

(B) Minor Courses to be offered by the Department for students of other Departments of Social Science

Sl. No.	Sem	Type of Course	Name of Course	Credits	Marks
1.	I	MIC-1	Introduction toSociology– I	3	100
2.	II	MIC-2	SociologyofIndia–I	3	100
3.	III	MIC-3	Introduction toSociology–II	3	100
4.	IV	MIC-4	SociologyofIndia–II	3	100
5.	V	MIC-5	Political Sociology	3	100
6.	V	MIC-6	Sociology of Religion	3	100
7.	VI	MIC-7	Sociology of Gender	3	100
8.	VI	MIC-8	EconomicSociology	3	100
9.	VII	MIC-9	SocialChangeandDevelopmentin India	4	100
10.	VIII	MIC-10	SocialStratification	4	100

Sub Total = 32

Note: The Department may reduce the syllabus of the Minor Courses as per the credit distribution. The Department concerned may also decide practical courses.

SEMESTER – II

MIC 2 - Sociology of India I

Course Objectives

- 1. To acquaint the student with the pluralistic structure of the Indian Society.
- 2. To familiarize with the structure and function of the important social institutions of the Indian Society.
- 3. To explain the main characteristics of the communities found in the Indian Society.
- 4. To analyze the concept of caste in its present connotations.

Course Outcomes

After the completion of the course, the student will be able to:

Understand about the pluralistic structure of the Indian Society.

Have information about the existence of the various institutions of the Indian Society, their structure and function.

Form a holistic view of the communities found in the Indian Society.

Get a clear picture of the marginalized sections of the Indian Society.

MIC-02 (Minor)	Full Marks:100			
Sociology of India I (Theory: 03 credits)				
Unit Topics to be covered	No. of Lectures			
1 Introductory a) Features of the Indian Society and Culture b) Elements of unity and diversity	04 05			
 Social Institutions a) Varnashram: Features & Characteristics b) Caste System: Definition & Characteristics c) Joint Family: Definition & Characteristics and Changes in the joint family system 				
Marriage as an Institution a) Hindu marriage: Concept & types a) Muslim marriage: Concept & Characterist	02 02			
4 Factors of Socio Cultural Change and its Impact a) Indian Family-Changes b) Changing Status of Women a) Tribal Society: Problems & welfare measure	02 02 06			
5 Tutorial	05			
TOTAL	35			

Reading List:

- David G. Mandelbaum; Society in India: Continuity and Changes; University of California 1. Press, Berkeley and Los Angles, California.
- M.N. Sriniwas; Caste in Modern India and Other Essays; Asia Publishing House, Bombay 2. (also available in Hindi)
- S.L. Doshi & P.C. Jain; Indian Society; National Publishing House, Jaipur 3.
- Ahuja Ram; भारतीय सामाजिक व्यवस्था; रावत पब्लिकेशन्स, जयपूर एवं नईदिल्ली। 4.
- K.L. Sharma; भारतीय समाज; एन०सी०ई०आर०टी०, नई दिल्ली।

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