

Semester-IV

Major (Core) Course: Paper- 8: Sociology of Social Movements in India

Objectives:

Social movements play a significant role in the process of social change and transformation of society throughout whole span, hence the course will provide exposure to the students to understand the causes and consequences of social movements at different points of time.

Outcomes:

- The course will provide an exposure to understand various social movements and their contributions.
- The course inculcates the understanding of ideological components of various social movements.
- The students will develop skill to understand the organization and forces of social movements.

Unit- I: Social Movement:

- Concept, Definition and Characteristics of Social Movements
- Structural Components of Social Movements

Unit- II: Theories:

- Relative Deprivation,
- Structural Strain,
- Revitalization

Unit- III: Social Movements in India:

- Social Reform Movement
- Peasant movement
- Dalit movement
- Tribal movement
- Backward class movement
- Social Movements and its relationship with social change

Unit- IV: Major contemporary movements with special reference to their components, agents and factors:

- Peasant movement:
 - Bharatiya Kisan Union,
 - Sarvodaya,
 - Bhudan
- Environment movement:
 - Chipko,
 - Silent Valley,
 - Apiko



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Semester- IV

Major (Core) Course: Paper- 9: Disorganizational Issues of Indian Society

Objectives:

This course is designed to identify and sensitize the students about disorganizational issues from sociological perspective.

Outcome:

- The course projects the disorganizational issues of contemporary Indian society.
- The students will get exposure to analyse and explain disorganizational issues of the Society from structural perspective.

Unit: I : Social Disorganization

- Meaning and Definitions.
- Forms of Disorganization.
- Causes and Consequences of Disorganization.

Unit: II: Disorganization Problem: I

(a) Drug Addiction

- Drug Addiction: Meaning, Definitions, and Types.
- Meaning of Drug and Drug Abuse.
- Causes and Effects of Drug addiction.
- Remedies of Drug addiction.

(b) Juvenile Delinquency.

- Meaning, Definitions, Characteristics and Types of Delinquents.
- Causes and Impacts.
- Remedies of the juvenile delinquency.
- Care and Improvements.

Unit: III: Disorganization Problem: II

(a) Youth Unrest.

- Meaning, Definition, and Nature
- Causes and Impacts of Youth Unrest.
- Suggestions and Remedies of the Youth Unrest.
- Government Measures and Tackle the Problems of Youth.

(b) Problems of Elderly

- Meaning, Definitions and Characteristics.
- Problems of Old Age People.
- Factors and Impacts.
- Remedies for the problems of elderly problems.

Unit-IV: Disorganization Problem: III

(a) Corruption

- Meaning, Definitions and Characteristics.
- Causes and Consequences.
- Extent of Corruptions in Various Fields.
- Remedies to eradicate corruption.

(b) Terrorism

- Meaning, Definitions, and Characteristics.
- Origin and Diffusion of Terrorism.
- Terrorism in India.
- Causes and Impacts of Terrorism.
- Remedies of Terrorism.

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Semester- IV
Major (Core) Course: Paper: 10: Sociology of Development

Objectives:

The course is designed to make aware students about the process of development.

Outcome:

- The course projects various aspects of development.
- The students will get exposure about various programmes and schemes and their role in the process of development and thereby changes occurring in the society.

Unit- I: Concept, Definition of Development and Underdevelopment;

- Changing conceptions of Development:
- Economic Development,
- Social Development,
- Human Development,
- Sustainable Development

Unit- II: Paths of Development: Capitalist, Socialist and Mixed Economy;

- Planning Commission / Niti Ayog:
- Structure and functions,
- Five year plans

Unit- III: Panchayati Raj:

- Concept
- Role and Impacts of Panchayati Raj on rural society;
- Civil Society: Meaning
- Voluntary Organization

Unit- IV: Schemes and Programmes in the context of Role and Development of followings:

- Pradhan mantri Jan dhan Yojana,
- Sukanya Samridhdhi Yojana,
- Pradhan Mantri Suraksha Bima Yojana,
- Atal Pension Yojana,
- Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana,
- Sansad Adarsh Gram Yojana



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