



SOCIOLOGY DEPARTMENT

COURSE OUTLINES 2020-21

Sociology is taught as optional subject for BA I to VI semester students.

Generally outcomes of Sociology course include course content, Description, Objectives, Learning materials, Outcomes and Assessment.

For BA I to VI Semesters: Sociology as one of the optional Subjects

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Course Content - I

- * Introduction to Sociology
- * Basic concepts in Sociology
- * Culture and Socioloization
- * Dynamics in Sociology
- * Communities

Objectives

- 1) To make the students to acquaint with sociology as a social science.
- 2) Making the students to understand the sociological approach, this is distinctive from other social sciences.
- 3) It is to understand the dynamics of sociology

Course content - II

- * Social community.
- * Social Institutions.
- * Culture and Civilization.
- * Social Control.
- * Social Change and Social Development.

Objectives:

- 1) To understand the nature, structure and features of communities.
- 2) Make the students to understand the contents of culture and civilization.
- 3) To understand the process of social change.

Learning Materials

Reference Books, Text Books, Class Notes, Web Pages, Articles, and Journals.

Assessment

Assessment is carried out as per the guidelines laid down and mandated by the affiliating University

*100 marks exam (20 IA+ 80 semester End Exam)

1. Two unit Tests for internal Assessment(IA): 20Marks

* Unit Test 1: 20marks reduced to 04

* Unit Test 2: 80 marks reduced to 10

* Attendance: 03

* Class seminars, Tutorials, Assignments, sports & cultural activities & NCC and NSS: 03

2. Semester End Examination as per University guidelines: 80 marks.

Course Requirements

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Course Content-III

- * Introduction to Social Thought.
- * Manu
- * Basaveshwar.
- * Mahatma Gandhi.
- * Other thinkers.

Objectives:

- 1) To understand the nature and development of social thought.
- 2) To understand the view of ancient Indian thinkers on Dharma and institutions.
- 3) Make the students to understand the social Ethics of thinkers of different ages.

Course Content IV

- * Auguste Comte.
- * Herbert Spencer.
- * Max Weber.
- * Emile Durkheim
- * Other Thinkers

Objectives

- 1) Make the students to understand the basic theories of western sociological thought.
- 2) Make the students to understand the grand theories of social evolution.
- 3) Make the students to understand methodology of social sciences.

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Course content - V Paper I

- * Introduction of Indian society.
- * Marriage in India.
- * Family in India
- * Caste system in India
- * Scheduled Tribe in India.

Objectives:

- 1) To make the students to understand the Indian society.
- 2) To make the students to understand the Hindu Marriage as the sacrament.
- 3) To make the students to understand the importance of Hindu Joint Family.
- 4) To understand the problems and remedies of Scheduled Tribes.

Course Content V paper II

- * Meaning and nature of Rural Development.
- * Land Tenure and Land Reforms.

- * Panchayat Raj.
- * Rural development Programmes.
- * Agencies of Rural Development.

Objectives

- 1) Make the students to understand the rural problems and remedies.
- 2) Make the students to understand the Land Tenure system and Land Reforms.
- 3) Make the students to understand The Decentralization of authority of Panchayat Raj.
- 4) To know the agencies of Rural Development.

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Course content - VI Paper I

- * Introduction of Indian Social problems.
- * Crime.
- * Prostitution.
- * Terrorism
- * Corruption in Public I

Objectives:

- 1) To make the students to understand the social problems.
- 2) To make the students to understand the problems and remedies of crime.
- 3) Make the students to understand the causes and remedies of Prostitution.
- 4) To fight against Terrorism and to develop National Integration.

Course Content VI - Paper II

- * Introduction to the study of Urban Society.
- * Urbanization in India.
- * Cities in India.
- * Urban problems in India.
- * Urban planning and Urban Development's.

Objectives

- 1) Make the students to understand the urban society.
- 2) To understand the urbanization process in India.
- 3) To know the problems and remedies of urban areas.

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