

Course Wise Structure

NEP-2020 keeps the provision of Generic Elective (Sociology) (Total 24 credits comprising 04 credits at each semester at Undergraduate level). Contact hrs for each credit will be 20 hrs in which 16 hrs for teaching and 04 hrs for assessment through project, class presentation, assignment etc.

Shastri Third Year - (Fifth Semester)

Indian Sociological Thought

Paper Code-GE - 5

Introduction:

1. This paper covers the intellectual development of Sociology with respect to India. It has highlighted the works of some renowned sociologists from India. It contains four units which are equally divided by credits.
2. The first unit has highlighted the works of G.S. Ghurye with special reference to his discussions on Caste, Tribes and Race in India
3. The second unit of the paper has focused on D.P. Mukherjee's discussions on middle class and his opinions on the study of tradition and modernity as an important component to study Indian society.
4. The fourth unit has elaborately discussed A.R. Desai's views on nationalism, and his approach to study Indian society.

Objectives:

1. To provide the students with a detailed idea about the intellectual journey of Sociology in India.
2. To enlighten the students about the contribution of Indian Sociologists towards the development of an Indian Sociology.
3. To expose them towards vast Indian literature and understanding about Indian society and culture based upon which Indian Sociological understanding can be nurtured.

Outcome:

1. Students will have a deeper understanding about the development of Sociology as a discipline in India.
2. Students will be able to grasp the colonial and nationalist context that provided the necessary stimulus for the development of a Sociology specific to Indian society.
3. Students will delve deeper into the indigenous historical roots that laid the foundation for developing an Indian Sociology in India.

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Segment	Segment Name	Unit	Description of the Unit	Credit – 04 (20 contact hrs for each credit)
1.	G.S. Ghurye	1.1 1.2	Caste and Race Tribes in India	Each credit is comprised of 16 hrs for teaching and 04 hrs for assessment through project, presentation and assignment
2.	D.P. Mukerji	2.1 2.2	Middle Class Tradition and Modernity	
3.	M.N. Srinivas	3.1 3.2	Social Change: Sanskritization Dominant Caste	
4.	A. R.Desai	4.1 4.2	Social Background of Indian Nationalism Marxist Approach to Study Indian Society.	

**Summative test will be for 60 marks & Formative test will also be for 40 marks.
Thus total marks = 100**

Suggested Readings:

1. Ghurye, G.S. Caste and Race in India, Delhi: Popular Prakashan 1969.
2. Ghurye G.S. Caste, Class and Occupation, Popular Book Depot 1961.
3. Ghurye, G.S. Cities and Civilization, Delhi: Popular Prakashan 1962.
4. Ghurye G.S. The Indian Sadhus, Popular Book Depot 1964.
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6. Mukerji D.P. Basic Concepts in Sociology (1932) Rupa 2004
7. Mukerji D.P. Personality and the Social Sciences (1924) Rupa 2004
8. Mukerji D.P. Problems of Indian Youth, Hind Kitab 1946.
9. Mukerji D.P. Modern Indian Culture, Indian Publishers 1942.
10. Srinivas M.N. Caste in modern India and other essays, Bombay Asia Publishing House 1962.
11. Srinivas M.N, Social change in modern India, Orient Blackswan 1966.
12. Srinivas M.N. Indian Anthropologists and the study of Indian Society EPW 1996.
13. Srinivas M.N. Religion and Society among the Coorgs of South India, Oxford Clarendon Press, Oxford. 1952.

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14. Desai A.R. Social Background of Indian Nationalism. Bombay Oxford University Press 1949.
15. Desai A.R. (Etd) Peasants Struggles in India. Bombay Oxford University Press 1979.
16. Desai A.R. India's Path of Development – A Marxist approach. Popular Prakashan, Bombay 1984.
16. Nagla B.K. Indian Sociological thought, Rawat Publication Jaipur, 2008.
17. Dhanagare D.N, Themes and Perspectives in Indian Sociology, Rawat Publication Jaipur, 1993.
18. Sharma Surendra, Sociology in India: A Perspective from Sociology of Knowledge. Rawat Publication Jaipur, 1985.

Shastri Third Year – (Sixth Semester)

Indian Social Problems

Paper Code-GE – 6

Introduction:

1. The current paper deals with the topics of social disorganization and social problems that persists and features Indian society and culture.
2. The paper has been divided into four units and with equal credit distribution.
3. The first unit discusses the conceptual and literary understanding of social problems in a society
4. The second unit talks about poverty as a social problem, the main causes and consequences of such problems to the Indian mass, society and culture.
5. The third unit deals with the topic of unemployment, highlighting the primary causes and consequences such problems of unemployment in the Indian context. It tries to assess the impact of such social malice towards the maintenance of social equilibrium in a highly populated country like India.
6. The fourth and the final unit explain and elaborated about the problems related to family life and living in India. It focuses on the problems of domestic violence, dowry, divorce and issues related to elderly and children.

Objectives:

1. To clarify the conceptual understanding about social disorganization and problems.
2. To make the students identify and differentiate among social disorganization, social problems and individual/personal problems.

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