



INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY

Minor Subject for First Year Graduate Students for Arts
(Sociology) w.e.f. 2023-24

**Approved by the Board of Studies in Sociology
And
Finalized by the Academic Council**

Devrukh Shikshan Prasarak Mandal's
Nya. Tatyasaheb Athalye Arts, Ved. S. R. Sapre Commerce, and
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Tal.Sangmeshwar, Dist. Ratnagiri-415804, Maharashtra, India

Academic Council Item No: _____

Name of the Implementing Institute	:	Nya. Tatyasaheb Athalye Arts, Ved. S. R. Sapre Commerce, and Vid. Dadasaheb Pitre Science College (Autonomous), Devrukh. Tal. Sangmeshwar, Dist. Ratnagiri-415804,
Name of the Parent University	:	University of Mumbai
Name of the Programme	:	Bachelor of Arts
Name of the Class to Which the course is Open	:	First Year, Semester One
No. of Credits	:	04
Title of the Course	:	Sociology
Course Code	:	A102SOT
Eligibility for Admission	:	Any 12 th Pass seeking Admission to Degree Programme in adherence to Rules and Regulations of the University of Mumbai and Government of Maharashtra
Passing Marks	:	40%
Nature of Course	:	Sociology
Level	:	Under Graduate (Level 4.5)
Pattern	:	60:40
Status	:	NEP-CBCS
To be implemented from Academic Year	:	2023-24

First Year of Bachelor of Arts (Sociology Minor)

Title of the Paper

Introduction to Sociology

Revise Syllabus Under Autonomy for NEP

(With effect from the Academic Year 2023-2024)

Semester	Paper Code	Paper	Lectures /Practical	Evaluation Weightage			Credits
				External	Internal	Total	
Semester I	A102SOT	Introduction to Sociology	60	60	40	100	04

After completing the course, the learner will be able to...		
Course Learning Outcome No.	Blooms Taxonomy	Course Learning Outcome
CLO-01	Remember	Remember the fundamentals of Sociological Concepts
CLO-02	Understand	Understand the Basics of Social Structure and Society
CLO-03	Apply	Apply Sociological Understanding to local social problems related to disparities and inequality
CLO-04	Analyze	Analyze the social problems and creates social awareness

COURSE CONTENT			
Module No.	Content	No. of Credits	No. of Allotted Lectures: 45
1	Nature and Scope of Sociology <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meaning and Definition of Sociology • Nature and Scope of Sociology • Sociology and Its Relation with other Social Sciences: Economics, Political Science and Anthropology 	1	15

2	Basic Concepts in Sociology <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community: Meaning and Characteristics • Community and Associations • Social Institutions: Definition, Meaning and Characteristics • Functions of Social Institutions 	1	15
3	Social Stratification <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social Stratification: Meaning, Definitions and Characteristics • Social Stratification: Social Differences and Social Inequality • Forms of Social Stratification: Slavery, Caste and Class • Functions of Social Stratification 	1	15
4	Social Change <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social Change: Meaning, Definition and Characteristics • Forms of Social Change • Factors of Social Change: Bio-technology, Info-technology and Social Media • Barriers to Social Change 	1	15

Term End Evaluation (60 Marks)
Question Paper Pattern
Time: 1.5 hours

Question No.	Unit/s	Question Pattern	Marks
Q.1	1	Broad Question (Any 1 out of 2)	15
Q.2	2	Broad Question (Any 1 out of 2)	15
Q.3	3	Broad Question (Any 1 out of 2)	15
Q.4	4	Broad Question (Any 1 out of 2)	15
Total			60

Internal evaluation (50 Marks)

Sr. No.	Description	Marks
1	Unit Test Examination	30
2	Active Participation in teaching learning Process	05
3	Subject related activities as assigned by the teacher	05
	Total	40

Reading List:

- Haralombus M. and Herald (2009) Sociology Themes and Perspectives. New Delhi Oxford University Press
- Julia Jary and David Jary (2005) Dictionary of Sociology Collins
- Marshall Gordon. Dictionary of Sociology New Delhi Oxford University Press
- Mucinous, John (2005) Sociology (10th edition) Prentice Hall
- Schaefer Richard T. Sociology A Brief Introduction (2006) sixth edition Tata McGraw Hill New Delhi
- Schaeffer and Lame (1998) Sociology (6th edition) McGraw Hill
- *Samjashastratil Mulbhut Sankalpna*: Dr. Sarjerao Salunkhe, Proficient Publications
- *Pragat Samajshastriy Siddhant*: Dr. P. K. Kulkarni
