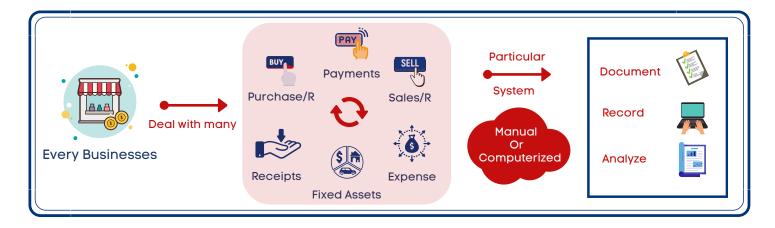
# PRACTICAL ACCOUNTING COURSE SYLLABUS





#### **Business Fundamentals**

Covers fundamentals off accounting like accounting terms and business structures.

<u>Accounting Glossary:</u> A list of accounting terms and definitions used in accounting.

<u>Types of Businesses:</u> Various organizational structures and legal forms under which a business can operate.

<u>Business Models:</u> Different types of business models. i.e. Service, Trading , Manufacturing and Hybrid are discussed.

Accounting Documentation: Concept & implication of supporting documents

#### Introduction to Accounting

It explains the major financial transactions and functions of accountants. It includes:

How Accounting Really Works: A process flow that summarize the accountant's tasks in an organization.

Financial Transactions: It refers to the exchange of monetary values between two parties, such as the purchase, sale, etc.

<u>Purchase</u>: Buying goods with the intention to sale in normal business operation.

Fixed Assets: Long term assets that an entity intends to use to generate income, such as, vehicles, computers, buildings, etc.

**Expenses:** Costs incurred by a business to generate revenue. like, rent, salaries, etc.

<u>Sales:</u> Exchange of goods or services for money or other consideration to generate revenue.

<u>Payment:</u> Payment refers to the transfer of money or other value from one party to another in exchange for goods or services.

<u>Receipt:</u> Receipt refers to the he process of receiving cash or equivalent in exchange for goods or services.

<u>Accounting Functions:</u> Covers the essential as well as regulatory functions of an Accountant which includes:

Documenting Financial Transaction Recording in Accounting System Analyzing & Interpreting Accounting Data

#### Accounting System

<u>Manual Accounting:</u> Discussion on Manual Accounting System in which Purchase Register, Sales Register, Stock Book, Party Ledger, Cash Book, etc are maintained.

<u>Computerized Accounting</u>: Discussion on the computerized accounting system in which accounting is done through different software like Tally, Busy, Swastik, etc.

### Taxation System in Nepal

Covers the fundamentals of Income Tax, VAT & TDS in Nepal:

Income Tax: Tax levied by the government on the income earned by individuals, businesses, and other entities.

Fundamentals of VAT: Tax levied at each stage of the supply chain where value is added, from initial production to point of sale

VAT Return Filing Process: Process to file VAT return in the portal of IRD.

<u>Fundamentals of TDS:</u> TDS is a specific amount that is withheld at the time of payment like commission, salary, etc,

ETDS Filing Process: Process of filing E-TDS return in the portal of IRD.

# **Financial Entries & Reports**

Financial Entries of the transactions & Reports to be prepared by a business annually to summarize it's position and performance.

<u>The Accounting Story:</u> A case study as an accountant of a newly formed business to practice all the accounting entries and treatment in books of account.

<u>Entering Transactions:</u> Journal Entry Guide and debit credit rule related to different financial transactions.

<u>Using Bank Statement:</u> Entries and other functions where bank statement is involved, like, capital increment, loan, loan repayment.

<u>Understanding Ledgers:</u> Ledgers are the books that record and organize financial transactions, for each account. <u>Trial Balance:</u> It is a statement of all accounts with their balances prepared to check the mathematical accuracy of data entered.

Financial Reports: Financial Reports measure the performance & position of a business in standardized way.

#### Accounting in Software

<u>Starting with Tally Prime:</u> Covers installing tally prime, creating a company and creating accounting & inventory masters.

<u>Working with Tally Prime</u>: Entering different transaction vouchers, generating reports from tally and exporting them.

## Annual Functions

Covers annual compliance functions of an accountant in every businesses:

<u>General Business Functions</u>: Functions like Books Closure, Data Split, Stock Verification, Starting a Financial Years etc.

Bank Reconciliation: Banking functions to be carried out after year end, i.e. Bank Confirmation Letter & Bank Reconciliation

<u>Confirmations & Annex. 13:</u> Confirmation Letter has to be sent to all stakeholders having crossed the reporting threshold.

<u>Annual Adjustments</u>: During an audit time, accountant needs to adjust their books with several adjustment entries.

#### Onboarding

<u>Resume Writing:</u> Making the first impression to a potential employer with neatly crafted and well documented resume.

Interview Guides: Frequently asked questions, interview etiquettes, preparing your best version and after interview guides.

Accounting Checklist: Lists Daily, Weekly, Monthly, Quarterly and Yearly tasks to be performed in a corporate.

<u>Career Growth</u>: How an a fresher can make progression in career from an accountant to accounts manager to ultimately CFO.