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Sociology

समाजशास्त्र

(स्नातक कक्षाओं के लिए पाठ्यक्रम)
(Syllabus for U.G. Class)

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Semester-Wise Title of the paper in BA (Sociology)

Year	Semester	Course code	Paper Title	Theory/Practical	Credits
I	I	A070101T	Introduction to Basic Concepts of Sociology	Theory	6
I	II	A070201T	Society in India: Structure, Organization & Change.	Theory	6

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**B.A. 1st Year Sem. I,
Course I
(Theory)**

Programme/Class	Certificate	Year	B.A. I	Semester	I
Subject	Sociology				
Course Code	A070101T	Course Title	Introduction to Basic Concepts of Sociology		

Course Outcomes:

This paper will introduce students to new concepts of Sociology discipline. These concepts will enhance the conceptual learning and understanding of the basic concepts used in Sociology. This paper will contribute in enriching the vocabulary and scientific temperament of the students. The course is designed to incorporate all the key concepts of sociology which would enable the learner to develop keen insights to distinguish between the commonsense knowledge and Sociological knowledge.

Credits-6	Maximum Marks: 100	Minimum Marks: 33
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Total No. of Lectures-Tutorials - Practical (in hours per week): 6-0-0

Unit	Topic	No. of Lectures
I	Sociology: Meaning, Nature, Scope of Sociology, Sociology and Common Sense, Sociology as a Science, Humanistic Orientation in Sociology. History and Emergence of Sociology in India.	12
II	Sociology and other Social Sciences (Anthropology, Economics, History, Psychology, Political Science).	12
III	Basic Concepts: Society, Community, Institutions, Association, Social Group. Human and Animal Society.	11
IV	Social Institutions: Family, Kinship, Marriage, Education, State & Religion	11
V	Culture and Civilization, Pluralism, Multiculturalism, Cultural Relativism	11
VI	Socio-Cultural Processes: Cooperation, Conflict, Competition. Acculturation, Assimilation and Integration.	11
VII	Social Structure, Status and Role, Norms, Folkways and Mores, Sanctions and Values.	11
VIII	Social Stratification: Meaning. Forms and Basis, Social Mobility: Meaning and Types.	11

This is an elective course open for all.

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Suggested Readings:

1. Berger, P.1963. An Invitation to Sociology: A humanistic Perspective.
2. Bottomore, T.B.1973. Sociology: A guide to Problems and Literature.(Hindi version available).
3. Davis, Kingsley. 1973. Human Society.
4. Giddens. Anthony.2009.Introduction to Sociology.
5. Haralambos M.Sociology: Themes and Perspectives. (Hindi version available).
6. Inkeles, Alex. 1987. What is Sociology.
7. MacIver, R.M.and Charles H.Page. 1949. Society: An Introductory Analysis. (Hindi version available)
- 8.Mills, C. W. 1959. The Sociological Imagination.
9. Thakur. Navendu.2016. Samaj Shastra Ek Parichay.
- 10.जे.पी. सिंह, 2011, समाजशास्त्रकेमूलतत्त्व, PHI

Suggested Continuous Internal Evaluation Methods (25 Marks):

- Seminar/Assignment on any topic of the above syllabus.
- Test with multiple choice questions / short and long answer questions.
- Research Orientation of the student.
- Quiz

Suggested equivalent online courses:

IGNOU & Other centrally/state operated Universities / MOOC platforms such as "SWAYAM" in India and Abroad

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**B.A. 1st Year Sem. II,
Course I
(Theory)**

Programme/Class	Certificate	Year	B.A. I	Semester	I
Subject	Sociology				
Course Code	A070201T	Course Title	Society in India: Structure, Organization & Change.		

Course Outcomes: This paper is designed in this manner, so that students are introduced to the concepts related to Indian Society. They are made familiar with the Indian Society, its linkages and continuity with past and present. It also gives insights to analyze contemporary Indian society. This paper provides comprehensive understanding of Indian society.

Credits-6 **Maximum Marks: 100** **Minimum Marks: 33**

Total No. of Lectures-Tutorials - Practical (in hours per week): 6-0-0

Unit	Topic	No. of Lectures
I	The structure and composition of Indian society: Village, Town, City, Rural Urban linkages. Unity and diversity in Indian society.	12
II	Indological, Historical, Structural and Functional Perspective to study Indian Society	12
III	Cultural and Ethnic diversity: Diversities in respect of language, caste, region and religious beliefs and practices.	11
IV	Rural Communities in India: Geographical distribution, Problem of Assimilation, Integration and Assertion, Backwardness and Underdevelopment in Tribe.	11
V	Basic Institutions of Indian society: Caste, Marriage, Religion, Class and Joint Family.	11
VI	Social Classes in India: Agrarian-Rural, Industrial-Urban: The Middle Class; Exclusion and Inclusion, Backward classes, Dalits, Women.	11
VII	Population: Structure and dynamics. Demographic analysis, Population explosion. Demographic theories, Population growth and control.	11
VIII	Change and Transformation in Indian Society: Factors affecting National Integration: Casteism and Politics of caste in India. Communalism and Politics of communalism, Naxalism.	11

This is an elective course open for all.

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Suggested Readings:

1. Bose, N.K. 1967: Culture and Society in India
2. Dube, S.C., 1958: India's Changing Villages.
3. Karve, Irawati, 1961: Hindu Society: An Interpretation.
4. Srinivas, M.N., 1963 Social Change in Modern India.
5. अहूजा आर. 2000, भारतीयसमाज, रावतपब्लिकेशन

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