



## VEER SURENDRA SAI UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY, BURLA

### Department of Metallurgy & Materials Engineering

#### LESSON PLAN-Composite Materials

**Subject Name** : Composite materials

**Credits** : 3-1-0

**Department** : Metallurgy & Materials Engineering

**Session** : 2016-17 (Even Semester)

**Level** : Undergraduate (VIII-Semester)

**Course Instructor** : Renu Prava Dalai

**Category** : Compulsory course for all B.Tech VIII Semester students of MME Department.

Class Schedule			
Monday – B321	Tuesday – B321	Thursday – B321	Friday – B321
8:50-9:40 AM	8:50-9:40 AM	4:10-5:00 PM	3:20-4:10 PM

Marks Distribution		
End Term	Mid Term	Assignments + Class Test
<b>70</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>Total -100 Marks</b>		

#### Required Text book

1. Cost-free, PowerPoint visuals & extended notes are furnished to students by Instructor
2. Composite materials science and engineering by Krishna K chawla

Renu prava Dalai  
Course Coordinator

## COURSE CONTENTS

Sl. No	TOPIC	HOURS
<b>Module-I</b>		
1.	<b>Introduction to Composites and Matrices</b>	<b>1</b>
2.	<b>Reinforcements</b>	<b>1</b>
3.	<b>Classifications of Composites, its applications and advantages</b>	<b>1</b>
4.	<b>Fundamental concept of reinforcement</b>	<b>1</b>
5.	<b>Review of current developments; design &amp; fabrication and economic considerations</b>	<b>1</b>
6.	<b>Basic mechanics of reinforcement</b>	<b>1</b>
7.	<b>Stiffness of parallel arrays of fibres in a matrix</b>	<b>1</b>
8.	<b>Discontinuous and particulate reinforcement</b>	
<b>Module-II</b>		
9.	<b>Fibres and resin materials</b>	<b>1</b>
10.	<b>Rule of Mixtures</b>	<b>1</b>
11.	<b>Critical Fiber Length</b>	<b>1</b>
12.	<b>Short and Continuous Fibers</b>	<b>1</b>
13.	<b>Fiber Orientation Matrix and Reinforcement Materials</b>	<b>1</b>
14.	<b>Polymeric Matrices, Metallic Matrices, Ceramic Matrices</b>	<b>1</b>
15.	<b>Particulates, Flakes, Whiskers</b>	<b>1</b>
16.	<b>Fibers: C, B, Glass, Aramid, Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, SiC,</b>	<b>1</b>
17.	<b>Nature and manufacture of glass, carbon and aramid fibres</b>	<b>1</b>
18.	<b>Review of the principal thermosetting and thermoplastic polymer matrix systems for composites</b>	<b>1</b>
19.	<b>Polymer Matrix Composites (PMCs), Metal Matrix Composites (MMCs)</b>	<b>1</b>
20.	<b>Ceramic Matrix Composites (CMCs), CFRP &amp; Carbon/Carbon Composites (CCCs)</b>	<b>1</b>
	<b>Class Test-I</b>	
<b>Module -III</b>		
21.	<b>Types of Manufacturing, Processing methods</b>	<b>1</b>
22.	<b>Interfaces, Properties, Applications</b>	<b>1</b>
23.	<b>Toughening Mechanisms</b>	<b>1</b>
24.	<b>Fiber Forms, Prepregs, Molding Compounds-Processes</b>	<b>1</b>
25.	<b>Lay-Ups</b>	<b>1</b>
26.	<b>Filament Winding</b>	<b>1</b>
27.	<b>Pultrusion, Recycling</b>	<b>1</b>
28.	<b>Matrix- Reinforcement Interface, Wettability</b>	<b>1</b>
29.	<b>Interactions at Interface, Interfacial Bonding Types, Interfacial Strength Tests, The role of the interface</b>	<b>1</b>
30.	<b>The nature of fiber surfaces, wetting and adhesion</b>	
<b>Module -IV</b>		
31.	<b>Strength, Stiffness, Fracture Toughness of Composites</b>	<b>1</b>

32.	<b>Toughening mechanisms of composites</b>	<b>1</b>
33.	<b>Strengths of unidirectional composites</b>	<b>1</b>
34.	<b>Multiple fracture in laminates</b>	<b>1</b>
35.	<b>Macroscopic fracture and energy dissipating processes</b>	<b>1</b>
36.	<b>Application of fracture mechanics to composite materials</b>	<b>1</b>
37.	<b>Fracture Mechanics and Fracture Toughness in Composites</b>	<b>1</b>
38.	<b>Linear Elastic fracture mechanics, Toughness, Fiber matrix de-bonding</b>	<b>1</b>
39.	<b>Fiber Pullout Buckling and Post-Buckling. Failure criteria, Fatigue and Creep in composites</b>	<b>1</b>
40.	<b>Environmental effects in Composites, Green composites. Synthesis and Properties of Nanocomposites</b>	<b>1</b>
	<b>Class Test-II</b>	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>40</b>