical / Viva Voce		Total Mark
		Total Mark	Pass Mark	Total Mark	Pass Mark	Total Mark	Pass Mark	
BOP 101	General Anatomy	50	25	50	25	-		100
BOP 102	General Physiology	30	15	50	25	20	10	100
BOP 103	General Biochemistry	50	25	50	25	-		100
BOP 104	General Optics-I	30	15	50	25	20	10	100
BOP 105	Nutrition	50	25	50	25	-		100
BOP 106	English and Communication	50	25	50	25	-		100
Total		260		300		40		600

*IA – Internal Assessment.

*UE – University Exam.

SECOND SEMESTER

Paper Code	Course Title	IA		UE*		Practical / Viva Voce		Total Mark
		Total Mark	Pass Mark	Total Mark	Pass Mark	Total Mark	Pass Mark	
BOP 201	Ocular Anatomy	50	25	50	25	20	10	100
BOP 202	Ocular Physiology	30	15	50	25	20	10	100
BOP 203	Ocular Biochemistry	30	15	50	25	20	10	100
BOP 204	Physical Optics	30	15	50	25	20	10	100
BOP 205	Geometrical Optics-II	30	15	50	25	20	10	100
BOP 206	Basics of Computer					100	50	100
BOP 207	Clinical Optometry-I					100	50	100
Total		170		250		300		700

*IA – Internal Assessment.

*UE – University Exam.

THIRD SEMESTER

Paper Code	Course Title	IA		UE*		Practical / Viva Voce		Total Mark
		Total Mark	Pass Mark	Total Mark	Pass Mark	Total Mark	Pass Mark	
BOP 301	Ocular Microbiology	50	25	50	25			100
BOP 302	Visual Optics-I	50	25	50	25			100
BOP 303	Optometric Optics-I	50	25	50	25			100
BOP 304	Optometric Instruments	50	25	50	25			100
BOP 305	Ocular Disease-I	50	25	50	25			100
BOP 306	Clinical Examination of Visual System	50	25	50	25			100
BOP 307	Indian Tele-Medicine	100	50					100
BOP 308	Clinical Optometry-II	50	25			50	25	100
Total		450		300		50		800

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*UE – University Exam.

FORTH SEMESTER

Paper Code	Course Title	IA		UE*		Practical / Viva Voce		Total Mark
		Total Mark	Pass Mark	Total Mark	Pass Mark	Total Mark	Pass Mark	
BOP 401	Optometric Optics-II & Dispensing	50	25	50	25			100
BOP 402	Visual Optics-II	100	25					100
BOP 403	Ocular Disease-II and Glaucoma	50	25	50	50			100
BOP 404	Pathology	50	25	50	25			100
BOP 405	Basic and Ocular Pharmacology	50	25	50	25			100
BOP 406	Introduction to Quality & patient Safety	100	50					100
BOP 407	Medical Psychology	50	25	50	25			100
BOP 408	Clinical Optometry-III	50	25			50	25	100
Total		500		250		50		800

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*UE – University Exam.

FIFTH SEMESTER

Paper Code	Course Title	IA		UE*		Practical / Viva Voce		Total Mark
		Total Mark	Pass Mark	Total Mark	Pass Mark	Total Mark	Pass Mark	
BOP 501	Contact Lens-I	30	15	50	25	20	10	100
BOP 502	Low Vision Care	30	15	50	25	20	10	100
BOP 503	Geriatric Optometry & Pediatric Optometry	50	25	50	25			100
BOP 504	Binocular Vision-I	50	25	50	25			100
BOP 505	Systemic Disease	50	25	50	25			100
BOP 506	Research Methodology & Biostatistics	50	25	50	25			100
BOP 507	Clinical Optometry-IV	50	25			50	25	100
Total		310		300		50		700

*IA – Internal Assessment.

*UE – University Exam.

SIXTH SEMESTER

Paper Code	Course Title	IA		UE*		Practical / Viva Voce		Total Mark
		Total Mark	Pass Mark	Total Mark	Pass Mark	Total Mark	Pass Mark	
BOP 601	Contact Lens-II	30	15	50	25	20	10	100
BOP 602	Binocular Vision-II	30	15	50	25	20	10	100
BOP 603	Public Health & Community Optometry	50	25	50	25			100
BOP 604	Practice Management	50	25	50	25			100
BOP 605	Occupational Optometry	50	25	50	25			100
BOP 606	Medical Law and Ethics	50	25	50	25			100
BOP 607	Research Project-I	100	50					100
BOP 608	Clinical Optometry-V	50	25			50	25	100
Total		410		300		90		800

*IA – Internal Assessment.

*UE – University Exam.

SEVENTH & EIGHTH SEMESTER

Paper Code	Course Title	IA		UE*		Practical / Viva Voce		Total Mark
		Total Mark	Pass Mark	Total Mark	Pass Mark	Total Mark	Pass Mark	
BOP 701	B. Optom Internship	50	25			50	25	100
BOP 801	B. Optom Internship	50	25			50	25	100
BOP 802	Research Project-II	100	50					100
BOP 803	Research Project-III	100	50					100
Total		300				100		400

*IA – Internal Assessment.

*UE – University Exam.

AFFILIATION:

The Bachelor Degree of Optometry course is affiliated to Manipur University, Canchipur, Imphal, Manipur. The course is being conducted as per the guidance and guidelines of the affiliating University. The existing as well as revised provision in the University Act, Statutes, Ordinances, rules and other instructions provided time to time, shall be binding to all the students.

ABOUT THE AFFILIATED UNIVERSITY:

Manipur University was established on 5th June, 1980 under the Manipur University Act, 1980, as a teaching cum-affiliating university at Imphal with territorial jurisdiction over the whole of the state of Manipur. It was converted into a central university on 13th of October 2005. The Manipur University Act No. 54 of 2005 received the assent of the President on 28th of December 2005.

DURATION OF THE COURSE:

Bachelor of Optometry: 3 + 1 years (1 year of internship) or 8 (6 +2) semesters.

Semesters: An academic year consists of two semesters.

Odd Semester: September to February.

Even Semester: March to August.

NUMBER OF SEATS INTAKE:

The total number of seat for the course is 20 students. However, it may change from time to time as the University permits.

ELIGIBILITY FOR ADMISSION:

The candidate must have passed in the Higher Secondary Examination that is equivalent to 10+2 in Science stream. Cut off marks for admission will be decided by Selection Board on the day of interview. For candidate who has to appear XII exam, in 2021 and has been promoted are encouraged for admission.

MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION:

English shall be the medium of instruction for all the subjects of study and for examination of the course.

ATTENDANCE:

A candidate has to secure minimum:

- 1) 75% attendance in theoretical.
- 2) 80% in skills training (practical) for qualifying to appear for the Final Examination.



Students appearing exam maintaining SOP

APPLICATION: *Annexure 1*

APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

GUIDELINES TO APPLY ONLINE FOR ADMISSION: 2021-2022

1. Before initiating the process of application form submission, a candidate should ensure that he/she has :
 - a) Scanned latest Photograph (in .jpg format only)
Photograph size: less than 1 m.b
 - b) Scanned Signatures (in .jpg format only)
Signatures size: less than 1 m.b
 - c) Scanned copy of mark sheet and certificate , (in .pdf format only)
Document size: less than 1 m.b
- NOTE: If the candidate hasn't obtained "XII passed certificate" then it can be submitted later.
2. A candidate can apply for admission only online by logging on to a link given by the concerned authority.
3. A Registration Fee of Rs. 500/- (Rupees Five hundred only) is to be remitted through Net Banking for the programme. Details are described subsequently.
4. Each candidate will pass through all the five stages one-by-one as mentioned below.
 - 1) Candidate Registration
 - 2) Image/ signature/ category certificate upload
 - 3) Submit Application Form
 - 4) Payment of fees.
 - 5) Submitting the receipt (as photo) in the email/ WhatsApp.

REGISTRATION FORM:

5. Click on "Registration Link" option to accomplish Part-I of submission and then fill your email.
6. **The system will ask for the candidate's personal information such as:**
 - a) Name of the Candidate
 - b) Father's Name
 - c) Mother's Name
 - d) Present address
 - e) Communication address
 - f) Pin code
 - g) Mobile number
 - h) Gender
 - i) Date of Birth
 - j) Nationality

- k) Religion
- l) Marital Status
- m) Category

7. Education Details:

- a. Name of the Board / Council /University last passed
- b. Name of the School/ College last attended:
- c. Name of the Examination:
- d. Roll No:
- e. Year of Passing:
- f. Marks obtained in Class XII/Equivalent Examination
- g. Percentage.

8. Upload:

- a. Photo
- b. Signature
- c. Mark-sheet of the above mentioned exam
- d. Passed Certificate of the above mentioned exam

9. Declaration of student and parents.

10. Payment Option:

Bank Name: HDFC

Account Holder Name: THE YAIMA MISSION FOR VISION

Account No.: 50100229976691

IFSC Code: HDFC0001999

Amount to be paid at the time of registration:

Rs.500/- (Rupees five hundred only)

11. The candidates are advised to go through the details of particulars filled in the form before registration confirmation. On being doubly sure that all the information is correct, one can click the Registration Confirmation button. After confirmation, he/she will not be in a position to change/alter/update the information.

12. The candidates are advised to submit the receipt (as photo) of admission and other fees in the email / WhatsApp on +919774034655/+918730821126/+919774304978

IMPORTANT DATES:

- 1) Admission opens: 14th June 2021(Monday)
- 2) Last Date of Form Submission: 14th August, 2021 (Saturday).
- 3) Personal Appearance: 18th August, 2021 (Wednesday).
- 4) Declaration of result: 18th August, 2021 (Wednesday).
- 5) Commencement of Session: 1st week of September2021.



Final year students of Yaima College of Optometry

DOCUMENTS TO BE ENCLOSED / CHECKLIST WHILE APPEARING FOR INTERVIEW:

The candidates shall have to produce original copies attested copies of the following documents along with their application forms on the day of interview.

1. Admit Card of Class-X Examination (Age proof)
2. Mark sheet of Class-X and XII (wherever applicable)
3. Pass certificate of Class-X and XII
4. XI passed Certificate in Science stream
5. Character Certificate
6. Caste Certificate (if applicable)
7. Affidavit for prove (for those students who had study break)

SELECTION BOARD:

There shall be a Selection Board for the purpose of selections of candidates for admission into the Bachelor of Optometry. The Selection Board will be constituted by the Chairman of the Yaima College of Optometry. The board reserves the right to decide on all the matters related to the selection of the candidate. The decision of the management committee will be final and binding.

REGISTRATION, ADMISSION, SEMESTER AND OTHER FEES INCLUDING DEPOSIT:

Registration Fees: Rs. 500/- (must be paid at the time of submission of form).

Admission Fees: Rs. 15,000/- (one-time payment).

Caution Deposit: Rs. 5,000/- (refundable after the completion of the course).

For Payment:

Account Name: The Yaima Mission for Vision

Account No.: 50100229976691

BANK NAME: HDFC, GANDHI AVENUE, IMPHAL-795001, MANIPUR

IFSC: HDFC0001999

FIRST YEAR		SECOND YEAR		THIRD YEAR	
First Semester	Second Semester	Third Semester	Forth Semester	Fifth Semester	Sixth Semester
Rs. 40,000/-	Rs. 40,000/-	Rs. 40,000/-	Rs. 40,000/-	Rs. 40,000/-	Rs. 40,000/-

NOTE: Semester fees must be paid before the commencement of every session/ semester.

HOSTEL:

Hostel will be provided. As the rooms are limited preferences will be given to female candidate and candidates from other district or states.

COLLEGE TIMING:

The working hours of college are from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. However during the final year as the students are posted in different specialty clinics and outpatient procedures, the timing will depend on the clinical schedule, punctuality and attendance will be considered for evaluation.

IDENTITY CARD:

Each student will be given an Identity Card which the students are supposed to wear all the time inside the campus.

INSTRUMENTS:

All students must possess a retinoscope and an ophthalmoscope before the third semester.

LOG BOOK:

Students are expected to maintain a log book for all the practical and clinical session they attend with relevant details. The log book should be submitted whenever asked and before the examination.

DRESS CODE:

1. Dark grey pants for both boys and girls.
2. Light Blue shirt for both boys and girls with college logo.
3. Black belt.
4. White socks.
5. Black shoes.
6. Dark Grey Blazers.

APPLYING FOR LEAVE

Students are advised to give prior information to the college authorities about their leave / permission, failing which strict disciplinary action will be taken. Medical Certificate need to be produced from registered Medical Practitioner in case of leave for more than 2 consecutive day.

HOLIDAYS:

Allotted holidays will be specified in the institution's calendar. The Academic Head holds the final authority to declare holiday on any other circumstances. The students are requested to contact the academic office for further information.

ANTI - RAGGING

The institute maintains strict anti-ragging guidelines and all students are required to avoid and such activities. Students, violating the same are liable to disciplinary action including expulsion from the institute and also lodging a criminal case against the student at the Police station as per the directive from the honorable Supreme Court of India.

INFORMATION AT A GLANCE

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4. Declaration of Result: 18th August 2021 (Wednesday).
5. Commencement of session: 1st week of September 2021.
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