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1. Preamble

The National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 conceives a new vision for India's higher education system. It recognizes that higher education plays an extremely important role in promoting equity, human as well as societal well-being and in developing India as envisioned in its Constitution. It is desired that higher education will significantly contribute towards sustainable livelihoods and economic development of the nation as India moves towards becoming a knowledge economy and society. If we focus on the 21st century requirements, the higher education framework of the nation must aim to develop good, thoughtful, well-rounded, and creative individuals and must enable an individual to study one or more specialized areas of interest at a deep level, and also develop character, ethical and Constitutional values, intellectual curiosity, scientific temper, creativity, spirit of service, and twenty-first-century capabilities across a range of disciplines including sciences, social sciences, arts, humanities, languages, as well as professional, technical, and vocational subjects. A quality higher education should be capable enough to enable personal accomplishment and enlightenment, constructive public engagement, and productive contribution to the society. Overall, it should focus on preparing students for more meaningful and satisfying lives and work roles and enable economic independence. Towards the attainment of holistic and multidisciplinary education, the flexible curricula of the University will include credit-based courses, projects in the areas of community engagement and service, environmental education, and value-based education. As part of holistic education, students will also be provided with opportunities for internships with local industries, businesses, artists, crafts persons, and so on, as well as research internships with faculty and researchers at the University, so that students may actively engage with the practical aspects of their learning and thereby improve their employability. The undergraduate curriculums are diverse and have varied subjects to be covered to meet the needs of the programs. As per the recommendations from the UGC, CURRICULUM FRAMEWORK 2023-24 (NEP2020) introduction of courses related to Indian Knowledge System (IKS) is being incorporated in the curriculum structure which encompasses all of the systematized disciplines of Knowledge which were developed to a high degree of sophistication in India from ancient times and all of

the traditions and practices that the various communities of India—including the tribal communities—have evolved, refined and preserved over generations, like for example Vedic Mathematics, Vedangas, Indian Astronomy, Fine Arts, Metallurgy, etc. At RGU, we are committed that at the societal level, higher education will enable each student to develop themselves to be an enlightened, socially conscious, knowledgeable, and skilled citizen who can find and implement robust solutions to its own problems. For the students at the University, Higher education is expected to form the basis for knowledge creation and innovation thereby contributing to a more vibrant, socially engaged, cooperative community leading towards a happier, cohesive, cultured, productive, innovative, progressive, and prosperous nation."

1.1 Introduction:

At the societal level, higher education must enable the development of an enlightened, socially conscious, knowledgeable, and skilled nation that can find and implement robust solutions to its own problems. Higher education must form the basis for knowledge creation and innovation thereby contributing to a growing national economy. The purpose of quality higher education is, therefore, more than the creation of greater opportunities for individual employment. It represents the key to more vibrant, socially engaged, cooperative communities and a happier, cohesive, cultured, productive, innovative, progressive, and prosperous nation.

A university will mean a multidisciplinary institution of higher learning that offers undergraduate and graduate program, with high quality teaching, research, and community engagement. Looking at all these new concepts and progress, the detailed syllabus of BA (H) – Administrative Services has been designed and decided to be implemented from the academic session 2023-24.

1.2 Approach to Curriculum Planning

The fundamental premise underlying the learning outcomes-based approach to curriculum planning and development is that higher education qualifications such as a Bachelor's Degree (Hons) programmes are earned and awarded on the basis of (a) demonstrated achievement of outcomes (expressed in terms of knowledge,

understanding, skills, attitudes and values) and (b) academic standards expected of graduates of a programme of study.

The expected learning outcomes are used as reference points that would help formulate graduate attributes, qualification descriptors, programme learning outcomes and course learning outcomes which in turn will help in curriculum planning and development, and in the design, delivery, and review of academic programmes.

Learning outcomes-based frameworks in any subject must specify what graduates completing a particular programme of study are (a) expected to know, (b) understand and (c) be able to do at the end of their programme of study. To this extent, LOCF in Sociology is committed to allowing for flexibility and innovation in (i) programme design and syllabi development by higher education institutions (HEIs), (ii) teaching-learning process, (iii) assessment of student learning levels, and (iv) periodic programme review within institutional parameters as well as LOCF guidelines, (v) generating framework(s) of agreed expected graduate attributes, qualification descriptors, programme learning outcomes and course learning outcomes.

The key outcomes that underpin curriculum planning and development at the undergraduate level include Graduate Attributes, Qualification Descriptors, Programme Learning Outcomes, and Course Learning Outcomes.

The LOCF for undergraduate education is based on specific learning outcomes and academic standards expected to be attained by graduates of a programme of study. However, an outcome-based approach identifies moves way from the emphasis on what is to be taught to focus on what is learnt by way of demonstrable outcomes. This approach provides greater flexibility to the teachers to develop—and the students to accept and adopt—different learning and teaching pedagogy in an interactive and participatory ecosystem. The idea is to integrate social needs and teaching practices in a manner that is responsive to the need of the community. HEIs, on their turn, shall address to the situations of their students by identifying relevant and common outcomes and by12 developing such outcomes that not only match the specific needs of the students but also expands their outlook and values.

1.2.1 Nature and Extent of Bachelor's Degree Programme in Administrative Services (Honours)

A bachelor's degree in Administrative Services is a 4 years degree course which is divided into 8 semesters as under.

					Cour	se Credit	S			Total
Semester	Major	Minor	ID	AEC	SEC	VAC	SI	RP	SWAYAM Course	
I	6	3	3	2	3	3	0	0	3-6	20+
II	6	3	3	2	3	3	0	0	3-6	20+
III	8	4	3	2	3	0	0	0	3-6	20+
IV	12	6	0	2	0	0	0	0	3-6	20+
V	12	4	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	20
VI	16	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
VII	16	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
VII	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	20
	80	32	9	8	9	6	4	12	12	180+

A student pursuing 4 years undergraduate program in Administrative Services shall be awarded Degree with research in that discipline on completion of 8th Semester if he/she secures 160 Credits.

Bachelor's Degree (Honours) is a well-recognized, structured, and specialized graduate level qualification in tertiary, collegiate education. The contents of this degree are determined in terms of knowledge, understanding, qualification, skills, and values that a student intends to acquire to look for professional avenues or move to higher education at the postgraduate level.

Bachelor's Degree (Honours) programs attract entrants from the secondary level or equivalent, often with subject knowledge that may or may not be directly relevant to the field of study/profession. Thus, BA (Honours) Course in Administrative Services aims to equip students to qualify for joining a profession or to provide development opportunities in particular employment settings. Graduates are enabled to enter a variety of jobs or to continue academic study at a higher level.

1.2.2 Aims of Bachelor's Degree (Honours) Programme in Administrative Services:

The overall objectives of the Learning Outcomes-based Curriculum Framework (LOCF) for BA-Honours degree in Administrative Services are-

- 1. To impart the basic knowledge of all the subjects related to Civil Services.
- 2. To impart more multi-disciplinary and holistic course curriculum.
- 3. To ensure that the students do not fear the Civil Services Syllabus.
- 4. To develop the learner into competent and efficient in the field of Administration.
- 5. To prepare socially responsible administrators and professionals with global vision.

1.3 Graduate Attributes

Sl.no.	Graduate Attribute	The Learning Outcomes Descriptors (The graduates should be able to demonstrate the capability to:)					
GA1	Disciplinary Knowledge	acquire knowledge and coherent understanding of the chosen disciplinary/interdisciplinary areas of study.					
GA 2	Complex problem solving	solve different kinds of problems in familiar and non-familiar contexts and apply the learning to real-life situations.					
GA 3	Analytical & Critical thinking	apply analytical thought including the analysis and evaluation of policies, and practices. Able to identify relevant assumptions or implications. Identify logical flaws and holes in the arguments of others. Analyse and synthesize data from a variety of sources and draw valid conclusions and support them with evidence and examples.					
GA 4	Creativity	create, perform, or think in different and diverse ways about the same objects or scenarios and deal with problems and situations that do not have simple solutions. Think 'out of the box' and generate solutions to complex problems in unfamiliar contexts by adopting innovative, imaginative, lateral thinking, interpersonal skills, and emotional intelligence.					
GA 5	Communication Skills	listen carefully, read texts and research papers analytically, and present complex information in a clear and concise manner to different groups/audiences. Express thoughts and ideas effectively in writing and orally and communicate with others using appropriate media.					
GA 6	Research-related skills	develop a keen sense of observation, inquiry, and capability for asking relevant/ appropriate questions. Should a c q u i r e the ability to					

		problematize, synthesize and articulate issues and design research proposals, define problems, formulate appropriate and relevant research questions, formulate hypotheses, test hypotheses using quantitative and qualitative data, establish hypotheses, make inferences based on the analysis and interpretation of data, and predict cause-and-effect relationships. Should develop the ability to acquire the understanding of basic research ethics and skills in practicing/doing ethics in the field/ in personal research work.
GA 7	Collaboration	work effectively and respectfully with diverse teams in the interests of a common cause and work efficiently as a member of a team.
GA 8	Leadership readiness/qualities	plan the tasks of a team or an organization and setting direction by formulating an inspiring vision and building a team that can help achieve the vision.
GA 9	Digital and technological skills	use ICT in a variety of learning and work situations. Access, evaluate, and use a variety of relevant information sources and use appropriate software for analysis of data.
GA 10	Environmental awareness and action	mitigate the effects of environmental degradation, climate change, and pollution. Should develop the technique of effective waste management, conservation of biological diversity, management of biological resources and biodiversity, forest and wildlife conservation, and sustainable development and living.

1.4 Qualification Descriptors for a Bachelor's Degree Programme in Administrative Services

The qualification descriptors for a Bachelor's Degree programme in Administrative Services may include the following:

Demonstrate

- (i) A systematic or coherent understanding of the various subjects involved in the Competitive Exams
- (ii) Knowledge that will help them clear the Competitive Exams
- (iii) Skills in areas related to specialization area relating the subfields and current developments UPSC and State services.
- Use knowledge, understanding and skills required for identifying problems and issues relating to administration.
- A keen interest in research and the study of Administrative Services.
- Meet one's own learning needs, drawing on a range of current research and development work and professional materials.

- Demonstrate subject-related and transferable skills that are relevant to administrative related issues in our day-to-day activities.
- Develop analytical power and logical approach to problem-solving
- Good oral and written communication abilities
- Able to work independently or with team members

1.5 Programme and Learning Outcomes relating to B.A. (Honours) Degree Programme in Administrative Services

PLO-	Knowledge of Administrative services and its application
	Ability to attain systematic or coherent knowledge and understanding of the academic field of academic field of Administration, its different learning areas and applications, and its linkages with related disciplinary areas/subjects.
PLO-	Complex Problem Solving related to Administration
	Ability to solve administrative issues, understanding and skills required for identifying problems and issues relating to Administration.
PLO-3:	Developing an analyzing and problem-solving attitude
	Enable students to focus on socio-political and economic issues and
	administrative problems and ability to suggest measures to solve those
	problems by analyzing them.
PLO-	Moral ethical and creative understanding of issues
	Demonstrate subject-related skills that a student can use in further studies and
	future projects with moral and ethical justification by creatively understanding a situation.
PLO-	Enhancing leadership quality
5	Ability to participate, contribute and provide collective academic challenges in
	the subject domain. Enhance the students to build communication in leadership
	quality, co-operation and co-ordination to accomplish the task.
PLO-	Focus on Research competence
6	
	Capable the students to use and operate computer literacy and knowledge to study not only administrative services but also for the entire understanding in life so that it will

help them in research related activities.

PLO-7	Developing interest for Higher Academic collaboration Ability to listen to and read carefully various viewpoints and engage with high level academic deliberations and collaborations.
PLO-	Developing Leadership Qualities Ensuring that the students are given leadership qualities by making them angage with
8	Ensuring that the students are given leadership qualities by making them engage with the society at large.
PLO-	Developing aptitude for digital learning
9	Ability to make students to use digital platforms to enhance their learning capacity
PLO-	Developing Interdisciplinary Learning
10	Enable the students to pursue inter-disciplinary subject knowledge

Programme Specific Outcomes of Administrative Services

- PSO-1: Knowledge of administration, contemporary social, political, and economic issues
- PSO-2: Ability to apply knowledge in terms of problem solving and other issues.
- PSO-3: Ability to perform as a Public Servants and policy makers
- PSO-4: Acquiring knowledge, competency, and confidence to take up career in Indian Administrative Service and other allied services.

1.6 Teaching-Learning Process

Teaching and learning in this program involve classroom lectures as well tutorials. It allows-

- The tutorials allow a closer interaction between the students and the teacher as each student gets individual attention.
- Written assignments and projects submitted by students
- the project-based learning
- Group discussion
- Home assignments
- Quizzes and class tests
- PPT presentations, Seminars, interactive sessions
- Socio-economic survey
- Co-curricular activity etc.
- Industrial Tour or Field visit

1.7 Assessment Methods

	Component of Evaluation	Marks	Frequency	Code	Weightage (%)
A	Continuous Evaluation				
i	Analysis/Class test		1-3	С	
ii	Home Assignment	Combination of any three from (i) to (v) with 5 marks each	1-3	Н	
iii	Project		1	P	25%
iv	Seminar	10 (v) with 3 marks each	1-2	S	25/0
V	Viva-Voce/Presentation		1-2	V	
vi	MSE	MSE shall be of 10 marks	1-3	Q/CT	
vii	Attendance	Attendance shall be of 5 marks	100%	A	5%
В	Semester End Examination		1	SEE	70%
	Project				100%

STRUCTURE OF THE SYLLABUS FOR B.A. (Hons.) ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

		1 st SEMESTER			
COMPONENT	COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	LEVEL	CREDIT	L-T-P
Major (Core)	ADM182M101	Principles of Public	Level 100	3	2-1-0
		Administration			
Major (Core)	ADM182M102	Organizational	Level 100	3	2-1-0
		Behavior and			
		Accountability			
Minor	ADM182N101	Indian Political System	Level 100	3	2-1-0
Interdisciplinary	IKS992K101	Introduction to Indian	Level 100	3	2-1-0
(IDC)		Knowledge System -			
		I			
Ability Enhancement	CEN982A101	CEN I: Introduction	Level 100	1	1-0-0
course (AEC)		to Effective			
		Communication			
Ability Enhancement	BHS982A102	Behavioural Science- 1	Level 100	1	1-0-0
course (AEC)	ADM192C121	Exit Poll	T 1 100	3	2.1.0
Skill Enhancement Course (SEC)	ADM182S121	EXIT POII	Level 100	3	2-1-0
Value Added Course		Ethics in Indian	Level 100	3	2-1-0
(VAC)		Constitution			
		SWAY	AM Course	4	
	TO	TAL CREDIT FOR 1st SI	EMESTER	24	
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		2 nd SEMESTER			
COMPONENT	COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	LEVEL	CREDIT	L-T-P
Major (Core)	ADM182M201	Comparative Public	Level 100	3	2-1-0
		Administration and			
		Development			
Major (Core)	ADM182M202	Climatology and	Level 100	3	2-1-0
		Oceanography			
Minor	ADM182N201	Electoral System in	Level 100	3	2-1-0
		India			
Interdisciplinary		Introduction to Indian	Level		2-1-0
(IDC)	IKS992K201	Knowledge System -		3	
		П	100		
Ability Enhancement	CEN982A201	CEN II: Approaches	Level 100	1	1-0-0
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	4				
(VAC)	V110772 V 2420	Governance	100	3	
Value Added Course	VAC992V2420	Indian Polity and	Level	3	2-1-0
Course (SEC)					
Skill Enhancement	ADM182S201	Constitutional Studies	Level 100	3	2-1-0
course (AEC)					
Ability Enhancement	BHS982A202	Behavioural Science- II	Level 100	1	1-0-0
		Communication			
		Verbal			
course (AEC)		to Verbal and Non-			

3rd SEMESTER

COMPONENT	COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	LEVEL	CREDIT	L-T-P	
Major (Core)	ADM182M301	Public Administration	Level 200	4	3-1-0	
		and Administrative				
		Law				
Major (Core)	ADM182M302	State and District	Level 200	4	3-1-0	
		Administration				
Minor	ADM182N301	Public Sector	Level 200	4	3-1-0	
		Undertakings and				
		Organisations				
Interdisciplinary	ADM182I301	Strategic Studies	200	3	2-1-0	
(IDC)	ADW11021301	Strategic Studies	200	3		
Ability Enhancement		CEN III:			1-0-0	
course (AEC)	CENIO02 A 201	Fundamentals of	200			
	CEN982A301	Business	200	1		
		Communication				
Ability Enhancement	BHS982A302	Behavioural Science-	200	1	1-0-0	
course (AEC)	DD3962A302	III	200	1		
Skill Enhancement	ADM182S321	Film Studies	200	3	2-0-1	
Course (SEC)	ADW11023321		'AM Course			
	24					
	TOTAL CREDIT FOR 3 rd SEMESTER					

		4 th SEMESTER			
COMPONENT	COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	LEVEL	CREDIT	L-T-P
Major (Core)	ADM182M401	Public Policies and	Level 200	4	3-1-0
		Plan Priorities			
Major (Core)	ADM182M402	Rural and Urban Local	Level 200	4	3-1-0
		Government			
Major (Core)	ADM182M403	Indian Polity and	Level 200	4	3-1-0
		Constitution			
Minor	ADM182N401	International Relations	Level 200	3	2-1-0
Minor	ADM182N402	Peace and Conflict	Level 200	3	2-1-0
		Management			
Ability Enhancement		CEN IV: Business			1-0-0
course (AEC)	CEN982A401	Communication:	200	1	
		Concepts and Skills			
Ability Enhancement		Behavioural			1-0-0
course (AEC)	BHS982A402	Sciences-IV	200	1	
			AM Course	1	1
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	COURSE CODE ADM182M501	COURSE TITLE Indian Economy and	LEVEL Level 300	CREDIT 4	L-T-P 3-1-0
Major (Core)	ADM182M501	COURSE TITLE Indian Economy and Economy of Assam	Level 300	4	3-1-0
Major (Core)		Indian Economy and Economy of Assam Indian Geography and			
Major (Core)	ADM182M501	COURSE TITLE Indian Economy and Economy of Assam	Level 300	4	3-1-0
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Major (Core) Major (Core)	ADM182M501 ADM182M502	Indian Economy and Economy of Assam Indian Geography and Geography of Assam Public Sector	Level 300 Level 300	4	3-1-0
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Major (Core)	ADM182M603	World Geography	Level 300	4	3-1-0
Major (Core)	ADM182M604	Post-Independence	Level 300	4	3-1-0
		History			
Minor	ADM182N601	Biodiversity,	Level 200	4	3-1-0
		Environment, Security			
		and Disaster			
		Management in Assam			
	TO	TAL CREDIT FOR 6 th S	EMESTER	20	
		7 th SEMESTER			
COMPONENT	COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	LEVEL	CREDIT	L-T-P
Major (Core)	ADM182M701	Internal Security of	Level 400	4	3-1-0
		India			
Major (Core)	ADM182M702	Ethics in	Level 400	4	3-1-0
		Administration			
Major (Core)	ADM182M703	Indian Geography:	Level 400	4	3-1-0
		Physical			
Major (Core)	ADM182M704	Political and	Level 400	4	3-1-0
		Administrative System			
		of Assam			
Minor	ADM182N701	Public policy and	Level 300	4	3-1-0
		administration in India			
	TO	L ΓAL CREDIT FOR 7 th S	EMESTER	20	
		8 th SEMESTER			
COMPONENT	COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	LEVEL	CREDIT	L-T-P
Major (Core)	ADM182M801	World History	Level 400	4	3-1-0
Major (Core)	ADM182M802	Research Methodology	Level 400	4	3-1-0
		II			
Major (Core)	ADM182M821	Dissertation	Level 400	8	-
Minor	ADM182N801	Research Methodology	Level 400	4	3-1-0
		In lieu of Dissertation			
Major (Core)	ADM182M804	Assam History and			3-1-0
•		Ahom Administration	Level 200	4	
Major (Core)	ADM182M805	International Relations			3-1-0
• • •		and Foreign Affairs	Level 200	4	
Major (Core)	ADM182M806	Human Rights: Theory			3-1-0
J (/		and Practice	Level 200	4	
	TO	TAL CREDIT FOR 8 th Si	 EMESTER	20	
	10				

SEMESTER I (Major)

Paper Name: Principles of Public Administration

Paper Code: ADM182M101

L-T-P-C: 2-1-0-3 Credit Units: 3

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 100

Course Objectives:

The purpose of this is to give students a thorough understanding of the principles of administration so that the students will be able to start preparing for the Civil Services. To help the students to analyze the basic principles and approaches of Public Administration. The course will also increase student's ability to comprehend the dynamics (both ecological and others) relating to public organizations.

CO1	To remember the scope and significance of Public Administration.	BT1
CO2	To understand the basic principles and concepts of public administration.	ВТ2
CO3	To apply various techniques and theories related to public administration.	ВТ3
CO4	To analyze various management techniques.	BT4

Detailed Syllabus:

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Introduction: Public Administration	15
	1. Meaning, Scope and Significance of Public	
	Administration	
	2. Wilson's vision of Public Administration.	
	3. Evolution of Public Administration	
II	New Public Administration	15
	1. New Public Administration: Concepts & Approaches	
	2. Challenges of Liberalisation, Privatisation &	
	Globalisation	
	3. Good Governance: Concept & Application	
III	Administrative Theories	15
	1. Scientific Management and its Movement	
	2. Weber's Bureaucratic Model - its critique	
	3. Post-Weberian Developments	
IV	Human Relations theory	15
	1. Human Relations School (Elton Mayo and others)	
	2. Functions of the Executive (C.I. Barnard)	
	3. Simon's Decision-Making Theory	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	•	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

Textbooks:

- Chakrabarty, Bidyut and Chand, Prakash (2012) Public Administration in a Globalizing World: Theories and Practices. Sage: New Delhi
- 2. Denhardt, Janet V and Denhardt, Robert B (2015) The New Public Service: Serving, Not Steering (4th Edition). Routledge: New York
- 3. Drucker, Peter F (1993) Management: Tasks, Responsibilities, Practices. Harper Collins: New York

Reference Books:

- 4. Avasthti, A and Maheshwari, S R (2013) Public Administration. Lakshmi Narain Agarwal: Agra
- 5. Basu, Rumki (2008) Public Administration: Concepts and Theories. Sterling Publishers: New Delhi
- 6. Bhambri, C. P. (2010) Public Administration Theory and Practice(21stEdition). Educational Publishers: Meerut
- 7. Bhattacharaya, Mohit (2008) New Horizons of Public Administration.

 Jawahar Publishers and Distributors: New Delhi
- 8. Bhattacharya, Mohit (2012) Public Administration: Issues and Perspective. Jawahar Publishers and Distributors: New Delhi

SEMESTER I (Major)

Paper Name: Organizational Behavior and Accountability

Paper Code: ADM182M102

L-T-P-C: 2-1-0-3 Credit Units: 3

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 100

Course Objectives:

To help the students analyze the theories and principles of Administration as a discipline. The course will also increase students' ability to comprehend the dynamics and role of the bureaucracy and administration. To enhance student's decision-making ability and develop communication skills.

CO1	To remember leadership and organizational theories.	BT1
CO2	To understand the process and techniques of decision making.	BT2
CO3	To apply organizational theories.	BT3
CO4	To analyze the structure of various institutions.	BT4

Detailed Syllabus:

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Administrative Behavior:	15
	1. Process and Techniques of Decision-making	
	2. Communication Moral	
II	Motivational and Leadership theories	15
	1. Motivation Theories	
	2. Content, Process & Contemporary Theories of	
	Leadership (Traditional & Modern)	
III	Organizations Theories	15
	1. Systems, contingency	
	2. Structure and forms: Ministries and Departments,	
	Corporations, Companies	
IV	Boards & Commissions	15
	1. Ad hoc and advisory bodies	
	2. Regulatory Authorities	
	3. Public - Private Partnerships	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

Textbooks:

- 1. George, C S (1974) The History of Management Thought. Prentice Hall: New Delhi
- 2. Gross, B (1968) Organizations and their Managing. Free Press: New York
- 3. Laxmikanth, M (2017) Administrative Theory. McGraw Hill Education: New Delhi

Reference Books:

- 4. Appleby, Paul (1947) Toward Better Public Administration, Public Administration Review, Vol. 7, No. 2, Pp. 93–99
- 5. Blau, P M (1987) Bureaucracy in Modern Society. Random House: New York
- Clapp, Gordon (1948) Public Administration in an Advancing South, Public Administration Review Vol. 8, No. 2.Pp. 169–75
- Denhardt, Robert B and Denhardt, Janet V (2009) Public Administration: An Action Orientation (6thEdition). Thomson Wadsworth: Belmont CA
- 8. Etzioni, A (1964) Modern Organizations. Prentice Hall: New Delhi

SEMESTER I (Minor)

Paper Name: Indian Political System

Paper Code: ADM182N101

L-T-P-C: 2-1-0-3 Credit Units: 3

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 100

Course Objectives:

To make the students understand the making of the constitution of India and its salient features. The object shall be achieved by dealing with the understanding the concepts of the organs of the government. It will introduce the students with the role of electoral process in Indian political system and the changing nature of the political parties in the Indian Politics.

CO1	To define the basic political institutions and its nature along with the Constitution of India.	BT1
CO2	of federalism, party system and the changing roles of the electoral system in India.	
CO3	To determine and examine the role of public institutions in social development.	ВТ3
CO4	To debate on the issues of public importance.	BT4

Detailed Syllabus:

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Making of the Constitution	15
	1. Philosophy of the Constitution,	
	2. Basic structure and salient features of the Constitution	
	of India	
II	Rights & Duties in the Indian Constitution	15
	1. Fundamental Rights and Fundamental Duties	
	2. Directive Principles of State Policies	
III	Organs of the Government	15
	1. Composition and role of Legislature, Executive &	
	Judiciary:	
	2. Independence of Judiciary, High Courts and Supreme	
	Court	
	3. Judicial Review & Activism	
IV	Nature of Indian Federalism, Politics and Elections	15
	Features of Federalism,	
	2. Federal and Non-Federal or Unitary features of the	
	Constitution of India	
	3. Secularism,	
	4. Caste in Politics	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	<u> </u>
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly visit)

Textbooks:

- 1. Austin, G (2013) *The Indian Constitution: Cornerstone of a nation*, 2nd Edition, Oxford university press, New Delhi
- 2. Dutta, A.R., (2013) *Politics in India; Issues, institutions, processes*, Arun Prakashan, Guwahati
- 3. Fadia and Fadia, (2018) Indian Government and Politics, Sahitya Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 4. Kashyap, Subash C (2008) Our Political System, National Book Trust, New Delhi

Reference Books

- 5. Sarita (2009) Federalism in India: A quest for New Identity; Cambridge University Press, New Delhi
- 6. Kolhatkar; M.R. (2012); Education *and Federalism in India*; Rawat Publications, New Delhi
- 7. Chander, Prakash (2008), *Indian Government and Politics*, Cosmos Bookhive, New Delhi.
- 8. Jayal and Mehta, (2011) *The Oxford Companion to Politics in India*, Oxford Publications, New Delhi.

Semester – I (IDC)

Paper I/Subject Name: Introduction to Indian Knowledge System - I

Subject Code: IKS992K101

L-T-P-C-2-1-0-3

Credit Units: 3

Course Level: 100

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Credit Distribution (NCH)

Lecture/Tutorial (Hours)	Practical (Hours)	Experiential Learning (Hours)
60	0	30

Course Objectives:

This Foundation course is designed to present an overall introduction to all the streams of IKS relevant to the UG program. It would enable students to explore the most fundamental ideas that have shaped Indian Knowledge Traditions over the centuries.

Course Outcomes:

On completion of this course students will be able to:

CO	Contents	BT Level
CO ₁	Recall the rich heritage of Indian knowledge systems	BT level 1
CO ₂	Describe the contribution of Indian knowledge systems to the world	BT level 2
CO ₃	Demonstrate knowledge of sociocultural and ethnolinguistic diversity that constitutes the soul of Bharatvarsha	BT level 2
CO ₄	Apply traditional knowledge and techniques in day-to-day life	BT level 3
CO ₅	Distinguish knowledge traditions that originated in the Indian subcontinent	BT level 3

Module	Course Contents	Periods
I	Introduction to Indian Knowledge Systems (IKS): About Indian Knowledge System; Definition of Indigenous/ Traditional Knowledge; Scope, and Importance of Traditional Knowledge. Ancient India- Bharat Varsha: People of Ancient Bharat Varsha; Our great natural heritage: The great Himalayas and the rivers; The civilizations of the Sindhu-Ganga valley, and the Brahmaputra valley; Our coastal plains; Our Nature: Forests and Minerals; Ancient Indian Traditional Knowledge and Wisdom about nature and climate.	15

Module	Course Contents	Periods
П	Indian Heritage of Knowledge: Ancient Indian Knowledge: The Vedas and its components-the Vedangas Ancient Indian books and treaties: The Sastras.; The Great Indian Epics: The Ramayana and The Mahabharata Epics and religious treaties of ancient Assam: Introduction to Madhav Kandali's Ramayan and Srimanta Sankardev's Dasam Skandha Bhagavat of the Puranas; Ancient Traditional Knowledge-The Agamas; The ancient Buddhist knowledge: Tripitaka: Vinaya, Sutta and Abhidhamma Pitaka Languages and language studies in India: What is linguistics?; Script and Language; Alphabet of the Indian; languages Varnamala: Origin, Evolution, and phonetic features; Languages of India; Important texts of Indian languages: Skills Siksha, Expression/Prounciation-Nirukta, Grammer-Vyakarana, Poetic rhythm-Chandas; Paninian Grammar: A Brief Introduction Introduction to Fine Arts and Performing Arts of India: Ancient Indian classical music and dance forms: The Science of Dramas-Natyasastra and the Science of Music-Gandharva-Veda; Aesthetics in Indian Art and Culture; Folk music and traditional dance forms of the Northeast.	15
Ш	Indian Science & Technology: Ancient India's contribution to Mathematics - Number System. Algebra and Arithmetic, Geometry and Trigonometry; Origin of Decimal system in India; nomenclature of numbers in the Vedas. Zero and Infinity. Sulbasutras. Contribution of Brahmagupta and Sridhar Acharya to Mathematics. Important texts of Indian mathematics. Indian Astronomy: Planetary System. Motion of the Planets; Velocity of Light; Eclipse. Astronomy. Navagrahas. Important works in Indian Astronomy. Aryabhata and Nilakantha: Contribution to Astronomical Studies Indian Metal Works: Mining Techniques. Types of Metals. Tools & Techniques for Metal Smelting with examples. Metalworks in premodern India: Special reference to NE India.	15

IV	Traditional Indigenous systems of medicines in India: - Ayurveda and Yoga; Elements of Ayurveda: Gunas and Doshas, Pancha Mahabhuta and Sapta-dhatu; Concept of disease in Ayurveda; Ayurvedic lifestyle practices: Dinacharya and Ritucharya; Important Ayurvedic Texts; Hospitals in Ancient India; Ayurveda: Gift of India to the modern world. Total	15
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Textbooks:

- 1. Mahadevan, B., Bhat Vinayak Rajat, Nagendra Pavan RN. (2022), *Introduction to Indian Knowledge System: Concepts and Applications*. PHI Learning Private Ltd.
- 2. Mukul Chandra Bora, Foundations of Bharatiya Knowledge System. Khanna Book Publishing

Reference Books:

- 1. Baladev Upadhyaya, Samskrta Śāstrom ka Itihās, Chowkhambha, Varanasi, 2010.
- 2. D. M. Bose, S. N. Sen and B. V. Subbarayappa, Eds., *A Concise History of Science in India*, 2nd Ed., Universities Press, Hyderabad, 2010.
- 3. Astāngahrdaya, Vol. I, *Sūtrasthāna and Śarīrasthāna*, Translated by K. R. Srikantha Murthy, Vol. I, Krishnadas Academy, Varanasi, 1991.
- 4. Dharampal, *The Beautiful Tree: Indian Indigenous Education in the Eighteenth Century*, Dharampal Classics Series, Rashtrotthana Sahitya, Bengaluru, 2021.
- 5. J. K. Bajaj and M. D. Srinivas, *Indian Economy, and Polity in Eighteenth-century Chengalpattu*, in J. K. Bajaj ed., Indian Economy and Polity, Centre for Policy Studies, Chennai, 1995, pp. 63-84.

Semester – I (AEC)

Paper I/Subject Name: CEN I: Introduction to Effective Communication

Subject Code: CEN982A101

L-T-P-C-1-0-0-1

Credit Units: 1

Course Level: 100

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Course Objective: To understand the four major aspects of communication by closely examining the processes and outlining the most effective ways to communicate with interactive activities.

Course Outcomes: On successful completion of the course the students will be able to

CO	Course Outcome	Blooms
Level		Taxonomy Level
CO 1	List the elements and processes that make for successful communication and recognise everyday activities that deserve closer attention in order to improve communication skills	BT 1
CO 2	Contrast situations that create barriers to effective communication and relate them to methods that are consciously devised to overcome such hindrance	BT 2
CO 3	Apply language, gestures, and para-language effectively to avoid miscommunication and articulate one's thoughts and build arguments more effectively	BT 3

Detailed Syllabus		
Units	Course Contents	Periods
I	Introduction to Effective Communication • Listening Skills • The Art of Listening • Factors that affect Listening • Characteristics of Effective Listening • Guidelines for improving Listening skills	5
п	 Speaking Skills The Art of Speaking Styles of Speaking Guidelines for improving Speaking skills Oral Communication: importance, guidelines, and barriers 	5
III	 Reading Skills The Art of Reading Styles of Reading: skimming, surveying, scanning Guidelines for developing Reading skills 	5
IV	 Writing Skills The Art of Writing Purpose and Clarity in Writing Principles of Effective Writing 	5

Texts:

- 1. Rizvi, M. Ashraf. (2017). Effective Technical Communication. McGraw-Hill.
- 2. Chaturvedi, P. D. and Chaturvedi, Mukesh. (2014). Business Communication. Pearson.
- 3. Raman, Meenakshi and Sharma, Sangeeta. (2011). *Technical Communication: Principles and Practice* (2nd Edition): Oxford University Press.

Credit Distribution			
Lecture/Tutorial	Practicum	Experiential Learning	
15 hours	-	10 hours - Movie/ Documentary /Podcasts screening - Peer teaching	

Semester – I (AEC)

Paper I/Subject Name: Behavioural Sciences -1

Subject Code: BHS982A102

L-T-P-C-1-0-0-1

Credit Units: 1

Course Level: 100

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Course objectives: To increase one's ability to draw conclusions and develop inferences about attitudes and behaviour, when confronted with different situations that are common in modern organizations.

CO Level	Course Outcome	Blooms Taxonomy Level
	XX 1	
CO 1	Understand self & process of self exploration	BT 1
CO 2	To help the students explain strategies for development of a healthy self esteem	BT 2
CO 3	Apply the concepts to build emotional competencies.	BT 3

Detailed Syllabus:

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
	Introduction to Behavioral Science	
Ι	Definition and need of Behavioral Science, Self: Definition components, Importance	4
	of knowing self, Identity Crisis, Gender and Identity, Peer Pressure, Self image: Self Esteem, Johari Window, Erikson's model.	
	Foundations of individual behavior	
	Personality- structure, determinants, types of personalities.	
II	Perception: Attribution, Errors in perception.	4
	Learning- Theories of learning: Classical, Operant and Social	
	Behaviour and communication.	
	Defining Communication, types of communication, barriers to communication,	
Ш	ways to overcome barriers to Communication, Importance of Non-Verbal	
1111	Communication/Kinesics, Understanding Kinesics, Relation between behaviour and	4
	communication.	
	Time and Stress Management	
	Time management: Introduction-the 80:20, sense of time management, Secrets of	
IV	time management, Effective scheduling.	
	Stress management: effects of stress, kinds of stress-sources of stress, Coping	4
	Mechanisms.	"
	Relation between Time and Stress.	
	Total	16

Text books

- J William Pfeiffer (ed.) Theories and Models in Applied Behavioural Science, Vol 3, Management; Pfeiffer & Company
- Blair J. Kolasa, Introduction to Behavioural Science for Business, John Wiley & Sons Inc
- K.Alex, Soft skills; S.Chand.

Semester- I (SEC)

Course Name: Exit Poll Subject Code: ADM182S121

L-T-P-C: 2-1-0-3 Credit Units: 3 Level: 100

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Course Objective:

The course will allow a student to understand how the electoral system works in India. The course will allow the student to understand the pre and post poll analysis of the election system in India.

After successful completion of the course, the students will be able to

CO 1	Learn the Exit Poll and its importance in electoral process.	BT 1
CO 2	Understand pre and post poll of Elections.	BT 2
CO 3	Examine and analyse the election system in India.	BT 3

Detailed Syllabus:

Modules	Topics (If Applicable) & Course Contents	Periods
I	Unit I: Electoral Process in India	15
	1. A brief study of the Election Commission of India.	
	2. Major Political Parties in India.	
II	Unit II: Meaning of Exit Polls	15
	1. What are Exit Polls?	
	2. Pre and Post Poll Analysis.	
III	Unit III: Impact of Exit Polls	15
	1. Impact of Exit Polls on the general public.	
	2. Procedure of Exit Polls in India.	
IV	Unit IV: Role of Media Houses	15
	1. Why Exit Polls are important.	
	2. Role of the Media Houses in Exit Polls.	
	Total	60
	Credit Distribution	
Lectures/	Practicum	\mathbf{EL}
Tutorials		
60 Hours		30 Hours
		Documentary
		, Newspaper
		Analysis,
		Book
		Review,
		Assembly
İ		Visit

Text Books:

- 1. Singh, Richa. (2019). Opinion Polls and Exit Polls in india: A Study. Orient Publication, New Delhi.
- 2. Quraishi, S. Y. (2019). The Great March of Democracy: Seven Decades of Indian Election's. Penguin Publication.

Reference Books:

- 1. Dalton, Dennis. (2012). Mahatma Gandhi: Non-violent Power in Action. New York: Columbia University Press.
- 2. Diwakar, R. R. (1997). Saga of Satyagraha. New Delhi: Gandhi Peace Foundation.
- 3. Fischer, Louis. (1969). The Life of Mahatma Gandhi. London. Harper Collins.

SEMESTER II (Major)

Paper Name: Comparative Public Administration & Development

Paper Code: ADM182M201

L-T-P-C: 2-1-0-3 Credit Units: 3

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 100

Course Objectives:

This course will help the students to understand the connection between democracy and public administration. To identify the political and administrative possibilities inherent in democracy and analyze the issues relating to the governance.

CO1	To remember various approaches and models of comparative	BT1
	public administration.	
CO2	To understand the concept of approaches and indices.	BT2
CO3	To apply the conceptual framework of development.	ВТ3
CO4	To analyze the impact of liberalization.	BT4

Detailed Syllabus:

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Comparative Public Administration	15
	1. Historical and sociological factors affecting	
	administrative systems	
	2. Administration and politics in UK, USA and France	
II	Status of Comparative Public Administration	15
	1. Ecology and administration	
	2. Riggsian models and their critique	
III	Development Dynamics	15
	Concept of Development	
	2. Changing profile of Development Administration	
	3. Development and People's Participation	
IV	Impact of Liberalization	15
	Impact on Developing Countries	
	2. Women & Development-SHGs movement	
	3. State vs. Market Debate	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

Textbooks:

- 1. *Comparative Politics: A Development Approach*, Almond, G.A. and G.B. Powell Jr. 1966, New Delhi, Amerind Publishing Company.
- 2. Inducing Client Focus in Bureaucracy: The Citizen Charter in India, Arvind K. Sharma & Indu Sharma, 2002, IIPA, New Delhi
- 3. Administrative Accountability in the Westminister Democracies:

 Towards a new conceptual framework, 1995, B. Stone, Governance, 8(4), Oct.
- 4. *Public Administration: A Comparative Perspective*, Ferrel Heady, 1996, New Delhi, Prentice Hall India (P) Ltd, 1994.

Reference Books:

- 5. H.B. Gartz (eds.), Structural *Adjustment, Public Policy and Bureaucracy in Developing Societies*, 1994, New Delhi, Har Anand Publications.
- 6. G. Jabbra and O.P. Dwivedi (eds.), *Public Service Accountability:* A Comparative Perspective, 1998, West Hartford, Kumarian Press.
- 7. N. Lewis and P. Birkeshaw, *When Citizens Complain:*Reforming Justice and Administration, 1999, Buckingham, Open University Press.
- 8. T.N. Chaturvedi, *Comparative Public Administration*, Jaipur, 1999, Research Publications.
- 9. V.N. Vishwanathan, *Comparative Public Administration*, 1997, New Delhi, Sterling Publishers Pvt. Ltd.
- 10. Arora, R K and Sharma, S (Eds.) (1992) Comparative and Development Administration:

SEMESTER II (Major)

Paper Name: Climatology & Oceanography

Paper Code: ADM182M202

L-T-P-C: 2-1-0-3 Credit Units: 3

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 100

Course Objectives:

This course is designed as an Understand the atmospheric elements, processes and resultant weather and climates. Comprehend the impact of climate on planet earth.

CO1	To remember the structure and composition of earth's atmosphere.	BT1
CO2	To understand the importance of Geography for civil services.	BT2
CO3	To apply concept of climate change.	ВТ3
CO4	To analyze the impact of climate change.	BT4

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Earth's Atmosphere	15
	1. The structure and composition of Earth's atmosphere;	
	Elements of weather and climate; Factors affecting	
	the distribution of temperature; Vertical and	
	horizontal and seasonal distribution of temperature	
	2. Insolation and heat budget; Temperature inversion;	
	Atmospheric pressure and circulation of planetary	
	winds; Air masses and their characteristics	
II	Climatology	15
	1. Cyclones: Tropical Cyclones, Temperate	
	Cyclones, Monsoon - Origin and Mechanism, Jet	
	Streams	
	2. Atmospheric Moisture: Evaporation, Humidity,	
	Condensation, Fog and Clouds, Precipitation Types,	
	Stability and Instability	
	3. Climatic Regions, Climate change and global	
	warming, El Nino.	
III	Oceanography	15
	Ocean floor topography of Indian, Atlantic and	
	Pacific oceans	
	2. Oceanic water Movements: Waves, Currents,	
	Tsunamis and Tides.	
IV	Ocean Related Issues	15
	Ocean Salinity and Temperature: Distribution and	
	Determinants.	
	2. Coral Reefs and Marine Deposits and Ocean	
	Resources.	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		

60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

Textbooks:

- 1. Barry, R. G. and Carleton, A. M., 2001: *Synoptic and Dynamic Climatology*, Routledge, UK.
- 2. Barry, R. G. and Chorley, R. J., 1998: *Atmosphere, Weather and Climate*, Routledge, New York.
- 3. Critchfield, H. J., 1987: *General Climeatology*, Prentice-Hall of India, New Delhi

Reference Books:

- 4. Anikouchine W. A. and Sternberg R. W., 1973: The World Oceans: An Introduction to Oceanography, Prentice-Hall.
- 5. Batten L. J., 1979: Fundamentals of Meteorology, Prentice-Hall Inc., Englewood Cliffs, New Jersey.
- 6. Boucher K., 1975: Global Climates, Halstead Press, New York.
- 7. Garrison T., 1998: Oceanography, Wordsworth Company, Belmont

SEMESTER II (Minor)

Paper Name: Electoral System in India

Paper Code: ADM182N201

L-T-P-C: 2-1-0-3 Credit Units: 3

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 100

Course Objectives:

To provide students an understanding of the Electoral processes in India and to familiarize them with the idea of elections in India. To provide students a thorough background in recent trends and changes in the electoral processes in India.

CO1	To define and learn elections and its related processes in India.	BT1
CO2	To understand and familiar with the recent trends in contemporary Indian Elections and its changing nature and process.	BT2
CO3	To examine the interest towards the greater democratic process in India.	ВТ3
CO4	To evaluate and validate the role of election commission and wrong done.	BT4

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	The Election Commission of India	15
	1. Structure, composition and functions	
	2. Steps taken to conduct free and fair elections	
	3. Enrolment of new voters	
II	Technology & Elections in India	15
	1. History of Indian Elections	
	2. The coming of technology in Elections	
	3. Electronic Voting Machines, EPIC, VVAPT, SWEEP	
III	Role of Political Parties in India	15
	 Major Political Parties in India Recognition of National and Regional Political Parties 	
	in India by ECI	
	3. Determinants of recognition.	
IV	Systems of Representation in India	15
	1. Representation on People's Act, 1951	
	2. Territorial Representation	
	3. Proportional Representation	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	<u> </u>
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

Textbooks:

- 1. Fadia and Fadia, (2018) *Indian Government and Politics*, Sahitya Bhawan, New Delhi.
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- 3. Chander, Prakash (2008), *Indian Government and Politics*, Cosmos Bookhive, New Delhi.
- 4. Jayal and Mehta, (2011) *The Oxford Companion To Politics in India*, Oxford Publications, New Delhi.
- 5. Roy and Sopariwala, (2019) *The Verdict: Decoding India's Elections*, Vintage Books, New Delhi.

Semester – II (IDC)

Paper II/Subject Name: Introduction to Indian Knowledge System - II

Subject Code: IKS992K201

L-T-P-C-2-1-0-3

Credit Units: 3

Course Level: 100

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Credit Distribution (NCH)

Lecture/Tutorial (Hours)	Practical (Hours)	Experiential Learning (Hours)
60	0	30

Course objectives:

This Foundation course is designed to present an overall introduction to all the streams of IKS relevant to the UG program. It would enable students to explore the most fundamental ideas that have shaped Indian Knowledge Traditions over the centuries.

Course Outcomes:

On completion of this course, students will be expected to –

CO	Contents	BT Level
CO ₁	Recall traditional Indian knowledge traditions constituting Indian culture	BT level 1
CO ₂	Summarize differences between classical literature in Sanskrit and other Indian languages	BT level 2
CO ₃	Compare knowledge traditions originating in NE India	BT level 2
CO ₄	Appreciate the contribution of Indian Knowledge Systems to the world	BT level 3

Module	Course Contents	Periods
I	Indian Classical Literature Indian Classical Literature: A Brief Introduction; Ancient Indian Spritual Poetics-Kavya: Contribution of Kalidasa Diversity and Indian Culture: Diversity and Indian Culture; Indigenous Faith and Religion; Preservation of culture and indigenous knowledge The Purpose of Knowledge: Understanding Self-Awareness and Spirituality; Indian concept and purpose of Knowledge and Education; Understanding Spirituality and Materialism: Para and Apara Vidya	15

Module	Course Contents	Periods
П	Methodology of Indian Knowledge System: Shruti and Smriti traditions; Intoduction to Shastras; Manuscriptology: The art and science of documenting knowledge; Repositories of ancient manuscripts with special reference to the Norteast India. Indian Architecture and Town Planning: Introduction ancient Indian architecture; Sthapatya-Veda: An Introduction; Indigenous tools & techniques for town planning & Temple Architecture. Lothal, Mohan Jo Daro; Temple Art: Lepakshi Temple, Jagannath Puri Temple, Konark Sun Temple; Vernacular architecture of Assam: Special reference to Brahmaputra Valley	15
Ш	Indian Agriculture: Agriculture: Significance in Human Civilization; Sustainable Agriculture; Historical significance of agriculture and sustainable farming in India;Step Cultivation of India: Special reference to Northeast India; Wet rice cultivation of Assam. Indian Textiles: What is Textile?; Tradition of cotton and silk textiles in India; The historical contribution of textile and weaving to the Indian economy; Varieties of textiles and dyes developed in different regions of India with special reference to Northeast India	15
IV	Indian Polity and Economy: Understanding Kingdom and Chiefdom; Role of a king; The Indian idea of a well-organized polity and flourishing economy; The <i>Chakravarti</i> System: Administrative System of Ancient Bharatvarsha; Village administrative system: Northeast India; <i>Arthashastra</i> : Brief synopsis The outreach of Indian Knowledge System across Geographical Boundaries: Indian Languages; Scripts; Linguistics; Ayurveda; Yoga and Meditation; Textile; Decimal value place system-based arithmetic, Algebra and Astronomy	15
	Total	60

Textbooks Books:

- 1. Mahadevan, B., Bhat Vinayak Rajat, Nagendra Pavan RN. (2022), Introduction to Indian Knowledge System: Concepts and Applications. PHI Learning Private Ltd.
- 2. Mukul Chandra Bora, Foundations of Bharatiya Knowledge System. Khanna Book Publishing

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- 3. Astāngahrdaya, Vol. I, *Sūtrasthāna and Śarīrasthāna*, Translated by K. R. Srikantha Murthy, Vol. I, Krishnadas Academy, Varanasi, 1991.
- 4. Dharampal, *The Beautiful Tree: Indian Indigenous Education in the Eighteenth Century*, Dharampal Classics Series, Rashtrotthana Sahitya, Bengaluru, 2021.
- 5. J. K. Bajaj and M. D. Srinivas, *Indian Economy, and Polity in Eighteenth-century Chengalpattu*, in J. K. Bajaj ed., Indian Economy and Polity, Centre for Policy Studies, Chennai, 1995, pp. 63-8

Semester – II (AEC)

Course Name: CEN II: Approaches to Verbal and Non-Verbal Communication

Subject Code: CEN982A201

L-T-P-C: 1-0-0-1 Credit Units: 1

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory Level of the Course: 100

Course Objectives

To introduce the students to the various forms of technical communication and enhance their knowledge in the application of both verbal and non-verbal skills in communicative processes.

Course Outcomes

On successful completion of the course the students will be able to:			
CO	Course Outcome	Blooms	
Level		Taxonomy Level	
CO 1	List the different types of technical communication, their	BT 1	
	characteristics, their advantages and disadvantages.		
CO 2	Explain the barriers to communication and ways to overcome	BT 2	
	them.		
CO 3	Identify the means to enhance conversation skills.	BT 3	
CO 4	Determine the different types of non-verbal communication	BT 4	
	and their significance.		

Modules	Topics (if applicable) & Course Contents	Periods	
I	Technology Enabled Communication Communicating about technical or specialized topics, Different forms of technology-enabled communication tools used in organizations Telephone, Teleconferencing, Fax, Email, Instant messaging, Blog, Podcast, Videos, videoconferencing, social media	4	
	Communication Barriers		
II	Types of barriers: Semantic, Psychological, Organisational, Cultural, Physical, Physiological, Methods to overcome barriers to communication.	4	
	Conversation skills/Verbal Communication		
III	Conversation – Types of Conversation, Strategies for Effectiveness, Conversation Practice, Persuasive Functions in Conversation, Telephonic Conversation and Etiquette Dialogue Writing, Conversation Control.	4	
IV	Non-verbal Communication Body language- Personal Appearance, Postures, Gestures, Eye Contact, Facial expressions Paralinguistic Features-Rate, Pause, Volume, Pitch/Intonation/ Voice/Modulation, Proxemics, Haptics, Artifacts, Chronemics,	4	
	Total	16	

Texts:

- 1. Rizvi, M. Ashraf. (2017). Effective Technical Communication. McGraw-Hill.
- 2. Chaturvedi, P. D. and Chaturvedi, Mukesh. (2014). Business Communication. Pearson.
- 3. Raman, Meenakshi and Sharma, Sangeeta. (2011). *Technical Communication: Principles and Practice* (2nd Edition): Oxford University Press.

Semester – II (AEC)

Course Name: Behavioural Sciences -II

Code: BHS982A202 L-T-P-C: 1-0-0-1 Credit Units: 1

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level of the Course: 100

Course objectives: To increase one's ability to draw conclusions and develop inferences about attitudes and behaviour, when confronted with different situations that are common in modern organizations.

On successful completion of the course the students will be able to:			
СО	Course Outcome	Blooms	
Level		Taxonomy Level	
CO 1	Develop an elementary level of understanding of culture and its implications on personality of people.	BT 1	
CO 2	Understand the concept of leadership spirit and to know its impact on performance of employees.	BT 1	
CO 3	Apply the concept of Motivation in real life.	BT 2	

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Culture and Personality Culture: Definition, Effect, relation with Personality, Cultural Iceberg, Overview of Hofstede's Framework, Discussion of the four dimensions of Hofstede's Framework.	4
П	Attitudes and Values Attitude's definition: changing our own attitudes, Process of cognitive dissonance Types of Values, Value conflicts, Merging personal and Organisational values	4
Ш	Motivation Definition of motivation with example, Theories of Motivation (Maslow, McClelland's theory & Theory X and Y)	4
IV	Leadership Definition of leadership, Leadership continuum, types of leadership, Importance of Leadership, New age leaderships: Transformational & transactional Leadership, Leaders as role models.	4
	Total	16

Text books:

- J William Pfeiffer (ed.) Theories and Models in Applied Behavioural Science, Vol 3, Management; Pfeiffer & Company
- Blair J. Kolasa, Introduction to Behavioural Science for Business, John Wiley & Sons Inc.
- Organizational Behaviour by Kavita Singh (Vikas publishers, 3rd Edition).

Semester-II (SEC)

Course Name: Constitutional Studies

Subject Code: ADM182S201

L-T-P-C: 2-1-0-3 Credit Units:3 Course Level: 100

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Course Objective:

This Course will allow a student to understand the basics of the Indian Constitution. It will help a student to understand the core of Indian Political philosophy.

After successful completion of the course, the students will be

CO 1	Able to learn the basics of the Indian constitution	BT 1
CO 2	Enable to familiarize with the working of the Indian State and the contradictory dynamics of modern state power.	BT 2
CO 3	Able to examine core of Indian political philosophy.	BT 3

Modules	Topics (If Applicable) & Course Contents	Periods
I	Unit I1. The role of the Constituent Assembly.2. The soul of the Constitution: Preamble.	15
II	Unit II 1. The Directive Principles of the Indian Constitution. 2. Fundamental Rights.	15
Ш	Unit III 1. The debate between Directive Principles and Fundamental Rights.	15
IV	Unit IV: 1. The Tenth Schedule, Fundamental Duties. 2. Election to the President of India, Eight Schedule.	15
	Total	60
	Credit Distribution	
Lectures/ Tutorials	Practicum	EL
60 Hours		30 Hours
		Documentary , Newspaper Analysis, Book Review, Assembly Visit

Text Books:

- 1. Basu, DD. (2019). Constitution of India. India Law House.
- 2. Bhagwan, V. (2008). *Indian Government and Politics*. Omson Publications.

Reference Books

- 1. Kashyap, S. (2001). Our Constitution: An Introduction. NBI.
- 2. Laksmi kanth, M. (2017). Indian Polity. Fifth Edition. Tata McGraw Hill.

Semester-II (VAC)

Course Name: Indian Polity and Governance

Subject Code: VAC992V2420

L-T-P-C: 2-1-0-3 Credit Units: 3 Level: 100

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Course Objective:

This Course will allow a student to understand the basic understandings of Indian polity and governance. This course will also help the students in exploring the principles and philosophy of the Indian Constitution and examine the structure and functioning of key political institutions, including the President, Parliament, and political parties.

After successful completion of the course, the students will be

CO 1	Gain a comprehensive understanding of the basic concepts and historical evolution of Indian polity and governance.	BT 1
CO 2	Explore the principles embedded in the Indian Constitution and understand their implications for governance.	BT 2
CO 3	Examine the structure and functioning of key political institutions, including the President, Parliament, and political parties.	BT 3
CO 4	Explore the significance of decentralized governance through the study of Panchayati Raj Institutions and Urban Local Bodies.	BT 4

Modules	Topics (If Applicable) & Course Contents	Periods
	Unit I Basics of Indian Polity	
I	Introduction to Indian Polity	15
	2. Fundamental Rights and Duties	
	3. Directive Principles of State Policy	
	Unit II Constitutional Framework	
II	1. Features of the Indian Constitution	15
	2. Principles of the Indian Constitution	
	3. Constitutional Bodies	
	Unit III Political Institutions	
III	1. The President and Prime Minister	15
	2. The Parliament	
	3. Electoral System and Political Parties	
	Unit IV: Local Governance	
IV	1. Panchayati Raj Institutions	15
	2. Urban Local Bodies	
	3. Decentralization in Indian Governance	
	Total	60
	Credit Distribution	
Lectures/ Tutorials	Practicum	EL
60 Hours		30 Hours
00 Hours		Documentary
		, Newspaper
		Analysis,
		Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		Visit

References

- 1- "Indian Polity" by M. Laxmikanth
- 2- "Introduction to the Constitution of India" by D.D. Basu
- 3- "Indian Government and Politics" by B.L. Fadia and Kuldeep Fadia
- 4- "Governance in India" by M. P. Sharma
- 5- "Our Parliament" by Subhash C. Kashyap

SEMESTER III (Major)

Paper Name: Public Administration and Administrative Law

Paper Code: ADM182M301

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 200

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the students to analyze the various aspects of personnel administration. The course will also increase students' ability to comprehend the Civil Service Reforms.

CO1	To gain conceptual clarity related to public personnel administration.	BT1
CO2	To understand the public personnel system of the Indian Republic.	BT2
CO3	To apply the concepts of personnel administration to real life.	ВТ3
CO4	To analyze issues like Employee associations, Adjudication institutions and processes and Civil Service Reforms.	BT4

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Personnel Administration	15
	Importance of Human Resource Development	
	2. Recruitment and Career advancement	
	3. Training	
II	Terms & Conditions	15
	1. Discipline and Performance appraisal,	
	2. Promotion, Pay and service conditions	
	3. Employer- employee relations, Grievance redressal	
	mechanism	
III	Civil Services	15
	1. Constitutional position and Structure	
	2. Recruitment, Training and capacity-building	
	3. Neutrality and Civil service Activism; Good Governance	
	Initiatives	
IV	Administrative Law	15
	1. Meaning, scope and significance	
	2. Dicey on Administrative law	
	3. Delegated Legislation; Administrative Tribunals	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

Textbooks:

- 1. *Public Systems Management*, Kumar De, Barun, 2016, New Age International Publications.
- 2. Human Resource Management, V.S.P.Rao, 2007, Excel Books, New Delhi
- 3. Human Resource Management, Sun India Publications, A. K. Singh et. 2005, New Delhi.

Reference Books:

- 4. Bhayana, S S and Singh S (2016) Public Personnel and Financial Administration (4th Edition). New Academics: Jalandhar
- 5. Davar, Rustom S (2008) Personnel Management and Industrial Relations in India (2nd Edition). Vikas Publishing House: New Delhi
- 6. Flippo, Edwin B (2008) Principles of Personnel Management (4th Edition). McGraw Hill: Kogakusha
- 7. Rabin, Jack; Vocino, Thomas; Hildreth, W Bartley; and Miller, J Gerald (2008) Handbook of Public Personnel Administration. Taylor & Francis: United Kingdom
- 8. Koontz, H and O'Donnell, Cyril (2008) Principles of Management (5th Edition). McGraw Hill:Tokyo
- 9. Pigors, Paul and Myers, Charles A (1969) Personnel Administration: A Point of View and a Method (6th Edition). McGraw Hill: New York
- 10. Sarkaria Commission (1988) Report of the Commission on Centre-State Relations. Government of India: New Delhi. Available on: interstatecouncil.nic.in/report-of-the-sarkaria-commission/sarkaria commission report

SEMESTER III (Major)

Paper Name: State and District Administration

Paper Code: ADM182M302

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 200

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the students to analyze the democratic decentralization in India. The course will also increase students' ability to comprehend the constitutional and administrative ramifications of decentralization.

CO1	To gain knowledge about the constitutional provisions/stipulations for	BT1
	democratic decentralization in India.	
CO2	To understand the political and administrative possibilities inherent in decentralization.	BT2
CO3	To identify the issues relating to the decentralization.	ВТ3
CO4	To analyze the centre-state relations and development management.	BT4

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Union & State Relation	15
	1. Union-State administrative,	
	2. Legislative and Financial relations.	
	3.Role of the Finance Commission.	
II	State Government	15
	1. Governor	
	2. Chief Minister and Council of Ministers	
	3. State Secretariat	
III	District Administration	15
	1. District Administration since Independence:	
	2. Changing role of the Collector	
	3. Union-State-Local relations	
IV	Development Management	15
	 Imperatives of Development Management; Law and Order Administration District Administration and Democratic Decentralization. 	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	<u> </u>
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

Textbooks:

- 1. *Public Administration: A Reader*, Chakrabarty Bidyut and Mohit Bhattacharya (ed), 2003, Oxford University Press, New Delhi.
- 2. *Panchayat Raj in India: Emerging Trends Across the States*, Joshil. R. P. and G.S. Narwani, 2002, Rawat Publications, Jaipur, New Delhi.

Reference Books:

- 3. Vayunandan E, Mathew D, "Good Governance: Initiatives in India", 2003, Prentice Hall of India Private Limited, New Delhi.
- 4. Mishra, S.N, Mishra, Sweta, "Decentralised Governance," 2002, Shipra Publications, New Delhi.

SEMESTER III (Minor)

Paper Name: Public Sector Undertakings & Organisations

Paper Code: ADM182N301

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 200

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the students to analyze the regulatory authorities; public - private partnerships. The course will also increase students' ability to comprehend the problems of autonomy, accountability, and control as well as impact of liberalization and privatization.

CO1	To understand various aspects of Public Sector and Public Sector Undertakings in India.	BT1
CO2	To gain knowledge about privatization and performance of central public sector enterprises in India.	BT2
CO4	To analyze various forms of organization of governing boards	BT4

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Public Sector Undertakings	15
	1. Public sector in modern India;	
	2. Forms of Public Sector Undertakings	
II	Problems Public Sector Undertakings	15
	1. Problems of Autonomy, Accountability, and control;	
	2. Impact of Liberalization and Privatization.	
III	Organizations Theories	15
	1. Systems, contingency	
	2. Structure and forms: Ministries and Departments, Corporations,	
	Companies.	
IV	Boards and Commissions	15
	1. Boards and Commissions;	
	2. Adhoc and Advisory Bodies;	
	3. Regulatory Authorities; Public - Private Partnerships.	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

Textbooks:

- 1. *Economics, planning and public administration*, Dubhashi, P.R.(1976).. Bombay: Somaiya, Publications, Pvt. Ltd.
- 2. Public sector economics: theory, policy and practice, Bailey, S.J. (2001).. 2nd ed. London: Palgrave.

ReferenceBooks:

- 1. Bos,D. (1991) Privatization: a theoretical treatment .Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- 2. Administrative Reforms Commission. (1967).Report of study team on public sector undertakings .New Delhi: Government of India.

Semester – III (IDC)

Paper I/Subject Name: Strategic Studies

Code: ADM182I301 L-T-P-C – 2-1-0-3 Credit Units: 3

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Course Objectives:

1. To introduce students to the fundamental concepts and theories of strategic studies.

2. To develop critical thinking skills necessary for analyzing strategic issues and challenges.

- 3. To explore the interdisciplinary nature of strategy by integrating insights from political science, military studies, economics, and sociology.
- 4. To foster an understanding of the historical evolution and contemporary relevance of strategic thought and practice.

After successful completion of the course, the students will

CO 1	Demonstrate a thorough understanding of key concepts and theories in strategic studies.	BT 1
CO 2	Apply interdisciplinary approaches to develop comprehensive strategic solutions.	BT 2
CO 3	Developing critical thinking which is crucial for analyzing current strategic issues and challenges.	BT 3
CO 4	Examining the historical evolution and contemporary relevance of strategic thought and practice.	BT 4

Modules	Topics (if applicable) & Course Contents	Periods
I	Unit I- Strategic Thought 1-Kautilya 2-Jomini 3-Carl Von Clausewitz	15
II	Unit II- War as an Instrument in IR 1-Causes of War 2-Democratic Peace Theory 3-Global Nuclear Doctrines	15
III	Unit III- Defence Economics 1-Economic Causes of War 2-International Trade Regimes and National Security 3-Geo-Economics and its Implications	15
IV	Unit IV- Science and Technology 1-Revolution in Military Affairs (RMA) 2-Military Industrial Complexes 3-Dual Use Technology Total	15 60

Textbooks

- Books- Jolle Demmers, Theories of Violent Conflict: An Introduction (Routledge, 2016).
- Karin Fierke, Critical Approaches to International Security, second edition, (Polity, 2015).

Reference Books

- Tim Jacoby, Understanding Conflict and Violence (Routledge, London and New York, 2007).
- Booth, K. (2014), *International Relations: All that Matters*, (London: John Murray Press).

Semester-III (AEC)

Paper/Subject Name: CEN III - Fundamentals of Business Communication

Code: CEN982A301 L-T-P-C: 1-0-0-1 Credit Units:1 Course Level: 200

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Course Objective: The aim of the course is to develop essential business communication skills, including effective writing, speaking, and interpersonal communication, to enhance professional interactions, collaboration, and successful communication strategies within diverse corporate environments.

Course Outcomes: On successful completion of the course the students will be able to:

CO Level	Course Outcome	Blooms Taxonomy Level
CO 1	Define and list business documents using appropriate formats and styles, demonstrating proficiency in written communication for various business contexts.	BT 1
CO 2	Demonstrate confident verbal communication skills through persuasive presentations, active listening, and clear articulation to engage and influence diverse stakeholders.	BT 2

	Apply effective interpersonal communication strategies, including conflict	
	resolution and active teamwork, to foster positive relationships and	
CO 3	contribute to successful organizational communication dynamics	BT 3

	Detailed Syllabus		
Units	Course Contents	Periods	
	Business Communication: Spoken and Written • The Role of Business Communication		
I	 Classification and Purpose of Business Communication The Importance of Communication in Management Communication Training for Managers 	5	
	 Communication Structures in Organizations Information to be Communicated at the Workplace Writing Business Letters, Notice, Agenda and Minutes 		
п	Negotiation Skills in Business Communication • The Nature and Need for Negotiation • Situations requiring and not requiring negotiations	5	
	 Factors Affecting Negotiation Location, Timing, Subjective Factors Stages in the Negotiation Process Preparation, Negotiation, Implementation 		
	Negotiation Strategies		
Ш	 Ethics in Business Communication Ethical Communication Values, Ethics and Communication Ethical Dilemmas Facing Managers A Strategic Approach to Business Ethics Ethical Communication on the Internet 	5	
	• Ethics in Advertising Business Etiquettes and Professionalism		
IV	 Introduction to Business Etiquette Interview Etiquette Social Etiquette Workplace Etiquette 	5	
	Netiquette		

Texts:

- 1. Business Communication by Shalini Verma
- 2. Business Communication by P.D. Chaturvedi and Mukesh Chaturvedi
- 3. Technical Communication by Meenakshi Raman and Sangeeta Sharma

Semester-III (AEC)

Paper/Subject Name: Behavioural Sciences -III

Code: BHS982A302 L-T-P-C: 1-0-0-1 Credit Units:1 Course Level: 200

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Course objectives: To increase one's ability to draw conclusions and develop inferences about attitudes and behaviour, when confronted with different situations that are common in modern organizations. To enable the students to understand the process of problem solving and creative thinking.

Course outcomes: On completion of the course the students will be able to:

CO Level	Course Outcome	Blooms Taxonomy Level
CO 1	Understand the process of problem solving and creative thinking.	BT 1
CO 2	Develop and enhance skills required for decision-making.	BT 3

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Problem Solving Process Defining problem, the process of problem solving, Barriers to problem solving(Perception, Expression, Emotions, Intellect, surrounding environment)	4
п	Thinking as a tool for Problem Solving What is thinking: The Mind/Brain/Behaviour Critical Thinking and Learning: -Making Predictions and Reasoning. -Memory and Critical Thinking. - Emotions and Critical Thinking.	4
Ш	Creative Thinking Definition and meaning of creativity, The nature of creative thinking :Convergent and Divergent thinking, Idea generation and evaluation (Brain Storming) Image generation and evaluation. The six-phase model of Creative Thinking: ICEDIP model	4
IV	Building Emotional Competence Emotional Intelligence – Meaning, components, Importance and Relevance Positive and Negative emotions Healthy and Unhealthy expression of emotions	4
	Total	16

Text books:

- J William Pfeiffer (ed.) Theories and Models in Applied Behavioural Science, Vol 3, Management; Pfeiffer & Company
- Blair J. Kolasa, Introduction to Behavioural Science for Business, John Wiley & Sons Inc.

Semester-III (SEC)

Course Name: Film Studies Subject Code: ADM182S321

L-T-P-C: 2-0-1-3 Credit Units:3 Course Level: 200

Scheme of Evaluation: Practical

Course Objective:

This Course will allow a student to understand the foundational concepts of film studies, its historical evolution and its critical relationship with political discourse. Additionally, it will help a student analyze films as a powerful medium of political expression, cultural influence and ideological representation in society. Students will also be able to explore the impact of Bollywood and Indian cinema on the portrayal of identity politics, gender, race, class and social issues as well as critically examine the influence of the digital revolution on Indian cinema and explore the themes of diversity and inclusivity in contemporary films.

After successful completion of the course, the students will be

CO 1	Able to demonstrate an understanding of the historical development of film studies and its role in shaping political and ideological discourse.	BT 1
CO 2	Enable to analyze films as cultural artifacts that represent and influence social issues such as race, gender and class.	BT 2
CO 3	Able to critically assess the impact of digital technologies on contemporary Indian cinema and the transformation of film production, distribution and consumption.	BT 3
CO 4	Students will develop the ability to review and critique regional cinema, understanding its contribution to political awareness and social change in India.	BT 4

Modules Modules	Topics (If Applicable) & Course Contents	Periods
Wioduics	Unit I Introduction to Film Studies	Terrous
I	1. Define film studies; historical evolution and critical	15
	dimensions within political discourse	
	2. Understanding film as a medium of political expression,	
	cultural influence and ideological representation.	
***	Unit II Film and Society	15
II	1. Bollywood movies and politics: Identity politics, issues	15
	of race, gender, class, and sexuality	
	2. Indian movies and portrayal of social issues	
	Unit III Contemporary Issues in Film Studies	
III	1. Impact of the digital revolution on Indian cinema	15
	2. Exploration of diversity and inclusiveness in film studies	
	Unit IV: Regional Cinema and Political Awareness	
IV	☐ A movie review on Award winning regional movie	15
	Contribution of regional cinema	
	3. The Tenth Schedule, Fundamental Duties.	
	4. Election to the President of India, Eight Schedule.	
	Total	60
	Credit Distribution	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 Hours		30 Hours
		Documentary
		, Newspaper
		Analysis,
		Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		Visit

Text Books:

- 1. Basu, DD. (2019). Constitution of India. India Law House.
- 2. Bhagwan, V. (2008). Indian Government and Politics. Omson Publications.

Reference Books

- 1. Kashyap, S. (2001). Our Constitution: An Introduction. NBI.
- 2. Laksmi kanth, M. (2017). Indian Polity. Fifth Edition. Tata McGraw Hill.

SEMESTER IV (Major)

Paper Name: Public Policies and Plan Priorities

Paper Code: ADM182M401

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 200

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the students to analyze the basic concepts such as public policy, policy analysis, public policy process and governance. The course will also increase students' ability to comprehend the policy analysis.

CO1	To understand Public Policy and its formulation in Indian context.	BT1
CO2	To identify the various approaches & types of public policy.	BT2

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Public Policy	20
	1. Models of policy-making and their critique	
	2. Processes of conceptualization State theories and public	
	policy formulation.	
II	Planning	20
	1. Planning and Implementation	
	2. Monitoring, Evaluation and Review; Their Limitations	
III	Plans & Priorities	20
	1. Machinery of planning	
	2. Role, composition and functions of the Planning	
	Commission and the National Development Council	
	3. 'Indicative' planning	
IV	Union, State & District level Planning	20
	1. Process of plan formulation at Union and State levels	
	2. Constitutional Amendments (1992) and Decentralized Planning	
	for economic development and social justice.	
	TOTAL	80
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	20 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

- 1. *The Policy Making Process*, E. Lindblom Charles: 1968 Englewood Cliffs, NJ Prentice Hall Incorporation, 1986.
- 2. Policy and Bureaucracy, E. Jacob Charles: 1967, P. Van Nostrand Co.
- 3. An Introduction to the Study of Public Administration Policy, 986, Jones Charles O., Brooks Cole Pub. Co., Monetary California (3rd Ed.) 1.

- 1. O. Pardeep Sahni: Public Policy, Conceptual Dimension, 1987 Allahabad: Kitab Mahal.
- 2. Richard M. Hodgetts and Jr. Max. S. Wortman: Administrative Policy Text and Cases in The Policy Science, 1969, New York: Wiely. George A. Steiner: Top Management Planning, Macmillan.
- 3. R.B. Jain: Policy and Parliament in India, Indian Institute of Public Administration, New Delhi.
- 4. Anderson, J E (2005) Public Policy Making (6th Edition). Houghton Mifflin: New York Ayyar,
- $5. Vaidyanathan\ R\ V\ (2009)$ Public Policy Making in India. Pearson: New Delhi Basu, D $D\ (2011)$
- 6. Constitution of India (20th Edition). Prentice Hall of India: New Delhi
- 7. Chakraborti, Rajesh (2017) Public Policy in India. Oxford University Press: New Delhi
- 8. Chakraborty, Bidyut and Chand, Parkash (2016) Public Policy: Concept, Theory and Practice. Sage: New Delhi

SEMESTER IV (Major)

Paper Name: Rural and Urban Local Government

Paper Code: ADM182M402

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 200

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the students to analyze the role and relationships of rural local democratic decentralized institutions. The course will also increase students' ability to comprehend the PRIs related issues and institutions.

CO1	To acquire theoretical knowledge and understanding of the evolution and growth of rural local governance with special reference to Panchayati raj institutions.	BT1
CO2	To gain insights about composition, role and functions, resources of panchayati raj institutions.	BT2
	punding atting indications.	

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Rural Local Administration	20
	1. Institutions and Agencies since independence	
	2. 73 rd Constitutional Amendment.	
II	Rural Development	20
	Rural Development Programs	
	2. Foci and Strategies	
	3. Decentralization and Panchayati Raj	
III	Urban Local Government	20
	1. Municipal governance: main features, structures, finance and	
	problem areas	
	2. 74th Constitutional Amendment	
IV	Urban Development	20
	Global-local debate; New Localism	
	2. Development Dynamics	
	3. Politics and Administration with special reference to City	
	Management.	
	TOTAL	80
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	<u> </u>
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	20 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

- 1. Rural development administration in the 21st century, Surat Singh, Deep & Deep Publication, 2006.
- 2. Local Government: Rural and Urban, Manoj Sharma; Anmol Publisher, 2004.
- 3. Rural Development in India, Some Facts, National Institute of Rural Development, Hyderabad, NIRD, 1999.
- 4. Rural Development Administration, P.R.Dubhashi, 1990, Bombay, Popular Prakashan,
- 5. Rural Development Administration Under Democratic Decentralisation V.R.Gaikwad, 1990, New Delhi, Wiley Eastern, 1990.

- 6. V.Savalinga Prasad, Panchayats and Development, 1991, New Delhi, Light and Life
- 7. GKatar Singh, *Rural Development Principles, Policies and Management*, 1996, New Delhi, Sage Publications,
- 8. S.R.Maheshwari, Rural Development in India, 1995, New Delhi, Sage Publications.
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SEMESTER IV (Major)

Paper Name: Indian Polity and Constitution

Paper Code: ADM182M403

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 200

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the students to understand the in-built control mechanisms over constitutional bodies and administration. The course will also help in delineating the constitutional provisions and dynamics of union -state relationships.

CO1	To gain knowledge about the evolution and growth of Indian Administration	BT1
CO2	To establish familiarity with the constitutional framework on which Indian Administration is based.	ВТ2
CO3	To grasp the role of union executive.	ВТ3
CO4	To provide awareness about the institutions and mechanism in force for citizen-state interface.	BT4

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Preamble & Indian Constitution	20
	1. Philosophy, Features and Amendments	
	2. Constitution of India - Historical Background	
	3. Drafting Committee and the making of Constitution	
II	Citizenship	20
	1. PIO, NRI, OCI and Pravasi Bharatiya Divas,	
	2. Citizenship Amendment Act	
	3. Fundamental Rights (FR) and DPSP- Important Amendments and Conflicts	
	4. Fundamental Duties (FD)- Significance and Criticism	
III	Administration of Special Areas	20
	1. V Schedule and VI Schedule,	
	2. Constitutional Bodies, Non-Constitution Bodies, Tribunals	
	3. Special Provisions to SC, ST, Minorities, Backward Class,	
	Anglo-Indians	
IV	Salient Features of Representation of People's Act	20
	 Appointment to Various Constitutional Posts Statutory, Regulatory & Quasi-Judicial Bodies- NITI, RBI, NHRC, CBI, CVC, NIC and many other 	
	TOTAL	80
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	20 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

- 1. Basu, D D (2013) Introduction to the Constitution of India (21st Edition). Lexus Nexus: New Delhi
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SEMESTER IV (Minor)

Paper Name: International Relations

Paper Code: ADM182N401

L-T-P-C: 2-1-0-3 Credit Units: 3

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 200

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to provide the students an understanding of the diverse traditions of theoretical endeavours in International Relations as they have evolved around the world. The course will also help in comprehending recent trends in the contemporary world and changing nature of foreign policy and diplomatic relations in contemporary international relations.

CO1	To understand the diverse traditions of theoretical endeavours in the	BT1
	International Relations as they have evolved around the world.	
CO2	Have a thorough background in recent trends in contemporary International	BT2
	Relations and changing nature of foreign policy and diplomatic relations of	
	the countries in contemporary international relations.	

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Introduction to International Relations	15
	 Meaning, Definitions and Nature of International Relations. Growth and Evolution of International Relations 	
II	Nature and Variants of Three Major Theories	15
	 Realism: Principles and Concepts Liberalism: Principles and Concepts Marxism: Principles and Concepts 	
III	Foreign Policy and Diplomacy	15
	 Meaning and Nature of Foreign Policy. Elements of Foreign Policy. Meaning and Definition of Diplomacy. Types and Relevance of Diplomacy in International Relations. 	
IV	Recent Trends in International Relations	15
	 Environment: Climate Change. South-South Cooperations. Refugees and Migrations. 	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

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SEMESTER IV (Minor)

Paper Name: Peace & Conflict Management

Paper Code: ADM182N402

L-T-P-C: 2-1-0-3 Credit Units: 3

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 200

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the students at a very early level to grasp the importance of peace and conflict studies. It will help the students to understand the basic theories from political and sociological perspectives. The course will also analyze some of the major thinkers behind peace and conflict studies and they will better understand the problems and solutions to the present-day insurgent movements in the different parts of the world.

CO1	Get a prior understanding of peace and conflict studies in India.	BT1
CO2	Able to know about the nature of how problems are solved through peace	BT2
	and negotiations at various levels.	

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Introduction to Peace and Conflict Studies	15
	1. What is Peace?	
	2. What is Conflict Resolution?	
II	Contributions of Key Thinkers	15
	1. Gandhi	
	2. Mandela	
	3. Martin Luther King	
III	Changing Nature of Conflict	15
	1. Conventional	
	2. Non-conventional	
	3. Non-State Actor Challenges	
IV	Conflict Resolution Instruments	15
	1. Negotiation	
	2. Mediation	
	3. Arbitration	
	4. Adjudication	
	5. Role of NGOs6. AMNESTY International	
	TOTAL	60
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	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

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- 2. C. Poulatova. (2013). Children and Armed Conflict. UK: Cambridge Scholars Publishers.
- 3. D. M. Rosen. (2005). Armies of the Young Child Soldiers in War and Terrorism. New Brunswick, NJ: Rutgers University Press.
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Semester-IV (AEC)

Course Name: CEN IV: Business Communication: Concepts and Skills

Code: CEN982A401 L-T-P-C: 1-0-0-1 Credit Units:1 Course Level: 200

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Course Objectives: This course is designed to enhance employability and maximize the students' potential by introducing them to the principles that determine personal and professional success, thereby helping them acquire the skills needed to apply these principles in their lives and careers.

Course Outcomes: After the successful completion of the course, the students will be able to

CO	Course Outcome	Blooms
Level		Taxonomy Level
CO 2	Demonstrate understanding the importance of verbal and non-verbal skills while delivering an effective presentation.	BT 2
CO 3	Develop professional documents to meet the objectives of the workplace	BT 3

	Identify different life skills and internet competencies required in	
CO 3	personal and professional life.	BT 3

	Detailed Syllabus		
Units	Course Contents	Periods	
I	Presentation Skills Importance of presentation skills, Essential characteristics of a good presentation, Stages of a presentation, Visual aids in presentation, Effective delivery of a presentation	5	
II	Business Writing Report writing: Importance of reports, Types of reports, Format of reports, Structure of formal reports Proposal writing: Importance of proposal, Types of proposal, structure of formal proposals Technical articles: Types and structure	5	
ш	Preparing for jobs Employability and Unemployability, Bridging the Industry-Academia Gap Knowing the four- step employment process, writing resumes, Guidelines for a good resume, Writing cover letters Interviews: Types of interview, what does a job interview assess, strategies of success at interviews, participating in group discussions.	5	
IV	Digital Literacy and Life Skills Digital literacy: Digital skills for the '21st century', College students and technology, information management using Webspace, Dropbox, directory, and folder renaming conventions. Social Media Technology and Safety, Web 2.0. Life Skills: Overview of Life Skills: Meaning and significance of life skills, Life skills identified by WHO: self-awareness, Empathy, Critical thinking, Creative thinking, Decision making, problem- solving, Effective communication, interpersonal relationship, coping with stress, coping with emotion. Application of life skills: opening and operating bank accounts, applying for PAN, Passport, online bill payments, ticket booking, gas booking	5	

Texts:

- 1. Business Communication by Shalini Verma References:
- 2. Technical Communication by Meenakshi Raman and Sangeeta Sharma

Credit Distribution			
Lecture/Tutorial	Practicum	Experiential Learning	
15 hours	-	10 hours - Movie/ Documentary screening - Field visits - Peer teaching - Seminars - Library visits	

Semester-IV (AEC)

Course Name: Behavioural Sciences -IV

Code: BHS982A402 L-T-P-C: 1-0-0-1 Credit Units:1 Course Level: 200

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Course objectives: To increase one's ability to draw conclusions and develop inferences about attitudes and behaviour, when confronted with different situations that are common in modern organizations.

CO	Course Outcome	Blooms
Level		Taxonomy Level
	Understand the importance of individual	BT 2
	differences	
CO 2	Develop a better understanding of self in relation to society and nation	BT 3
CO 3	Develop facilitation for a meaningful existence and adjustment in society	BT 3

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
Ι	Managing Personal Effectiveness Setting goals to maintain focus, Dimensions of personal effectiveness (self disclosure, openness to feedback and perceptiveness), Integration of personal and organizational vision for effectiveness, A healthy balance of work and play, Defining Criticism: Types of Criticism, Destructive vs Constructive Criticism, Handling criticism and interruptions.	4
п	Positive Personal Growth Understanding & Developing positive emotions, Positive approach towards future, Impact of positive thinking, Importance of discipline and hard work, Integrity and accountability, Importance of ethics in achieving personal growth.	4
ш	Handling Diversity Defining Diversity, Affirmation Action and Managing Diversity, Increasing Diversity in Work Force, Barriers and Challenges in Managing Diversity.	4
IV	Developing Negotiation Skills Meaning and Negotiation approaches (Traditional and Contemporary) Process and strategies of negotiations. Negotiation and interpersonal communication. Rapport Building – NLP.	4
	Total	16

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- Blair J. Kolasa, Introduction to Behavioural Science for Business, John Wiley & Sons Inc.

SEMESTER V (Major)

Paper Name: Indian Economy & Economy of Assam

Paper Code: ADM182M501

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 300

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the students to analyze the tax structure in India. The course will also increase student's ability to comprehend the different aspects of economy of Assam.

CO1	To understand the concept, need for and importance of planning and mobilization of	BT1
	resources.	
CO2	To gain an insight on banking and tax structure in India.	BT2
CO3	To analyze the government budgeting and industrial policies in India.	ВТ3

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Planning in India	15
	1. Meaning of Planning, Significance	
	2. Imperative, Indicative and Structural Planning	
	3. Objectives of Planning, Achievements & Failures of Indian Planning	
	4. NITI Aayog vs. Planning Commission.	
II	Mobilization of Resources	15
	1. Types of Resources – Financial, Human, Natural etc.	
	2. Government Resources – Tax & Non-Tax (Fiscal & Monetary Policy)	
	3. Banking Sector & NBFCs, External Sources – FDI, ODA etc.	
	4. Public Borrowing & Management of Public Debt	
III	Industrial Policies	15
	1. Phases of Industrial Growth and Industrial Policy Before and After	
	1991,	
	2. Linkage Between Economic Reforms and Economic Outcomes,	
	3. Weaknesses and Failures of Industrial Policies, SEZs, Make in India,	
	Atmanirbhar Bharat Abhiyan	
IV	Economy of Assam	15
	1. Macro overview of economy, Major agricultural, industrial and service	
	sector issues,	
	2. Growth, development and planning	
	3. Major development projects, programs and schemes	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly

	visit)

- 1. Dutt Rudder and K.P.M Sunderam (2017). Indian Economy. S Chand & Co. Ltd. New Delhi.
- 2. Mishra S.K & V.K Puri (2017). Indian Economy and –Its Development Experience. Himalaya Publishing House.
- 3. Singh, Ramesh, (2016): Indian Economy, Tata-McGraw Hill Publications, New Delhi.
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- 3. Mankiw, N. (2014). Principles of Economics (3rd Edition). South Western: Mason.
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SEMESTER V (Major)

Paper Name: Indian Geography & Geography of Assam

Paper Code: ADM182M502

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 300

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the students to analyze the agricultural problems in India. The course will also increase student's ability to comprehend Human Geography - Demographics, Census data, Mineral and industries in India, Economic infrastructure.

CO1	To understand the basics of geography and climate in India	BT1
CO2	To gain knowledge about human geography	BT2
CO3	To analyze agricultural problems in India.	BT3

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Basics of Geography (Indian & Assam)	15
	1. Latitude, Longitude, Boundaries, Physical features of India & Assam	
	2. Natural Resources of Assam, Climate and Natural vegetation,	
	3. Wild life and Bio-diversity, Mines and minerals	
II	Indian River Sytems	15
	1. Characteristics, comparison and significance,	
	2. Climate in India - Monsoon, El-Nino, La-Nino, seasons, Cyclones	
	3. Rainfall distribution in India	
III	Agriculture & Allied	15
	1. Agriculture and Problems faced in India,	
	2. Agriculture and Allied-characteristics and Problems	
	3. Biodiversity, National Parks, Biosphere reserves, etc.	
IV	Human Geography	15
	1. Demographics and Census data,	
	2. Mineral and industries in India	
	3. Economic infrastructure - Transportation, Energy resources	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly visit)

- 1. Sharma, T. C. 2003: India Economic and Commercial Geography. Vikas Publ., New Delhi.
- 2. Singh R. L., 1971: India: A Regional Geography, National Geographical Society of India.
- 3. Singh, Jagdish 2003: India A Comprehensive & Systematic Geography, Gyanodaya Prakashan, Gorakhpur. 8. Spate O. H. K. and Learmonth A. T. A., 1967: India and Pakistan: A General and Regional Geography, Methuen.
- 4. Tirtha, Ranjit 2002: Geography of India, Rawat Publs., Jaipur & New Delhi.
- 5. Pathak, C. R. 2003: Spatial Structure and Processes of Development in India. Regional Science Assoc., Kolkata.
- 6. Tiwari, R.C. (2007) Geography of India. Prayag Pustak Bhawan, Allahabad
- 7. Sharma, T.C. (2013) Economic Geography of India. Rawat Publication, Jaipur

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- 9. Johnson, B. L. C., ed. 2001. Geographical Dictionary of India. Vision Books, New Delhi.
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SEMESTER V (Major)

Paper Name: Public Sector Undertakings and Organization

Paper Code: ADM182M503

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 300

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the students to analyze the regulatory authorities; public - private partnerships. The course will also increase students' ability to comprehend the problems of autonomy, accountability, and control as well as impact of liberalization and privatization.

CO1	To understand various aspects of Public Sector and Public Sector Undertakings in	BT1
	India.	
CO2	To gain knowledge about privatization and performance of central public sector	BT2
	enterprises in India.	
CO4	To analyze various forms of organization of governing boards	BT4

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Public Sector Undertakings	15
	1.Public sector in modern India;	
	2. Forms of Public Sector Undertakings	
II	Problems Public Sector Undertakings	15
	1.Problems of Autonomy, Accountability, and control;	
	2. Impact of Liberalization and Privatization.	
III	Organizations Theories	15
	1.Systems, contingency	
	2. Structure and forms: Ministries and Departments, Corporations,	
	Companies.	
IV	Boards and Commissions	15
	1.Boards and Commissions;	
	2. Adhoc and Advisory Bodies;	
	3. Regulatory Authorities; Public - Private Partnerships.	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	l
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

- 1. *Economics, planning and public administration*, Dubhashi, P.R.(1976).. Bombay: Somaiya, Publications, Pvt. Ltd.
- 2. Public sector economics: theory, policy and practice, Bailey, S.J. (2001).. 2nd ed. London: Palgrave.

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SEMESTER V (Minor)

Paper Name: Indian Polity and Constitution

Paper Code: ADM182N501

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 200

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the students to understand the in-built control mechanisms over constitutional bodies and administration. The course will also help in delineating the constitutional provisions and dynamics of union -state relationships.

CO1	To gain knowledge about the evolution and growth of Indian Administration	BT1
CO2	To establish familiarity with the constitutional framework on which Indian Administration is based.	ВТ2
CO3	To grasp the role of union executive.	ВТ3
CO4	To provide awareness about the institutions and mechanism in force for citizen-state interface.	BT4

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Preamble & Indian Constitution	15
	1. Philosophy, Features and Amendments	
	2. Constitution of India - Historical Background	
	3. Drafting Committee and the making of Constitution	
	4. Union and its Territory - State reorganization	
II	Citizenship	15
	1. Citizenship Amendment Act & Recent Developments	
	2. Fundamental Rights (FR)- Important Amendments and recent	
	developments related to FRs	
	3. Fundamental Duties (FD)- Significance and Criticism	
	4. Directive Principles of State Policy (DPSP) - Features, Classification and	
III	Popular SC Judgments and Important Amendments related to DPSP Administration of Special Areas	15
111	_	13
	1. Schedule 5 and 6, Constitution Bodies,	
	2. Non-Constitution Bodies, Tribunals	
	3. Special Provisions to SC, ST, Minorities, Backward Class, Anglo-	
	Indians	
IV	Salient Features of Representation of People's Act	15
	1. Appointment to Various Constitutional Posts	
	2. Statutory, Regulatory & Quasi-Judicial Bodies - NITI, RBI, NHRC,	
	CBI, CVC, NIC and many other.	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

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- 3. Balfour, Lady Betty (2015) Lord Lytton's Indian Administration 1876-1880 The Untold History. Gyan Books: New Delhi

SEMESTER V (Major)

Paper Name: Internship Paper Code: ADM182N521

L-T-P-C: 0-0-4-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 300

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the in applying theoretical knowledge to real-world political and administrative settings, enhancing understanding of governance, public policy, and institutional processes at local, national, or international levels. The course will also help to develop practical skills in political research, data analysis, and policy evaluation through guided experiential learning in government offices, NGOs, think tanks, or political organizations.

CO1	To demonstrate the ability to connect core political theories and concepts with on-	BT1
	ground practices in policymaking, governance, or administrative procedures at local,	
	national, or international levels.	
CO2	To conduct structured political research, analyze relevant data sets, and produce	BT2
	evaluative summaries or recommendations on policy initiatives or political	
	phenomena.	

Guidelines:

- 1) The internship will be of four weeks.
- 2) Students are to identify the organizations in alignment with the following broad areas relevant to the discipline of Political Science, such as-
- NGOs
- News agencies
- Political Parties
- Governmental institutions (local, state and national)
- Academic institutions
- 3) Students are required to contact the respective organisations and intimate the concerned supervisor, who shall then issue a Bonafide Certificate highlighting the objective of the internship and the number of weeks to be fulfilled during the internship.
- 4) Students are to maintain a daily internship diary and provide geotagged pictures in the respective WhatsApp groups.
- 5) Upon completion of the internship, students must provide a detailed report and a presentation accompanied by a vivavoce.

SEMESTER VI (Major)

Paper Name: Indian Economics Paper Code: ADM182M601

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 300

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the students to understand the basics of Indian economy. The course will also help in understanding the basic concepts associated with the Indian economy.

CO1	To gain knowledge about the Indian Economic system.	BT1
CO2	To understand the factors & mechanisms within the Indian economy.	BT2

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	National Income	15
	1. Composition, trend and pattern of national income	
	2. Method of estimation and problem areas	
	3. Inequality in national income distribution- inter personal and inter	
	regional, Broad development indices	
II	Agriculture	15
	Role, nature and cropping pattern; production and productivity trend, causes of low productivity and measures to increase production and productivity	
	Colonial legacy, green revolution, land reforms, problems of agricultural marketing in India- and remedial measures	
	3. Institutional and non-institutional finance; rural indebtedness; post 1991 scenario	
III	Industry	15
	1. Industry in pre-plan period, second five-year plan and Indian industry	
	2. Industrial policy- 1956 and 1991, importance and problems of MSME	
	sector, public sector undertaking- importance and problems	
	3. Disinvestment in India, Industrial sickness, Importance of Service sector in	
	India, Role of Start-ups	
IV	Economic Reforms in India	15
	1. LPG policies; Impact of globalization; Role of Foreign Capital.	
	2. Economic Planning: Background, objectives, Achievements and	
	failures, NITI Aayog.	
	3. Commercial Banks in India, Role of RBI- Traditional, Promotional and	
	development functions	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

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SEMESTER VI (Major)

Paper Name: Research Methodology I

Paper Code: ADM182M602

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 300

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the students to understand foundational knowledge and practical skills in social science research, particularly in political science. The course will also help in formulating research questions, explore various research designs, and apply comparative methods. The course also introduces data collection techniques, sampling methods, and essential tools such as questionnaires and interviews.

CO1	Define and describe the scope of social science research, its significance in political	BT1
	science, and the process of identifying research gaps.	
CO2	Differentiate between various research designs, formulate research questions and	BT2
	hypotheses, and apply the comparative method in social science research.	
CO3	Identify appropriate sources of data, implement probability and non-probability	ВТ3
	sampling methods, and use tools such as questionnaires, interviews, and	
	observations.	
CO4	Process and analyze research data using descriptive and inferential statistics and	BT4
	write well-structured research proposals and reports while ensuring ethical integrity.	

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Introduction to Social Science Research	15
	 Meaning, Nature and Scope of Social Science Research. Literature Review, Statement of the Problem and Research Gap. 	
	3. Differences between Qualitative and Quantitative Research, Positivism vs. Interpretivism	
II	Research Design and Methods	15
	 Formulating Research Questions and Hypotheses. Types of Research Designs. Comparative Method in Social Science Research. 	
III	Sampling and Data Collection	15
	 Sources of Data: Primary and Secondary Data. Sampling Methods: Probability and Non-Probability Sampling. Tools of Data Collection: Questionnaire, Interview, and Observation. 	
IV	Data Interpretation and Report Writing	15
	 Data Processing: Coding, Classification, and Tabulation. Basics of Interpretation and Analysis (Descriptive and Inferential Statistics). Writing a Research Proposal and Report: Structure and Ethical Considerations. 	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

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SEMESTER VI (Major)

Paper Name: World Geography Paper Code: ADM182M603

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 300

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the students to understand the factors responsible for the location of industries. The course will also help in comprehending climatology.

CO1	To gain familiarity with the universe- theories, formation & recent developments.	BT1
CO2	To identify the mass movements of landforms.	BT2
CO3	To analyze the factors responsible for the location of industries.	ВТ3

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Universe	15
	1. Theories, Formation and recent developments,	
	2. Basic idea about Earth - motion of the Earth, Inclination of earth axis an	
	seasons, Eclipses,	
	3. Tides and its effects, Interior of the earth - Lithosphere and its composition	
II	The Hydrosphere	15
	1. Ocean relief, Salinity, Ocean currents, Ocean deposits and resources	
	2. Biosphere - Major Biomes, Flora and fauna, Conservation of Biodiversity	
	3. Geomorphology - Exogenic and Endogenic movements, Earthquaker	
	Volcanoes, Theories - Continental Drift theory, Plate tectonics, sea floo	
	spread theory	
III	Economic Geography	15
	1. Land Resources, Forest Resources, Water Resources,	
	2. Mass Movements of landforms, erosion and deposits,	
	2. Wass Wovements of fanctorius, crosion and deposits,	
	3. Agricultural, Mineral and Energy Resources,	
	4. Rock system and Classification of Rocks, Factors Responsible for the	
	Location of Industries	
IV	Climatology	15
	1. Atmosphere, temperature distribution, Clouds, precipitation,	
	2. Pressure Belts, Winds, Cyclones, Jet Streams, Ozone layer,	
	3. Geographical Features and their location	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

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- 3. Hodder B. W. and Lee Roger, 1974: Economic Geography, Taylor and Francis.
- 4. Combes P., Mayer T. and Thisse J. F., 2008: Economic Geography: The Integration of Regions and Nations, Princeton University Press.

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SEMESTER VI (Major)

Paper Name: Post-Independence History

Paper Code: ADM182M604

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 300

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the students to analyze political phenomenon. The course will also help in comprehending India's relationship with neighboring countries.

CO1	To develop in the students an understanding of National Movement towards Freedom	BT1
	& Partition (1939-1947), Nation Building and Foreign Policy.	
CO2	To explain some important processes of Post independent Economy, Society and	BT2
	Polity-Planned Development, Green Revolution.	
CO3	To gain an insight into the Non-Aligned Movement, Panchsheel, Wars with Pakistan	ВТ3
	& China, Nuclear Policy.	

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Towards Freedom & Partition (1939-1947)	15
	 National Movement During World War II, August Offer, Individual Satyagraha, Growth of Communalism, Peasant Movements, Cripps Mission, Quit India Movement, Wavell Plan, INA, Cabinet Mission, 	
II	Nation Building and Foreign Policy	15
	 Partition and Its Aftermath, Integration of Princely States, Reorganization of States, Issue of Official Language, Tribal Consolidation and Regional Aspirations 	
III	 Post independent Economy, Society and Polity Planned Development, Green Revolution, Industrial Reforms Popular Movements, Communalism, Indian Women Movements since Independence, Era of One-Party Dominance, Emergence of Opposition Parties, Emergency: Crisis of Democratic Order, Rise of Regional Parties, and Coalition Era. 	15
IV	Foreign Policy	15
	1. Non-Aligned Movement, Panchsheel,	
	2. Wars with Pakistan & China,	
	3. India's Nuclear Policy.	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	I
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

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- 2. Ishita Banerjee Dube, A History of Modern India, Cambridge University Press, New Delhi, 2015.
- 3. Guha, Ranajit, 'On some aspects of Historiography of Colonial India', in Ranajit Guha ed. Subaltern Studies I, Delhi: Oxford University Press, 1986.
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- 2. Bayly, C.A., Indian Society and the Making of the British Empire, Cambridge, Cambridge University Press, Reprint, 2014.
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- 6. Nanda, B.R., Making of a nation: India's Road to Independence, Delhi: Harper-Collins, 1998.
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SEMESTER VI (Minor)

Paper Name: Biodiversity, Environment, Security and Disaster Management in Assam

Paper Code: ADM182N601

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 200

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the students to analyze the natural resources and biodiversity of Assam. The course will also help in comprehending the environmental problems in Assam.

C	CO1	To understand the bio-diversity of Assam, security issues and security management.	BT1
C	CO2	To analyze the environmental problems, challenges to environment in Assam	BT2

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Bio-diversity of Assam	15
II	Security issues and security management	15
III	Environment and environmental problems, challenges to environment.	15
IV	Disaster Management with relevant emphasis on State of Assam	15
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

Textbooks:

- 1. Singh, R. B. (ed.), (2006) Natural Hazards and Disaster Management: Vulnerability and Mitigation, Rawat Publications, New Delhi.
- 2. Sinha, A. (2001). Disaster Management: Lessons Drawn and Strategies for Future, New United Press, New Delhi.
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- 1. Kapur, A. (2010) Vulnerable India: A Geographical Study of Disasters, Sage Publication, New Delhi.
- 2. Modh, S. (2010) Managing Natural Disaster: Hydrological, Marine and Geological Disasters, Macmillan, Delhi.
- 3. Singh, R.B. (2005) Risk Assessment and Vulnerability Analysis, IGNOU, New Delhi. Chapter

SEMESTER VII (Major)

Paper Name: Internal Security of India

Paper Code: ADM182M701

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 400

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the students to understand the concept, challenges and frameworks of internal security in India. The course will also help in analyzing the various institutions that deals with internal security.

CO1	To understand the concept, challenges, and frameworks of internal security in India.	BT1
CO2	To analyze the institutional mechanisms dealing with terrorism, insurgency, and law enforcement.	BT2
CO3	To examine the roles of civil society, media, and legal frameworks in ensuring internal security.	ВТ3

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Foundations of Internal Security	15
	1. Concept and Dimensions of Internal Security	
	2. Threats to Internal Security: Historical and Contemporary Overview	
	3. Constitutional and Legal Framework (e.g., IPC, CrPC, UAPA, NSA)	
II	Key Threats to Internal Security	15
	1. Terrorism: Cross-border and Domestic (e.g., J&K, Islamist groups)	
	2. Left-Wing Extremism (LWE): Causes and Countermeasures Insurgancy in the Northeast: Ethnia Identity and Regional Autonomy	
III	3. Insurgency in the Northeast: Ethnic Identity and Regional Autonomy	15
111	Institutional and Strategic Mechanisms 1. Role of Armed Forces, Paramilitary, and Intelligence Agencies (IB,	15
	NIA, NSG)	
	2. Policing, Federal Agencies, and Modernization of Internal Security	
	Forces	
	3. Cyber Security and Emerging Tech Threats (e.g., AI, Deepfakes,	
	Critical Infrastructure)	
IV	Governance, Civil Society, and Reforms	15
	1. Role of Civil Society, Media, and Public Awareness in Internal	
	Security	
	2. Human Rights and Security Dilemma: AFSPA and Ethical Concerns	
	3. Policy Reforms and Internal Security Challenges in the 21st Century	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

- 1. Ashok Kumar, Vipul Anekant, . (2021). Challenges to internal security of India. Chennai: McGraw Hill Education (India) Private Limited.
- 2. Petersen, A. (2020). Internal security and disaster management. McGraw Hill Education.
- 3. Ashok, K. (2021). Challenges to internal security of India (5th ed.). McGraw Hill Education.
- 4. Naveen, T. (2022). Internal security for civil services main examination. Pearson Education.

- 1. Gill, K. P. S. (2001). India: Internal security challenges. Har-Anand Publications.
- 2. Singh, M. P., & Saxena, R. (2008). India's internal security: Issues and perspectives. Deep & Deep Publications.
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- 4. Ramakrishna, K. (2015). Confronting terrorism: The security governance approach. Routledge India.
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SEMESTER VII (Major)

Paper Name: Ethics in Administration

Paper Code: ADM182M702

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 400

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the students to understand the key concepts and theories of ethics in public administration. The course will also help in analyzing the various ethical dilemmas in administrative practice in India and global perspective.

CO1	To understand the key concepts and theories of ethics in public administration.	BT1
CO2	To analyze the legal, institutional, and personal dimensions of integrity and accountability.	BT2
CO3	To examine ethical dilemmas in administrative practice.	ВТ3

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Foundations of Administrative Ethics	15
	5. Meaning, Scope, and Significance of Ethics in Administration	
	6. Ethical Theories: Utilitarianism, Deontology, Virtue Ethics	
	7. Ethical Foundations of Public Service and Civil Responsibility	
II	Ethical Issues in Governance and Administration	15
	1. Corruption, Nepotism, and Conflict of Interest	
	2. Transparency, Accountability, and Whistleblower Protection	
	3. Ethics in Policy Making and Implementation	
III	Ethical Leadership and Decision Making	15
	1. Moral Leadership and Administrative Behaviour	
	2. Code of Conduct and Ethics for Civil Servants	
	3. Ethical Decision Making: Models and Tools	
IV	Ethics in Practice: Indian and Global Contexts	15
	1. Administrative Ethics in India: Norms, Institutions, and Challenges	
	2. Comparative Administrative Ethics: Case Studies from USA, UK, and	
	Scandinavia	
	3. Global Ethical Standards and International Institutions	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

- 1. Cooper, T. L. (2012). *The responsible administrator: An approach to ethics for the administrative role* (6th ed.). Jossey-Bass.
- 2. Denhardt, K. G. (1988). The ethics of public service: Resolving moral dilemmas in public organizations. Greenwood Press.
- 3. Gawthrop, L. C. (1998). *Public service and democracy: Ethical imperatives for the 21st century*. Chatham House.
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- 1. Menzel, D. C. (2007). *Ethics management for public administrators: Leading and building organizations of integrity*. M.E. Sharpe.
- 2. Svara, J. H. (2007). *The ethics primer for public administrators in government and nonprofit organizations*. Jones & Bartlett Learning.
- 3. Thompson, D. F. (1985). *The possibility of administrative ethics. Public Administration Review*, 45(5), 555–561.
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SEMESTER VII (Major)

Paper Name: Indian Geography: Physical

Paper Code: ADM182M703

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 400

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the students to understand the key concepts and theories of ethics in public administration. The course will also help in analyzing the various ethical dilemmas in administrative practice in India and global perspective.

CO1	To understand the key concepts and theories of ethics in public administration.	BT1
CO2	To analyze the legal, institutional, and personal dimensions of integrity and accountability.	BT2
CO3	To examine ethical dilemmas in administrative practice.	ВТ3

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Geological Structure and Physiography	15
	1. Geological history and structure of India	
	2. Physiographic divisions of India: Northern Mountains, Peninsular	
	Plateau, and Indo-Gangetic Plains	
	3. Tectonic activities and seismic zones of India	
II	Climate and Weather Patterns	15
	1. Mechanism of Indian monsoon: Origin, pattern, and variability	
	2. Climatic regions of India and Koppen's classification.	
	3. Cyclones, droughts, and floods: Causes and impact in India	
III	Drainage System and Soils	15
	1. River systems of India: Himalayan and Peninsular rivers	
	2. Watershed management and river linking projects	
	3. Types and distribution of soils in India	
IV	Natural Vegetation and Environmental Concerns	15
	1. Forest types and their distribution in India	
	2. Biodiversity hotspots and conservation efforts	
	3. Environmental degradation and disaster vulnerability in India	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

- 1. Govt. of India. (2011). India: State of the Forest Report. Forest Survey of India.
- 2. Majid, H. (2012). Geography of India (5th ed.). McGraw-Hill Education.
- 3. Menon, A. G. (2014). Physical Geography of India. National Book Trust.
- **4.** Raza, M., & Ahmad, A. (1990). *An Atlas of Tribal India*. Concept Publishing Company.
- 5. Singh, G. (2009). Environmental Geography. Prayag Pustak Bhawan.

- 1. Singh, S. (2008). Geomorphology. Prayag Pustak Bhawan.
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SEMESTER VII (Major)

Paper Name: Political and Administrative System in Assam

Paper Code: ADM182N704

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 400

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the students to understand the historical evolution and constitutional provisions related to Assam's political and administrative system. The course will also help in if the administrative mechanisms are effective in addressing developmental challenges in Assam.

CO1	To understand the historical evolution and constitutional provisions related to Assam's	BT1
	political and administrative system.	
CO2	To analyze the analyze the role of political institutions, parties, and ethnic	BT2
	movements in shaping Assam's political landscape.	
CO3	To evaluate the effectiveness of administrative mechanisms and local governance	BT3
	structures in addressing developmental challenges in Assam.	

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Historical and Constitutional Foundations	15
	1. Evolution of the Political System in Assam: Pre-Colonial, Colonial, and Post-	
	Independence	
	2.Reorganization of Assam and the Sixth Schedule Provisions	
	3.Assam Accord (1985) and its Impact on State Politics	
II	Political Institutions and Processes	15
	1. Structure and Functioning of the State Legislature and Executive	
	2. Political Parties and Electoral Politics in Assam	
TTT	3. Identity Movements and Ethnic Politics	1.5
III	Administrative Structure and Governance	15
	1.State Bureaucracy: Role and Structure2. District Administration and the Role of Deputy Commissioner	
	3. Public Service Commissions and Civil Services in Assam	
IV	Local Governance and Contemporary Challenges	15
11	Panchayati Raj Institutions and Urban Local Bodies in Assam	13
	2. Autonomous Councils and Governance in Tribal Areas	
	3. Ethnic Movements and Demands for Autonomy	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	L
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

- 1. Baruah, A. (2003). *India Against Itself: Assam and the Politics of Nationality*. University of Pennsylvania Press.
- 2. Baruah, S. (1999). *India Against Itself: Assam and the Politics of Nationality*. University of Pennsylvania Press.
- 3. Bhattacharjee, J. B. (2016). Socio-Political Movements in North East India. DVS Publishers.
- **4.** Goswami, N. (2014). Conflict and Reconciliation: The Politics of Ethnicity in Assam. Routledge.
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SEMESTER VII (Minor)

Paper Name: Public Policy and Administration in India

Paper Code: ADM182N701

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 300

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to help the students to understand the interface between public policy and administration in India and the essence of public policy responsible for its effectiveness in translating the governing philosophy into programs and policies and making it a part of the community living. The course will also help in comprehending the issues of decentralization, financial management, citizens and administration and social welfare from a non-western perspective.

C		To understand the public policy and welfare administration in India along with citizen –Administration interface.	BT1
C	CO2	To analyze the schemes and policies of the social welfare administration.	BT2

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Public Policy	15
	1. Definition, characteristics and models	
	2.Public Policy Process in India	
II	Decentralization	15
	1.Meaning, significance and approaches and types	
	2.Local Self Governance: Rural and Urban.	
III	Budget, Citizen and Administration Interface	15
	1.Concept and Significance of Budget and Budget Cycle in India	
	2. Various Approaches and Types of Budgeting	
	3.Redressal of Public Grievances: RTI, Lokpal, Citizens' Charter and E-	
	Governance	
IV	Social Welfare Administration	15
	1.Concept and Approaches of Social Welfare	
	2. Social Welfare Policies, Education: Right to Education	
	3. Health: National Health Mission, Food: Right to Food Security,	
	Employment: MNREGA	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	I
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

Textbooks:

- 1. Chakraborty and Prakash, (2019) Public Policy: Concept Theory and Practice, Sage Publications
- 2. Sanyal and Chakraborty Rajesh, (2017) Public Policy in India, OUP
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- 1. Sahu, S.K., (2017) Public Policy and Administration in India, Kalyani Publications
- 2. M. Howlett, M. Ramesh, and A. Perl, (2009) Studying Public Policy: Policy Cycles and Policy; Subsystems, 3rd edition, Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- 3. Noorjahan Baya, (2001) Development Policies and Administration in India, Delhi: Uppal
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SEMESTER VIII (Major)

Paper Name: World History Paper Code: ADM182M801

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 400

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to provides a comprehensive understanding the foundations of early civilizations and classical empires, including their social, political, and economic systems. The course will also help in analyzing the rise of global empires, capitalism, and socio-political upheavals during the early modern era.

CO1	To understand the foundations of early civilizations and classical empires, including	BT1
	their social, political, and economic systems.	
CO2	To examine the nature of feudalism, religious movements, and trans-regional	BT2
	interactions in the medieval world.	
CO3	To analyze the rise of global empires, capitalism, and socio-political upheavals	BT3
	during the early modern era.	

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Ancient Civilizations and the Classical World	15
	1. Mesopotamia, Egypt, Indus Valley and China: Cradles of Civilization	
	2. Greek and Roman Civilizations: Political Systems and Cultural	
	Legacy	
	3. Maurya, Gupta, and Han Empires: Comparative Imperial Structures	
II	Medieval World and Cross-Cultural Encounters	15
	1. Islamic Caliphates and the Golden Age of Islam	
	2. Feudalism in Europe and Japan: Institutions and Hierarchies	
	3. The Crusades, Mongol Expansion, and the Silk Road	
III	Early Modern Period and Global Transformations	15
	1. The Renaissance, Reformation, and Scientific Revolution	
	2. The Age of Exploration and Colonial Expansion	
	3. Transatlantic Slave Trade and the Rise of Mercantilism	
IV	Modern World: Revolutions, Imperialism and Global Conflicts	15
	1. The American, French, and Haitian Revolutions: Ideologies and	
	Impact	
	2. Industrialization, Nationalism, and Imperialism in the 19th Century	
	3. World Wars, Decolonization, and the Cold War Order	
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

- 1. Abu-Lughod, J. L. (1991). *Before European hegemony: The world system A.D. 1250–1350*. Oxford University Press.
- 2. Bayly, C. A. (2004). The birth of the modern world, 1780–1914: Global connections and comparisons. Blackwell.
- 3. Bentley, J. H., & Ziegler, H. F. (2020). *Traditions and encounters: A global perspective on the past* (7th ed.). McGraw-Hill Education.
- 4. Halsall, P. (Ed.). (2000). The medieval world: Primary sources and documents. Routledge

- 1. Hobsbawm, E. (1996). The age of revolution: 1789–1848. Vintage.
- 2. Parker, G. (1996). *The military revolution: Military innovation and the rise of the West, 1500–1800* (2nd ed.). Cambridge University Press.
- 3. Pomeranz, K. (2000). The great divergence: China, Europe, and the making of the modern world economy. Princeton University Press.
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SEMESTER VIII (Major)

Paper Name: Research Methodology II

Paper Code: ADM182N801

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 400

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to provides a comprehensive understanding of qualitative, quantitative and mixed research methods including its definition, scope, and philosophical foundations. It explores key research designs such as ethnography and case studies, along with data collection methods like interviews and observations. The course will also help in understanding data analysis techniques, including coding and thematic analysis, while ensuring research trustworthiness.

CO1	Demonstrate an understanding of the fundamental concepts of qualitative quantitative and mixed methods research.	BT1
CO2	Apply appropriate qualitative and quantitative research designs and data collection methods.	BT2
CO3	Analyze qualitative and quantitative data using different analytical techniques.	ВТ3

П Q	1. Meaning, Nature, and Scope of Qualitative Research 2. Epistemological and Ontological Considerations 3. Reliability and Validity in Qualitative Research Qualitative Research Designs, Data Collection and Data Analysis Methods 1. Ethnography, Case Study, Grounded Theory, Phenomenology, Narrative, Feminist Research 2. Participant Observation, In-Depth Interviews, Focus Groups 3. Coding, Thematic Analysis, Narrative Analysis, Content Analysis & Discourse Analysis	15
	 Ethnography, Case Study, Grounded Theory, Phenomenology, Narrative, Feminist Research Participant Observation, In-Depth Interviews, Focus Groups Coding, Thematic Analysis, Narrative Analysis, Content Analysis & 	15
III In	 Meaning and Nature of Quantitative Research Data Collection Tools: Structured Interviewing, Self-Completion Questionnaires, Structured Observation Statistical Tools in Data Analysis: Descriptive and Inferential Statistics 	15
IV M	 Aixed Methods Research 2. Meaning of Mixed Methods Research 3. Combining Qualitative and Quantitative Research: Triangulation 4. Importance of Mixed Methods Research 	15
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/ Tutorials	Practicum	EL
60 hours	-	30 hours (Documentary,
		Newspaper analysis, Book Review, Assembly visit)

- 1. Bryman, A. (2016). Social research methods (5th ed.). Oxford University Press.
- 2. Creswell, J. W., & Poth, C. N. (2018). *Qualitative inquiry and research design: Choosing among five approaches* (4th ed.). SAGE Publications.
- 3. Denzin, N. K., & Lincoln, Y. S. (Eds.). (2018). *The SAGE handbook of qualitative research* (5th ed.). SAGE Publications.
- 4. Flick, U. (2023). An introduction to qualitative research (7th ed.). SAGE Publications.
- 5. Kothari, C. R. (2019). Research Methodology: Methods and Techniques. New Age International.
- 6. Liamputtong, P. (2020). Qualitative research methods (5th ed.). Oxford University Press.
- 7. Merriam, S. B., & Tisdell, E. J. (2016). *Qualitative research: A guide to design and implementation* (4th ed.). Jossey-Bass.

- 1. Patton, M. Q. (2015). *Qualitative research & evaluation methods: Integrating theory and practice* (4th ed.). SAGE Publications.
- 2. Saldaña, J. (2021). The coding manual for qualitative researchers (4th ed.). SAGE Publications.
- 3. Silverman, D. (2020). *Interpreting qualitative data* (6th ed.). SAGE Publications.
- 4. Tracy, S. J. (2020). Qualitative research methods: Collecting evidence, crafting analysis, communicating impact (2nd ed.). Wiley-Blackwell.
- 5. Yin, R. K. (2018). Case study research and applications: Design and methods (6th ed.). SAGE Publications.

Semester-VIII (Minor)

Paper I/Subject Name: Research Methodology

CODE: ADM182N801 L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Course Level: 400

Course Objectives:

- 1) This course aims to equip students with foundational knowledge and practical skills in social science research, particularly in political science.
- 2) This course covers the meaning, nature, and significance of research, including problem identification and literature review.
- 3) Students will learn to formulate research questions, explore various research designs, and apply comparative methods.
- 4) The course also introduces data collection techniques, sampling methods, and essential tools such as questionnaires and interviews.

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CO 1:	Define and describe the scope of social science research, its significance in	BT 1
	political science, and the process of identifying research gaps.	
CO 2:	Differentiate between various research designs, formulate research questions	BT 2
	and hypotheses, and apply the comparative method in social science	
	research.	
CO 3:	Identify appropriate sources of data, implement probability and non-	BT 3
	probability sampling methods, and use tools such as questionnaires,	
	interviews, and observations.	
CO 4:	Process and analyze research data using descriptive and inferential statistics	BT 4
	and write well-structured research proposals and reports while ensuring	
	ethical integrity.	

Modules	Topics & Course Contents	Periods
	Unit-I: Introduction to Social Science Research	
I	Meaning, Nature and Scope of Social Science Research.	
	Literature Review, Statement of the Problem and Research Gap.	15
	Differences between Qualitative and Quantitative Research,	
	Positivism vs. Interpretivism	
	Unit-II: Research Design and Methods	
	Formulating Research Questions and Hypotheses.	
II	Types of Research Designs.	15
	Comparative Method in Social Science Research.	
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	Unit-III: Sampling and Data Collection	
TTT	Sources of Data: Primary and Secondary Data.	15
III	Sampling Methods: Probability and Non-Probability Sampling.	15
	Tools of Data Collection: Questionnaire, Interview, and	
	Observation.	
	Unit-IV: Data Interpretation and Report Writing	
IV	Data Processing: Coding, Classification, and Tabulation.	15
	Basics of Interpretation and Analysis (Descriptive and Inferential	
	Statistics).	
	Writing a Research Proposal and Report: Structure and Ethical	
	Considerations.	
	Total	60
	Credit Distribution	<u> </u>
Lectures/	Practicum	EL
Tutorials		(0 II
60 Hours		60 Hours Documentary,
		Newspaper
		Analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly Visit

- 1. Babbie, E. (2020). *The practice of social research* (15th ed.). Cengage Learning.
- 2. Bhattacherjee, A. (2012). *Social science research: Principles, methods, and practices* (2nd ed.). University of South Florida. Retrieved from https://digitalcommons.usf.edu/oa_textbooks/3
- 3. Bryman, A. (2016). Social research methods (5th ed.). Oxford University Press.
- 4. Burnham, P., Lutz, K. G., Grant, W., & Layton-Henry, Z. (2008). *Research methods in politics* (2nd ed.). Palgrave Macmillan.

- 1. Creswell, J. W., & Creswell, J. D. (2018). *Research design: Qualitative, quantitative, and mixed methods approaches* (5th ed.). SAGE Publications.
- 2. Frankfort-Nachmias, C., Nachmias, D., & DeWaard, J. (2020). *Research methods in the social sciences* (9th ed.). Worth Publishers.
- 3. Kothari, C. R. (2019). Research Methodology: Methods and Techniques. New Age International.
- 4. Neuman, W. L. (2014). Social research methods: Qualitative and quantitative approaches (7th ed.). Pearson.

SEMESTER VIII (Major)

Paper Name: Assam History and Ahom Administration

Paper Code: ADM182M804

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 200

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to provides a comprehensive understanding of the political, social, and cultural landscape of early Assam and the emergence of regional identities. The course will also help in analyzing the origins and expansion of Ahom rule and the strategies of state formation.

CO1	Understand the political, social, and cultural landscape of early Assam and the emergence of regional identities.	BT1
CO2	Explore the indigenous institutions of governance and their role in maintaining Ahom authority.	BT2
CO3	Analyze the origins and expansion of Ahom rule and the strategies of state formation.	ВТ3

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	 Early History of Assam Pre-Ahom Assam: Political formations (Varman, Salastambha, and Kamata kingdoms) Society and Culture in Early Assam: Religion, language, and art Sources of Early Assam History: Epigraphy, literature, archaeology 	15
П	Rise and Consolidation of Ahom Power 1. Migration of Sukapha and establishment of the Ahom kingdom (1228 CE) 2. Ahom expansion, consolidation, and integration of tribal polities 3. The Buranjis: Ahom chronicles as historical sources	15
III	 Structure of Ahom Administration The Paik System: Structure, function, and socio-economic impact Ahom polity: Role of kings, nobles (Gohain), and the council of ministers Revenue, judiciary, and military administration under the Ahoms 	15
IV	 Decline of the Ahoms and Colonial Encounter Moamoria Rebellion and its implications for Ahom polity Burmese invasions, British intervention, and the Treaty of Yandabo (1826) Impact of British colonialism on pre-colonial institutions and the transformation of Assamese identity 	15
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/ Tutorials	Practicum	EL
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

- 1. Barpujari, H. K. (1998). The Comprehensive History of Assam (Vol. 4). Assam Publication Board.
- 2. Barua, K. L. (1933). Early history of Kamarupa. Government of Assam.
- 3. Baruah, S. L. (1985). A comprehensive history of Assam (Vol. 2). Munshiram Manoharlal.
- 4. Gogoi, L. (1986). Ahom polity. Department of Publication, Dibrugarh University.

- 1. Guha, A. (1991). *Medieval and early colonial Assam: Society, polity, economy*. Centre for Studies in Social Sciences.
- 2. Neog, M. (1980). Early history of the Vaisnava faith and movement in Assam. Motilal Banarsidass.
- 3. Saikia, Y. (2004). Fragmented memories: Struggling to be Tai-Ahom in India. Duke University Press.

SEMESTER VIII (Major)

Paper Name: International Relations and Foreign Affairs

Paper Code: ADM182M805

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 200

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to provides a comprehensive understanding of the theoretical foundations and basic concepts of International Relations. The course will also help in analyzing the functioning and significance of international institutions and legal frameworks.

CO1	Understand the theoretical foundations and basic concepts of International Relations.	BT1
CO2	Examine the evolution of India's foreign policy and its strategic engagement with the world.	BT2
CO3	Analyze the functioning and significance of international institutions and legal frameworks.	вт3

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	 Foundations of International Relations Meaning, Scope, and Evolution of International Relations as a Discipline Key Concepts: Sovereignty, Power, National Interest, Diplomacy, and Global Order Major Theories: Realism, Liberalism, Constructivism, and Marxism 	15
II	 International Institutions and Global Governance 1. United Nations: Structure, Function, and Reform Debates 2. International Law and Humanitarian Interventions 3. Global Governance: IMF, World Bank, WTO, and Environmental Regimes 	15
III	India's Foreign Policy and Strategic Interests 1. Foundations of India's Foreign Policy: Nehruvian Legacy and Strategic Autonomy 2. India's Relations with Major Powers: USA, China, Russia 3. India's Role in South Asia and Emerging Multilateral Forums (e.g., BRICS, QUAD)	15
IV	Contemporary Issues in Foreign Affairs 1. Global Terrorism, Migration, and Cyber Security 2. Climate Change, Energy Politics, and Global Health Diplomacy 3. Geopolitical Conflicts: Ukraine War, Israel-Palestine, Indo-Pacific Strategy	15
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/ Tutorials	Practicum	EL
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

- **1.** Baylis, J., Smith, S., & Owens, P. (Eds.). (2020). *The globalization of world politics: An introduction to international relations* (8th ed.). Oxford University Press.
- 2. Ganguly, S. (2019). *Indian foreign policy* (2nd ed.). Oxford University Press.
- 3. Haass, R. N. (2020). The world: A brief introduction. Penguin Press.
- **4.** Karns, M. P., Mingst, K. A., & Stiles, K. W. (2015). *International organizations: The politics and processes of global governance* (3rd ed.). Lynne Rienner Publishers.

- **1.** Malone, D. M., Mohan, C. R., & Raghavan, S. (Eds.). (2015). *The Oxford handbook of Indian foreign policy*. Oxford University Press.
- 2. Nye, J. S. (2017). The future of power. Public Affairs.
- 3. Viotti, P. R., & Kauppi, M. V. (2019). *International relations theory* (6th ed.). Rowman & Littlefield.
- **4.** Weiss, T. G., & Daws, S. (Eds.). (2018). *The Oxford handbook on the United Nations* (2nd ed.). Oxford University Press.

SEMESTER VIII (Major)

Paper Name: Human Rights: Theory and Practice

Paper Code: ADM182M806

L-T-P-C: 3-1-0-4 Credit Units: 4

Scheme of Evaluation: Theory

Level: 200

Course Objectives:

The objective of the course is to provides a comprehensive understanding of the philosophical, historical, and legal evolution of human rights. The course will also help in understanding the constitutional and legal provisions for human rights in the Indian context.

CO1	Understand the philosophical, historical, and legal evolution of human rights.	BT1
CO2	Evaluate the constitutional and legal provisions for human rights in the Indian context.	BT2
CO3	Analyze the global institutional and legal mechanisms for the protection of human rights.	ВТ3

Modules	Course Contents	Periods
I	Theoretical Foundations of Human Rights 1. Concept, Nature, and Classification of Human Rights 2. Historical Development: From Magna Carta to the Universal Declaration of Human Rights (UDHR) 3. Philosophical and Ideological Approaches: Natural Rights, Liberalism, Marxism, and Feminism	15
II	 International Human Rights Framework Universal Declaration of Human Rights (1948) and Key International Covenants (ICCPR, ICESCR) Role of the United Nations and Specialized Agencies (e.g., UNHRC, UNICEF, ILO) Regional Human Rights Systems: European, Inter-American, and African Charters 	15
III	Human Rights in India 1. Fundamental Rights, Directive Principles, and Right to Constitutional Remedies 2. Statutory Bodies and Institutions: NHRC, SHRCs, and Judiciary 3. Major Human Rights Movements in India: Dalit, Tribal, Gender, and Environmental Movements	15
IV	 Contemporary Issues and Challenges Human Rights and Global Conflicts: Refugees, Statelessness, and Humanitarian Crises Rights of Marginalized Groups: Women, LGBTQ+, Children, and Persons with Disabilities Human Rights Violations: Terrorism, Surveillance, Custodial Violence, and Corporate Accountability 	15
	TOTAL	60
	CREDIT DISTRIBUTION	
Lectures/ Tutorials	Practicum	EL
60 hours	-	30 hours
		(Documentary,
		Newspaper
		analysis, Book
		Review,
		Assembly
		visit)

- **1.** Alston, P., & Goodman, R. (2013). *International human rights: The successor to international human rights in context* (4th ed.). Oxford University Press.
- 2. Basu, D. D. (2021). Introduction to the Constitution of India (26th ed.). LexisNexis.
- 3. Bhargava, R. (Ed.). (2013). Politics and ethics of the Indian Constitution. Oxford University Press.
- **4.** Donnelly, J. (2013). *Universal human rights in theory and practice* (3rd ed.). Cornell University Press.
- 5. Freeman, M. (2017). Human rights: An interdisciplinary approach (3rd ed.). Polity Press.

- **1.** Ishay, M. R. (2008). *The history of human rights: From ancient times to the globalization era* (2nd ed.). University of California Press.
- 2. Smith, R. K. M. (2022). *International human rights law* (10th ed.). Oxford University Press.
- **3.** Steiner, H. J., Alston, P., & Goodman, R. (2007). *International human rights in context: Law, politics, morals* (3rd ed.). Oxford University Press.