DiGyan - Curriculum

Curriculum

The programme will include lectures structured around six modules as follows:

Module I: Business, marketing & e-marketing

- What is digital marketing?
 - Basics of marketing
 - What changed in traditional marketing
 - Why the move was made to digital marekting
- Advantages of digital medium over other media
- Digital medium in today's marketing plan
 - Digital marketing inception
 - Digital marketing today
 - The future with digital marketing
 - Types of Digital Marketing and their applications in various sectors of the industry.

Module II: Search marketing

- Overview of Google AdWords
- Why Google Adwords
- Which all industry is this applicable to.
- Basic campaign setup
- Keyword research and analysis

Tracking the success of SEM

Module III: Social media marketing

- Social media for various businesses: B2C & B2B
- What platforms needs to be chosen for various sectors
- How to think of a social media campaign
- Choosing the right approach that matters
- Setting up of the campaign.
- Optimising the campaign.
- Reading the right numbers.
- Measuring social media ROI
- Content marketing: Storytelling in social media

Module IV: Display marketing

- Different kinds of display marketing
- The display marketing ecosystem
- What type of display marketing
- How to think of a display marketing campaign
- Setting up the campaign
- Reading the right numbers
- Optimising the campaign

- Getting the desired audience work.
- Retargeting & dynamic retargeting

Module V: Mobile Marketing

- Different kinds of mobile marketing
- What needs to go on mobile and how.
- The mobile marketing ecosystem

Module VI: Web analytics

- Introduction to Google Analytics
- Interpreting the data in Google Analytics
- Making the Google Analytics data work for the business.
- How to give the final verdict of your campaign performance with google analytics.

End Term Project - Bonus

Live campaign creation & optimization

Detailed Curriculum

Module I: Business, Marketing & E-Marketing

1. What is Digital Marketing?

- **Content**: Definition, evolution from traditional marketing, scope in the modern world.
- Material: PPT slides, timeline chart, short video explainer.

2. Basics of Marketing

- **Content**: 4Ps (Product, Price, Place, Promotion), STP (Segmentation, Targeting, Positioning).
- Material: Diagrams, real-world brand strategy examples, quiz on 4Ps.

3. What Changed in Traditional Marketing?

- Content: Print → digital shift, broadcast vs. personalized targeting.
- Material: Case study comparing newspaper vs. Facebook ads.

4. Why the Move to Digital Marketing?

- Content: Cost-effectiveness, targeting precision, trackability.
- Material: Charts on ROI comparisons, infographics.

5. Advantages of Digital Medium over Other Media

- **Content**: Interactivity, measurable, automation, scalability.
- Material: Comparison tables, KPI dashboard mockups.

6. Digital Medium in Today's Marketing Plan

• **Content**: Integrated marketing approach, omnichannel planning.

• Material: Marketing plan template, campaign planner Excel sheet.

7. Digital Marketing Inception \rightarrow Today \rightarrow Future

- **Content**: Evolution timeline, major innovations (SEO, social, automation, AI), trends ahead.
- Material: Timeline poster, video series, blog articles.

8. Types of Digital Marketing & Applications

- Content: SEO, SEM, SMM, Email, Display, Affiliate, Influencer, Mobile, Analytics.
- **Material**: 1-page summary handouts, industry mapping sheet (which type suits which sector).

Module II: Search Marketing

1. Basics of Search (Organic vs Paid)

- **Content**: SERP anatomy, difference in approach & outcomes.
- Material: Interactive SERP simulator, cheat sheet.

2. Overview of Google Ads (AdWords)

- **Content**: How it works, auction model, ad formats.
- Material: Google Ads dashboard demo (screenshots), glossary.

3. Why Google Ads + Applicability Across Industries

• Content: User intent targeting, B2B/B2C fit.

• Material: Sector-specific examples, lead funnel diagrams.

4. Campaign Setup Basics

- **Content**: Structure (Campaign > Ad Group > Ad), settings.
- Material: Google Ads walkthrough, campaign setup assignment.

5. Keyword Research & Analysis

- Content: Search intent, match types, tools (Google KW Planner, SEMrush, Ubersuggest).
- Material: KW research worksheet, use-case templates.

6. Tracking Success of SEM

- Content: CTR, CPC, Conversion Rate, ROAS.
- Material: KPI dashboard, real vs. expected data sheets.

7. SEO Techniques (On-page & Off-page)

- **Content**: Meta tags, technical SEO, link building, blogging.
- Material: SEO checklist, tools list (Yoast, Screaming Frog).

Module III: Social Media Marketing

1. Different Social Channels & Use Cases

- Content: Facebook, Instagram, LinkedIn, X, YouTube, Snapchat, Pinterest.
- Material: Platform comparison matrix, channel-strategy fit guide.

2. B2C vs. B2B Social Use

- **Content**: Content styles, platform relevance, tone differences.
- Material: Brand examples from both segments.

3. Choosing Platforms by Sector

- **Content**: Real estate → Facebook, Fashion → Instagram, SaaS → LinkedIn.
- Material: Case library by industry.

4. Social Media Campaign Planning

- **Content**: Goal-setting, audience targeting, messaging.
- Material: Campaign brief template, persona builder.

5. Execution, Optimization, & Analytics

- Content: Creative design, A/B testing, ad manager walk-throughs.
- Material: Ad calendar, metric dashboards, troubleshooting guide.

6. Measuring ROI

- **Content**: Vanity vs performance metrics, attribution models.
- Material: ROI calculator Excel, Google Data Studio mockup.

7. Content Marketing & Storytelling

- **Content**: Narrative arcs, brand voice, user-generated content.
- Material: Content pillar planner, storytelling framework.

8. Email Marketing & A/B Testing

- **Content**: Email funnel, layout best practices, testing headlines.
- Material: Mailchimp tutorial, subject line test sheets.

Module IV: Display Marketing

1. Display Marketing Ecosystem

- **Content**: Publishers, advertisers, DSPs, ad exchanges.
- Material: Display supply chain infographic.

2. Types of Display Ads

- Content: Banners, rich media, native, video, programmatic.
- Material: Creative examples, size cheat sheet.

3. Planning, Setup, Optimization

- **Content**: Targeting (contextual, audience-based), placements.
- Material: Display planner template, creative brief.

4. Reading the Right Metrics

- **Content**: Impressions, CTR, engagement, conversions.
- Material: Benchmark tables, A/B testing plan.

5. Retargeting & Dynamic Retargeting

- **Content**: Cookie-based targeting, product feed use.
- Material: Google Ads retargeting guide, flowcharts.

Module V: Mobile Marketing

1. Mobile Marketing Types

- **Content**: SMS, App-based, push notifications, in-app ads.
- Material: Mobile UX best practices guide.

2. What to Put on Mobile & Why

- Content: Mobile-first strategy, micro-moments.
- Material: Mobile content checklist, mobile funnel map.

3. Mobile Marketing Ecosystem

- Content: App stores, mobile ad networks, SDKs, attribution tools.
- Material: Case studies (e.g., Swiggy, Spotify), toolkits.

III Module VI: Web Analytics

1. Digital Measurement Landscape

- Content: KPIs, tracking mechanisms, customer journey touchpoints.
- Material: Web analytics mind map, measurement frameworks.

2. Google Analytics: Setup to Action

- Content:
 - Basics: Metrics vs dimensions
 - o Dashboards, Goals, Events
 - o Funnel analysis
- Material: GA interface walkthrough, sample datasets.

3. Interpreting Data for Business Impact

- **Content**: Insights vs noise, decision-making with data.
- Material: Scenario-based quizzes, case solutions.

4. Final Campaign Verdict

- Content: Combining SEM, SMM, email, display, and web analytics.
- Material: Reporting templates, final presentation formats.

Additional Components

Tutorial Classes

- 3 inter-module tutorials for doubt clearing and cross-topic integration.
- Material: Recap slides, integration quizzes.

End-Term Project (April/May)

• Live campaign planning + optimization.

- Industry-based case studies.
- Team presentation + evaluation rubrics.
- Material: Project brief, rubrics, case study packet, presentation template.

How to Package Your Course

To get started building the **teaching material**, you will need:

- Slide decks for each subtopic (can use Canva, Google Slides)
- Activity Worksheets (campaign setup, keyword research, budget planning, content creation)
- **Templates** (marketing calendar, buyer persona, reporting formats)
- **Assessment Tools** (MCQs, short case studies, presentation evaluations)
- Live Tools Access (demo accounts for Google Ads, Mailchimp, Meta Business Suite, etc.)

Detailed Session

Digital Marketing Curriculum: Slide Deck & Lesson Plan Development

This document will include structured **lesson plans and slide deck outlines** for all six modules of your digital marketing education program.

Module I: Business, Marketing & E-Marketing

Lesson Plan

- Session 1: Introduction to Marketing & Digital Evolution
- Session 2: Traditional vs Digital Marketing
- Session 3: Digital in Modern Marketing Strategy
- Session 4: Types of Digital Marketing Channels

Slide Deck Outline

- 1. What is Marketing?
- 2. Traditional Marketing Overview
- 3. Transition to Digital: Why & How
- 4. Advantages of Digital Media
- 5. Current & Future Digital Marketing Landscape
- 6. Classification of Digital Channels
- 7. Examples: Industry-wise Applications

✓ Module II: Search Marketing (SEO & SEM)

Lesson Plan

- Session 1: Search Engines & SERP Structure
- Session 2: Paid Search (Google Ads) Basics
- Session 3: Keyword Research & Campaign Setup
- Session 4: SEO Overview: On-page & Off-page
- Session 5: SEM Analytics & Optimization

Slide Deck Outline

- 1. Organic vs Paid Results
- 2. How Search Engines Work

- 3. Google Ads: Structure & Setup
- 4. Keyword Match Types & Tools
- 5. Tracking Conversions in SEM
- 6. SEO: On-page Techniques
- 7. SEO: Off-page & Backlinking

Module III: Social Media Marketing

Lesson Plan

- Session 1: Overview of Social Channels
- Session 2: B2B vs B2C Strategies
- Session 3: Campaign Planning & Execution
- Session 4: Social Content & Storytelling
- Session 5: ROI & A/B Testing

Slide Deck Outline

- 1. Social Media Landscape
- 2. Platform-Industry Fit Matrix
- 3. Buyer Persona & Audience Targeting
- 4. Campaign Elements & Scheduling
- 5. Content Creation: Visuals & Copy
- 6. Social Metrics That Matter
- 7. A/B Testing Examples

Module IV: Display Marketing

Lesson Plan

- Session 1: Display Ecosystem Overview
- Session 2: Ad Types & Creatives
- Session 3: Campaign Setup & Targeting
- Session 4: Retargeting Strategies
- Session 5: Metrics & Optimization

Slide Deck Outline

- 1. Types of Display Ads
- 2. Ecosystem Players (DSPs, Publishers, Exchanges)

- 3. Campaign Planning Template
- 4. Audience Targeting Techniques
- 5. Retargeting & Dynamic Ads
- 6. Performance Metrics: Impressions, CTR, CPA

Module V: Mobile Marketing

Lesson Plan

- Session 1: Introduction to Mobile Platforms
- Session 2: Mobile-first Strategy & Micro-moments
- Session 3: App Marketing & Notifications
- Session 4: Mobile Ad Formats
- Session 5: Measurement & Attribution

Slide Deck Outline

- 1. Mobile User Behavior Overview
- 2. Mobile Marketing Channels
- 3. Mobile vs Desktop Strategy
- 4. In-app Ads, SMS & Push Notifications
- 5. User Journey Mapping
- 6. Tools for Tracking Mobile Campaigns

Module VI: Web Analytics

Lesson Plan

- Session 1: What to Measure in Digital
- Session 2: Google Analytics Basics
- Session 3: Goals, Funnels, Events
- Session 4: Creating Dashboards
- Session 5: Campaign Performance Analysis

Slide Deck Outline

- 1. Metrics vs KPIs
- 2. Overview of Google Analytics Interface
- 3. User Behavior Reports
- 4. Goal Tracking Setup

- 5. UTM Parameters & Tagging
- 6. Funnel Visualization Examples
- 7. Final Campaign Reporting Format

Bonus: End-Term Project & Workshops

Components

- Live Campaign Brief & Pitching
- Project Based on Real Industry Case
- Group Presentations with Rubrics

Support Materials

- Campaign Planning Workbook
- Sample Project Brief
- Strategy Report Format