

Mass Bunk Rules

1. Mass-Cut from Classes

A mass-cut means the absence of more than a specified percentage (as decided by the competent authority) of students from a scheduled class, with some collective motive on the part of the students, as per the sole judgement of the teacher concerned.

A mass-cut is an act of indiscipline. Students indulging in mass cut will be penalized by imposing a deduction in the total marks secured by them in the course in which the mass cut is resorted to. Further disciplinary action may also be taken as decided by the University.

The deduction of marks shall be as per the follow:

- (a) For one mass cut, there will be deduction of 2 marks per student.
- (b) For more than one mass cut in a course, the deduction of marks will be as per following formula: $D = n^2$, where D is the deduction due to mass-cut in a course, and n is number of mass cuts in a course.

Marks of the absent student only will be deducted.

For courses with grade-based evaluation, the final grades for a course shall be computed as follows:

- (a) Computing of the grade cut-offs on the basis of the total marks secured by students in a course before the mass cut.
- (b) Awarding grades as per the grade ranges calculated at (a) above, but on basis of the adjusted marks.

Example: If a student has indulged in two mass cuts and has scored 80 marks in the concerned course. For the calculation of grade cut-offs the actual marks scored by all the students will be considered. However, while assigning the actual grade the marks of this student will be the adjusted marks $80 (A) - 4 (D) = 76$.

For courses with marks-based evaluation, the adjusted marks will be reported on the grade card.

2. Mass Bunk from an MSE or ESE

The students involved in mass cut will be awarded zero marks in the concerned exam.

In addition to the deduction of marks, further disciplinary action as decided by the University may be taken.

Students involved in mass cuts will be put on Disciplinary Probation for the entire duration of their programme at the University, and will not be entitled for any special privilege.