



FIRST-YEAR OF BACHELOR OF ARTS - MAJOR SOCIOLOGY - REVISED SYLLABUS ACCORDING TO CBCS NEP2020

COURSE TITLE: SOCIETY, CULTURE AND SOCIAL CHANGE
SEMESTER - II, W.E.F. 2023-2024

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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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 Two
No. of Credits	:	04
Title of the Course	:	Sociology
Course Code	:	SEMESTER II – A102SOT
Passing Marks	:	40%
Nature of Course	:	Sociology
Level	:	Under Graduate (Level 4.5)
Pattern	:	60 Marks External Exam and 40 Marks based on Unit Test and Class Room Activities
Status	:	Major Subject of Sociology
To be implemented from Academic Year	:	2023-24

First Year of Bachelor of Arts (Sociology Major)

Title of the Paper

Society, Culture and Social Change

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 II	A102SOT	Society, Culture and Social Change	60	60	40	100	04

Learning objectives of this course are to educate the students about:

- i) Students will know the concept of Society and Culture
- ii) Students will aware about Social Structure and Social Institutions
- iii) Students will understand the concept of Religion and Secularization
- iv) Students will understand process of Social Change and Social Control

COURSE CONTENT

Module No.	Content	No. of Allotted Lectures: 60
1	Society and Culture • Society: Meaning Definition and Characteristics • Community: Meaning Definition and Characteristics • Social Processes: Types of Social Processes, Society, Culture, Characteristics of Indian Culture and Culture Conflict • Man as a Social Animal	15
2	Religion and Secularization • Religion: Meaning, Definition and Characteristics	15

	- Major religions India: Hindu, Islam, Bouddha, Cristian and their basic tents - Secularization: Meaning, Definition and characteristic - Roll and importance of Secularization in Nation Building	
3	Social Structure and Social Institutions - Structure: Meaning, Definition and characteristic - Institution: Meaning, Definition and characteristic - Types of Groups: Formal and Informal - Forms and Nature of Groups: Primary, Secondary, Reference Groups, in Groups and Out Groups	15
4	Social Change and Social Control - Social Change: Meaning, Definition and characteristic - Social Control: Meaning, Definition and characteristic - Agencies of Social Control: Customs, Traditions and Laws - Social Change Process in India: Sanskritization, Westernization and Modernization	15

Reading List:

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- 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 edit ion) Prentice Hall
- Oommen T. K. (2005) “Crisis and Contention in Indian Society” Sage publications. p
- Schaefer Richard T. Sociology a Brief Introduction (2006) sixth edition Tata McGraw Hill New Delhi
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- *Samjashastratil Mulbhut Sankalpna*: Dr. Sarjerao Salunkhe, Proficient Publications
- *Pragat Samajshastriy Siddhant*: Dr. P. K. Kulkarni
- *Uchatar Samajshstriy Siddhant*: Dr. S. R. Toshniwal
