

evaluation-present system.

(ii) Suggestions for improvement in evaluation process – feasibility or not of introducing a short written test (of, say, 20 marks)in lieu of viva-voce, of the Final Madhyamik Pariksha.

Group B

Process of growing/preparation, materials and equipments required etc. for work-projects as well as usefulness of the products, work-areas to be covered are as follows:

Unit 11 Cereals (Paddy, Wheat) & Cash crop (Jute)

Varieties – preparation of seedbed – sowing, drilling and transplantation – organic manure and compost making- chemical fertilizer-inter culture – irrigation and water requirements – pest and weed control – harvesting. Making of food products from cereals.

Unit 12 Growing Vegetables and simple Medicinal Plants

Soil fertility – major, secondary and micro-nutrients-organic manure and chemical fertilizers – tillage of seeded –manuring-sowing and transplantation – inter culture – irrigation and water requirements – disease and pest control – harvesting. Preservation of vegetables. Process of growing medicinal plants. Use of medicinal plants in our daily life.

Unit 13 Flower and Fruit Plantation & Preservation

Different kinds of seasonal flowers – planning of an ideal garden – soil preparation – compost making – planting, mulching, pruning and training methods of propagation – weeding. Pot culture. Use of flower and scope of marketing. Preparing & garden for fruit cultivation - preparation of jam, Jelly and pickle – food processing, preservation, and packaging.

Unit 14 Tailoring & Embroidery

Drafting and pattern making, cutting and construction, Cutting and finishing or underpant, pyjama, salwar, petticoat, blouse, kameez, shirt, trouser. Embroidery on garments --- different stitches and application, appliqué, mirror work etc.

Unit 15 Paper & Cardboard work and Making of Household Articles

Materials and techniques of paper-cutting, office file, greetings cards. Book-binding: Jus stitch-Limp binding – Flash cut binding – cover wrapping binding. Household articles made from jute or bamboo; preparation of fashion goods by cloth, clay, paper or cardboard; making flower and flower-vase using plasticine; making photo-frame with waste materials; wearing of bag and making of dolls by cloth and cotton.

Unit 16 Designing, Dyeing and Batik Printing

Basic design and technique. Simple dyeing. Tie and dye and Batic processes.

Unit 17 Fabric Plainting and Screen Printing

Basic designing – colour application – spray printing – stenciling. Silk Screen printing – material and techniques.

Unit 18 Soap and Phenyl making