## NAM COLLEGE KALLIKKANDY

### **DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES**

#### CERTIFICATE COURSE IN STORES MANAGEMENT

#### **OBJECTIVES**

The syllabus is designed to assess the candidates' basic knowledge of store management, customer's satisfaction and the understanding of entrepreneurial skill in managing a small or big store.

- (i) Understanding of the rudiments of running a store and entrepreneurial skill.
- (ii) understanding of the concepts of wholesaling and retailing, basic business Documents and how to handle business finance.
- (iii) Ability to relate concepts learnt to control stock, keep records and manage business risk.

Module 1 :

Meaning of store management, Importance of store management; Functions of a store manager; Characteristics of a store manager; Customer services: - pre sale services - after sale services ,Functions of Management: Planning; Organization; Leading; Staffing; Controlling. Factors to be considered in establishing a store – Market, Finance, types of stock

(10 HRS)

Module 2 :

Retailing- Definition; Functions of a retailer; Wholesaling: Definition; Functions of a wholesaler; Warehousing; - Meaning of warehousing - types of warehousing; - importance of warehousing; Transportation, definition; - means of transportation; - advantages and disadvantages of each means of transportation; - factors that will determine the choice of transport.

(10 HRS)

Module 3 :

Introduction to Stock Control: Meaning of stock control; Importance of stock control; Types of stock records-Stock list, Bin card/ Store Card, Store requisition form and Delivery notes. Methods of Stock Control: Manual method; - Periodic, perpetual and annual stock taking. Computerized method; Levels of stock control; - maximum level. - minimum level. - reorder level.

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