Syllabus : Trade Certificate in Motor Vehicle

- Admission & introduction to the trade: Introduction to the Course duration, course content, study of the syllabus. General rule pertaining to the Institute, facilities available— Hostel, Recreation, Medical and Library working hours and time table.
 - **Occupational Safety & Health**: Importance of Safety and general Precautions to be observed in the shop. Basic first aid, safety signs for Danger, Warning, caution & personal safety message. Safe handling of Fuel Spillage, Fire extinguishers used for different types of fire. Safe disposal of toxic dust, safe handling and Periodic testing of lifting equipment, Authorization of Moving & road testing vehicles.
 - **Energy conservation**: Definition, Energy Conservation Opportunities (ECOs)-Minor ECos and Medium ECOs, Major ECOs), Safety disposal of Used engine oil, Electrical safety tips. Introduction to road safety and Automotive emissions.
- 2. **Hand & Power Tools:** Marking scheme, Marking material-chalk, Prussian blue. Cleaning tools-Scraper, wire brush, Emery paper, Description, care and use of Surface plates, steel rule, measuring tape, try square. Callipers-inside and outside. Dividers, surface gauges, scriber, punches-prick punch, centre punch, pin punch, hollow punch, number and letter punch. Chiselflat, cross-cut. Hammer- ball pein, lump, mallet. Screw drivers-blade screwdriver, Phillips screw driver, Ratchet screwdriver. Allen key, bench vice &C clamps, Spanners- ring spanner, open end spanner & the combination spanner, universal adjustable open end spanner. Sockets & accessories, Pliers Combination pliers, multi grip, long nose, flat-nose, Nippers or pincer pliers, Sidecutters, Tin snips, Circlips pliers, external circlips pliers. Air impact wrench, air ratchet, wrenches- Torque wrenches, pipe wrenches, car jet washers Pipe flaring & cutting tool, pullers-Gear and bearing. (21 hrs)
- 3. **Systems of measurement**: Description, care & use of Micrometers- Outside and depth micrometer, Micrometer adjustments, Vernier callipers, Telescope gauges, Dial bore gauges, Dial indicators, straightedge, feeler gauge, thread pitch gauge, vacuum gauge, tire pressure gauge. (17 hrs)
- 4. **Drilling machine** Description and study of Bench type Drilling machine, Portable electrical Drilling machine, drill holding devices, Work Holding devices, Drill bits.
 - **Taps and Dies**: Hand Taps and wrenches, Calculation of Tap drill sizes for metric and inch taps. Different type of Die and Die stock. Screw extractors.
 - **Hand Reamers** Different Type of hand reamers, Drill size for reaming, Lapping abrasives, type of Laps.
- 5. **Basic electricity**, Electricity principles, Ground connections, Ohm's law, Voltage, Current, Resistance, Power, Energy. Voltmeter, ammeter, Ohmmeter Mulitmeter, Conductors & insulators, Wires, Shielding, Length vs. resistance, Resistor ratings.
- Fuses & circuit breakers, Ballast resistor, Stripping wire insulation, cable colour codes and sizes,
 Resistors in Series circuits, Parallel circuits and Series-parallel circuits, Electrostatic effects,
 Capacitors and its applications, Capacitors in series and parallel.
- Description of Chemical effects, Batteries & cells, Lead acid batteries & Stay Maintenance Free (SMF) batteries, Magnetic effects, Heating effects, Thermoelectric energy, Thermisters, Thermo couples, Electrochemical energy, Photo-voltaic energy, Piezoelectric energy, Electromagnetic induction, Relays, Solenoids, Primary & Secondary windings, Transformers, stator and rotor coils.

- **Basic electronics**: Description of Semi conductors, Solid state devices- Diodes, Transistors, Thyristors, Uni Junction Transistors (UJT), Metal Oxide Field Effect Transistors (MOSFETs). (14 hrs)
- 8. Introduction to Hydraulics & Pneumatics: Definition of Pascal law, pressure, Force, viscosity. Description, symbols and application in automobile of Gear pump Internal & External, single acting, double acting & Double ended cylinder; Directional control valves2/2, 3/2, 4/2, 4/3 way valve, Pressure relief valve, Non return valve, Flow control valve used in automobile. Pneumatic Symbols, Description and function of air Reciprocating Compressor. Function of Air service unit (FRL-Filter, Regulator & Lubricator).
- 9. Auto Industry History, leading manufacturers, development in automobile industry, trends, new product. Brief about Ministry of Road transport & Highways, The Automotive Research Association of India (ARAI), National Automotive Testing and R&D Infrastructure Project (NATRIP), & Automobile Association.
 - Definition: Classification of vehicles on the basis of load as per central motor vehicle rule, wheels, final drive, and fuel used, axles, position of engine and steering transmission, body and load. Brief description and uses of Vehicle hoists Two post and four post hoist, Engine hoists, Jacks, Stands.
- 10. Introduction to Engine: Description of internal & external combustion engines, Classification of IC engines, Principle & working of 2&4-stroke diesel engine (Compression ignition Engine (C.I)), Principle of Spark Ignition Engine(SI), differentiate between 2 stroke and 4 stroke, C.I engine and S.I Engine, Direct injection and Indirectinjection, Technical terms used in engine, Engine specification. Study of various gauges/instrument on a dash board of a vehicle- Speedometer, Tachometer, Odometer and Fuel gauge, and Indicators such as gearshift position, Seat belt warning light, Parking-brake engagement warning light and an Engine-malfunction light. Different type of starting and stopping method of Diesel Engine. Procedure for dismantling of diesel engine from a vehicle.

Petrol Engine Basics: 4-stroke spark-ignition engines- Basic 4-stroke principles. Spark-ignition engine components- Basic engine components, Engine cams & camshaft, Engine power transfer, Scavenging, Counter weights, Piston components.

- Intake & exhaust systems: Electronic fuel injection systems, Exhaust systems. Intake system components, Air cleaners, Carburettor air cleaners, EFI air cleaners, Intake manifolds, Intake air heating. Gasoline Fuel Systems: Description of Gasoline fuel, Gasoline fuel characteristics, Controlling fuel burn, Stoichiometric ratio, Air density, Fuel supply system, Pressure &vacuum.
- 11. **Engine Components**: Description and Constructional feature of Cylinder head, Importance of Cylinder head design, Type of Petrol and Diesel combustion chambers, Effect on size of Intake & exhaust passages, Head gaskets. Importance of Turbulence.
 - Valves& Valve Trains- Description and Function of Engine Valves, different types, materials, Type of valve operating mechanism, Importance of Valve seats, and Valve seats inserts in cylinder heads, importance of Valve rotation, Valve stem oil seals, size of Intake valves, Valve trains, Valve- timing diagram, concept of Variable valve timing. Description of Camshafts & drives, Description of Overhead camshaft, importance of Cam lobes, Timing belts & chains, Timing belts & tensioners.
- 12. Description & functions of different types of **pistons**, piston rings and piston pins and materials. Used recommended clearances for the rings and its necessity precautions while fitting rings, common troubles and remedy. Compression ratio.
 - Description & function of **connecting rod**, importance of big- end split obliquely, Materials used for connecting rods big end & main bearings. Shells piston pins and locking methods of piston pins.

- 13. Description and function of **Crank shaft**, camshaft, Engine bearings- classification and location materials used & composition of bearing materials- Shell bearing and their advantages- special bearings material for diesel engine application bearing failure & its causes-care & maintenance. Crank-shaft balancing, Firing order of the engine.
- 14. Description and function of the fly wheel and vibration damper. Crank case & oil pump, gears timing mark, Chain sprockets, chain tensioner etc. Function of clutch & coupling units attached to flywheel.
- 15. Description of Cylinder block, Cylinder block construction, and Different type of Cylinder sleeves (liner).
- Need for Cooling systems, Heat transfer method, Boiling point & pressure, Centrifugal force, Vehicle coolant properties and recommended change of interval, Different type of cooling systems,

Basic cooling system components- Radiator, Coolant hoses, Water pump, Cooling system thermostat, Cooling fans, Temperature indicators, Radiator pressure cap, Recovery system, Thermo-switch.

Need for lubrication system, Functions of oil, Viscosity and its grade as per SAE, Oil additives, Synthetic oils, The lubrication system, Splash system, Pressure system, Corrosion/noise reduction in the lubrication system. Lubrication system components - Description and function of Sump, Oil collection pan, Oil tank, Pickup tube, different type of Oil pump & Oil filters Oil pressure relief valve, Spurt holes & galleries, Oil indicators, Oil cooler.

- 17. **Intake system components** Description and function of Air cleaners, Different type air cleaner, Description of Intake manifolds and material,
 - **Exhaust system components** Description and function of Exhaust manifold, Exhaust pipe, Extractors, Mufflers- Reactive, absorptive, Combination., Catalytic converters, Flexibleconnections, Ceramic coatings, Back-pressure, Electronic mufflers.
- 18. Diesel Fuel Systems- Description and function of Diesel fuel injection, fuel characteristics, concept of Quiet diesel technology & Clean diesel technology. Diesel fuel system components Description and function of Diesel tanks & lines, Diesel fuel filters, water separator, Lift pump, Plunger pump, Priming pump, Inline injection pump, Distributor-type injection pump, Diesel injectors, Glow plugs, Cummins & Detroit Diesel injection. Electronic Diesel control- Electronic Diesel control systems, Common Rail Diesel Injection (CRDI) system, Hydraulically actuated electronically controlled unit injector (HEUI) diesel injection system. Sensors, actuators and ECU (Electronic Control Unit) used in Diesel Engines.
- 19. **Engine assembly** procedure with aid of special tools and gauges used for engine assembling. Introduction toGas Turbine, Comparison of single and two stage turbine engine, Different between gas turbine and Diesel Engine.
- 20. **Emission Control**:- Vehicle emissions Standards- Euro and Bharatll, III, IV, V Sources of emission, Combustion, Combustion chamber design. **Types of emissions**: Characteristics and Effect of Hydrocarbons, Hydrocarbons in exhaust gases, Oxides of nitrogen, Particulates, Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide, Sulphur content in fuels Description of Evaporation emission control, Catalytic conversion, Closed loop, Crankcase emission control, Exhaust gas recirculation (EGR) valve, ,Controlling air fuel ratios, Charcoal storage devices, Diesel particulate filter (DPF). Selective Catalytic Reduction (SCR), EGR VS SCR
- 21. Description .of charging circuit operation of alternators, regulator unit, ignition warning lamptroubles and remedy in charging system. Description of starter motor circuit, Constructional details of starter motor solenoid switches, common troubles and remedy in starter circuit.

- 22. **Troubleshooting**: Causes and remedy for Engine Not startingMechanical & Electrical causes, High fuel consumption, Engine overheating, Low Power Generation, Excessive oil consumption, Low/High Engine Oil Pressure, Engine Noise.
- 23. **Introduction**: Study of different major components & assemblies of heavy vehicle, and different make (indigenous). Name plate constructional differences and their merits. leading manufacturers in Heavy vehicle Industry.

Clutches & Manual Transmissions-Clutch principles, Single-plate clutches, Multi-plate clutches, Dual mass flywheels, Operating mechanisms

Clutch components- Pressure plate, Driven/ center plate, Throwout bearing.

Manual transmissions- Gear ratios, Compound gear trains, Gear selection, Bearings, Oil seals & gaskets, Brief about Automated Manual Transmission (AMT)

Gearbox layout & operation- Gearbox layouts, Transaxle designs, Gearbox operation, Baulkring synchromesh unit, Transaxle synchromesh unit.Gear shift mechanism.

- 24. **Final Drive & Drive Shafts** Basic layouts Front-wheel drive layout, Rear-wheel drive layout, Four-wheel drive layout, All-wheel drive layout, 4WD v/s AWD Front-wheel drive, Front-wheel drive shafts, Front-wheel final drives, Front-wheel differentials Rear-wheel drive- Propeller shaft, Type of Universal joints, Type of Constant velocity Joints, Rear-wheel final drives, Salisbury axles, Rear-wheel drive differentials, Limited slip differentials. Four-wheel drive- Four-wheel drive shafts, Four-wheel final drive, Four-wheel drive transfer case, Freewheeling hubs, Four-wheel drive differentials All-wheel drive- four wheel final drives, All-wheel drive transfer case, Transfer case differential action.
- 25. Automatic Transmissions Torque converters, Torque converter principles, drive plate, Converter operation, Torque multiplication, Fluid flow, Heat exchanger, Lockup converters, clutches. Planetary gearing- Planetary gears, Simple planetary gear sets, Compound planetary gear sets, Automatic transmission brake bands, Multi-disc clutches, Electronic control transmission -Electronic control Unit, Fully hydraulically controlled transmission, Electronic shift programs, Manual selection. Layout & operation for P,R,N&D (First & Second) Selector positions, Planetary gear set, High range power flow, Low range power flow Servos & clutches-Rear servo, Front servo, One way clutch, Multi-plate frontclutch, Clutch pack, Rear clutch. Hydraulic system &controls Hydraulic system components, Spool valves, Regulating or flow control valves, Control valves, Orifices. Valve types & functions- Basic valve action, Regulator & control valves, Shift & governor valves. Pressure regulation- The primary regulating valve, Line pressure variation, Modulator valve pressure, The governor, Governor pressure, Kick down pressure. Flow control- Gear position 1, 1-2 shift valve, 2-3 shift valve assembly, The servo orifice control valve, 3-2 kick down. Continuously variable transmission (C.V.T.) Continuously variable transmission, Drive or reverse, The steel belt, Secondary pulley shaft.
- 26. **Steering Systems**: Description and function of Steering systems, Principles of steering, Rackand-pinion steering system, Recirculation ball & nut steering system, Four-wheelsteering systems, collapsible steering system. Steering boxes & columns Description and function of Steering columns, Rack-and pinion gearbox, Helix, Variable ratio steering, Worm gearbox, Power Assisted steering, Steering process, Flow-control valve, Electric power assisted steering, Basic electric power steering operation Steering arms & components- Forward control vehicle steering, Steering linkages, Joints, Bushes/bushings Wheel alignment fundamentals:- Basic principles of wheel alignment, wheel base, wheel track, king pin inclination, Caster, Camber, Scrub radius, Toe-in & toe out, Toe-out on turns, Turning radius, Thrust angle ¢relines.
- 27. **Suspension Systems:** Principles of suspension, Suspension force, Unsprung weight, Wheel unit location, Dampening. Types of suspension-Suspension systems, Solid axle, Dead axle, Description, function and advantages of non independent suspension Independent suspension,

Rear independent suspension, Rear-wheel drive independent suspension, electronically controlled air suspension (ECAS), Adaptive air suspension operation. Types of springs - Description and function of Coil springs, Leaf springs, Torsion bars, Rubber springs. Shock absorber types- Description and function of Hydraulic shock absorbers, Gas-pressurized shock absorbers, Load adjustable shock absorbers, Manual adjustable-rate shock absorbers, Electronic adjustable-rate shock absorbers, Automatic load adjustable shock absorbers Front suspension types & components- Mc person Strut suspension, Short/long arm suspension, Torsion bar suspension Rear suspension types & components-Rigid axle leaf spring suspension, Rigid axle coilspring suspension, Independent type suspension, Rigid non-drive suspension.

- 28. Wheels &Tyres-Wheel types & sizes Wheels, Rim sizes & designations, Types of wheels Tyre types & characteristics- Tyres, Radial ply tyres, Radial ply tyre sidewalls, Tyre pressure monitoring systems, Run flat tyres, Space-saver tyres, Tyre distortion, Center of gravity. Tyre construction-Tyre construction, Types of tyre construction, Tyre materials, Hysteresis, Tyre sizes & designations, Tyre information, Tyre tread designs, Tyre ratings for temperature & traction. Descriptions Tirewear Patterns and causes Nitrogen v/s atmospheric air in tyres.
- 29. **Braking Systems**: Principles of braking, Drum & disc brakes, Lever/mechanical advantage, Hydraulic pressure & force, Brake pad, Regenerative braking. Braking systems Brake type principles, Air brakes, Exhaust brakes, Electric brakes, Parking brakes, Engine brakes, Regenerative braking. Braking system components Park brake system, Brake pedal, Brake lines, Brake fluid, Bleeding, Master cylinder, Divided systems, Tandem master cylinder, Power booster or brake unit, Hydraulic brake booster, Electro hydraulic braking (EHB), Applying brakes, Brake force, Brake light switch Drum brakes & components -Drum brake system, Drum brake operation, Brake linings & shoes, Back plate, Wheel cylinders Disc brakes & components Disc brake system, Disc brake operation, Disc brake rotors, Disc brake pads, Disc brake callipers, Proportioning valves, Proportioning valve operation, Brake friction materials Antilock braking system & components-ABS brake system, Antilock braking system operation, Principles of ABS braking, ABS master cylinder, Hydraulic control unit, Wheel speed sensors, ABS with EBD electronic control unit. The construction and operation of heavy vehicle Anti-Slip Regulation /Traction Control (ASR) system. Introduction to Electromagnetic retarder brake (EMR) and Engine exhaust brake.
- 30. Licensing of drivers & conductors, Registration of vehicle, Traffic rules, Signals & controls, Accidents, Causes & analysis, Responsibility of driver, Offences, penalties & procedures, Different types of forms, Government administration structure, Personnel, Authorities & duties, Rules regarding construction of motor vehicles, Tax exemption & tax renewal, Insurance types & significance Comprehensive. Third party insurance, Duty of driver in case of accident.
- 31. Introduction to EFI Engine Management EFI operation Modes of EFI, Electronic fuel injection, Idle speed control systems, Feedback & looping, Cold start systems, Air measurement, Air-flow monitoring, Variable intake manifold system, Electrical functions, EFI wiring diagram Electronic control unit (ECU) EFI system ECU, Electroniccontrol unit settings, Engine speed limiting, Malfunction indicator lamp. Importance of Diagnostic Trouble Code (DTC) & its general format. Use of scan tool and retrievals of codes. EFI sensors- Intake Temperature sensor, Mass airflow sensor, Manifold absolute pressure sensor, Air vortex sensor, Fuel system sensor, Throttle position sensor, Exhaust gas oxygen sensor, Crank angle sensor, Hall effect voltage sensor.
- 32. Ignition principles and Faraday's laws, Primary and secondary winding of transformer, Ignition components, Spark plugs, Spark plug components, Vacuum & centrifugal units, Plug firing voltage, Induction, Inductive system operation, Induction wiring, Hall effect sensors, Hall effect operation, Optical type sensors Distributor less ignition systems, Insulated coils, Distributor less ignition system timing.

- 33. **Charging system** The purpose of Charging system, charging system components, charging system circuit, Alternator principles, Alternating current, Alternator components, Rectification, Phase winding connections, Rotor circuit, Voltage regulation, System operating voltage, High voltage charging systems, Rotor, Stator, Alternator end frames, Slip ring & brush assembly, Rectifier assembly, Alternator cooling fan.
- 34. **Starting system** purpose of starting system, Staring system components, Startermotor principles, study of starter control circuits. Starter motor construction, Starter magnet types, Starter motor engagement, Commutation, Switching, solenoid construction.
- 35. Lighting system, Lamps/light bulbs, Lamp/light bulb information, LED lighting, Headlights-description of standard sealed beam, halogen sealed beam, composite and High intensity discharge (HID) headlights. Headlight & dimmer circuits, Park & tail light circuits, Brake light circuits, turn signal circuit, Cornering lights, Fog lights circuit, interior lights- courtesy, reading and instrument panel lights, Smart lighting, Reverse lights.
- 36. Heating Ventilation Air Conditioning (HVAC) legislation, Vehicle heating, ventilation & cooling systems, Basic air conditioning principles, Air conditioning capacity, Air conditioning refrigerant, Humidity Description and function of Fixed orifice, Control devices, Thermostatic expansion valve system, Thermal expansion valves, Air conditioning compressors, Condensers & evaporators, Receiver drier, Lines & hoses, TX valve construction, Temperature monitoring thermostat, Refrigerants, Pressure switches, Heating elements. Air-conditioning ECU, Ambient air temperature sensor, Servo motors, Electric servo motors, Automatic climate control sensors, Evaporator temperature sensor, Blower speed control, Ventilation systems.
- 37. Accessories: Horn Circuit, Wiper Circuit, power window components and circuit. Power door lock circuit, automatic door lock circuit, remote keyless entry system circuit, antitheft system, immobilizer system. Navigation system, Car radio and cassette player, car videos. Description and function of Airbags, Seatbelt, Vehicle safety systems, Crash sensors, Seat belt pretensioners, Tire pressure monitoring systems. Integrated communications, Proximity sensors, Reflective displays, Global positioning satellites, Triangulation/trilateration, Telematics. Networking & multiplexing. Introduction to Hybrid & Electronic vehicle, Hydrogen fuel cell vehicle, Electrical & Electronic architecture.
- 38. Locating vehicle information, Obtaining & interpreting scan tool data, Using a repair manual, Using a shop manual, Using an owner's manual, Using a labour guide, Using a parts program, Using a service information program.

39. Workshop Science and Calculation:

- Introduction to Iron and Steel. Differences in Iron & steel.
- Introduction to Property and uses of C.I. and wrought Iron., Iron and steel properties and uses.
- Properties and uses of plain carbon steel and alloy steel.
- > Properties and uses of non ferrous metals and alloys Fraction and decimal conversion fraction decimal and vice-versa.
- Properties and uses of copper, zinc, lead, tin, aluminum.
- Composition, properties and uses of brass, bronze, solder, bearing material, timber, rubber etc.
- > System of units, British, metric and SI units for length, area, volume capacity, weight, time, angle, their conversions., Effect of alloying elements in the properties of C.I. & steel.
- Unit of temperature for & related problems. Standard & absolute temp.

- Mass, volume, density, weight, sp. Gravity & specific weight. S.I. M.K.S. and F.P.S. units of force, weight etc. their conversion to related problems.
- > Inertia, rest and motion, velocity and acceleration.
- > Types of forces, its units and Weight calculation.
- Revision & Test, Power and roots Factor, Power base exponents number. Multiplication and division of power and root of a number. Square root of number and problems.
- ➤ Heat & temperature, thermometric scales, their conversions.
- Work energy and power, their units and applied problems.
- Percentage, changing percentage to decimal and fraction and vice versa. Applied problems.
- Problem on percentage related to trade.
- ➤ Different types of loads, stress, strain, modulus of elasticity. Ultimate strength, different types of stress, factor of safety, examples.
- Ratio & proportion- Ratio, finding forms ratio proportions, direct proportion and indirect proportion. Application of ratio and proportion & related problems.

40. Engineering Drawing:

- > Engineering Drawing introduction to Engg. Drawing and its importance.
- ➤ Use of drawing instruments —Drawing of straight, inclined and curved lines.
- Exercise on linear and angular measurements.
- > Types of lines their meaning & application as per BIS SP: 46-2003.
- ➤ Simple conventional symbols for material and parts as per BIS SP: 46-2003. , Geometrical construction of rectangles, square, circles.
- ➤ Geometrical construction of polygon and ellipse, parabola & hyperbola.
- ➤ Geometrical construction of involutes, oval, and helix.
- Free hand sketching of straight lines, rectangles, circles, square, polygons, ellipse.
- > Standard printing style for letters and numbers as per BIS: SP: 46-2003 using stencils
- > Free hand sketching of simple geometrical solids, cube, cone, prism, cylinder, sphere, pyramids.
- Scales- Types & its use.
- Revision & Test, Construction of diagonal scale.
- ➤ Simple dimensioning technique, size and location, dimensions of parts, holes angles, taper, screw etc. as per BIS SP: 46-2003.
- > Transferring measurements for linear, angular, circular dimensions form the given object to the related free hand sketches using different measuring instruments.
- Pictorial drawings, isometric drawings of simple geometrical solids.
- > Oblique/orthographic projection of simple geometrical solids.
- Orthographic drawings: Application of both the first angle and third angle. Isometric drawing of simple machined & casting blocks.
- > Free hand sketches of trade related hand tools and measuring tools

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