

Even semester curriculum
Department of Sociology
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Month	Semester	Topic	Subtopic	Number of Classes	Remark	
January	1 st semester	(DSC) Sociological Concepts	Status and Role, Norms and values Social Groups: Concepts, Definition, Types. Culture: Meaning, definition, elements, Types Community and Association: Concepts, definition, Features, Differences	12	Lectures-38 Revision-9 Test-5	
	4 th semester	(DSC) Research Design	Concepts & Hypotheses. Measurement, Reliability & Validity. Quantitative & Qualitative: Surveys & Ethnographies. Sampling Frameworks	12		
		(SEC) Introduction to Visual Sociology	Visual Sociology as Method of Sociological Enquiry. An Introductory Survey of Visual and Visual Sociology. Vision, Visuality, Scopic regime, Simulacrum, Visual cultures.	4		
		(GE) Introducing Population Studies:	Sociology and Demography. Concepts and Approaches. Scope and subject matter of demography	4		
	6 th semester	(DSE) Social Stratification:	Concept, Definition , Characteristics and Approaches	12		
		(SEC) Introduction	Visual Sociology as Method of Sociological Enquiry An Introductory Survey of Visual and Visual Sociology Vision, Visuality, Scopic regime, Simulacrum, visual cultures.	4		
		(GE) Introducing Population Studies:	Sociology and Demography Concepts and Approaches Scope and subject matter of demography	4		
	1 st semester	(DSC) Sociological Concepts	Socialization: Concepts, definition, Process, Agencies, Significance Social control and Social Change: Sociological significance, definition, Agencies of Social control, Factors of Social change.	12		Lectures-38 Revision-9 Test-5
			(DSC) Data	Primary Sources		

February	4 th semester	Collection	Secondary Sources Interview Observation Questionnaire		
		(SEC) Theory	Ways of seeing : John Berger	4	
		(GE) The Theories of population	Pre- Malthusian Malthusian Theory & critique Post-Malthusian Marxist-theories	4	
	6 th semester	(DSE) Forms of Social Stratification	Race: concept nature of inequality, Ethnicity: Concept, Definition, characteristics, nature of inequality Caste: Concept, Definition, characteristics, nature of inequality	12	
		(SEC) Theory	Ways of seeing : John Berger	4	
		(GE) The Theories of population	Pre- Malthusian Malthusian Theory & critique Post-Malthusian Marxist-theories	4	
March	2 nd semester	(DSC) India - A plural Society. Social Institutions and Practices.	Features of Pluralism, Unity in Diversity. Caste – concept, definition, Characteristics, Jajmani system Nature of change. Tribe - Notion, definition, Characteristics, Location, Tribal economy. Class – Agrarian class, peasant Village – Structure, economy, Nature of change.	12	Lectures-38 Revision-9 Test-5
	4 th semester	(DSC) Data Analysis	Content Analysis Narrative Analysis	12	
		(SEC) Methodology	Methodological tools for Visual Sociology. Site, Production, Image, Photography , Audience, Modalities	4	
		(GE) Population, Social Structure and Processes:	Age and Sex Structure, Population Size and Growth Fertility-Factors of high growth, Reproduction	4	
	6 th semester	(DSE) Gender	Concept – social and cultural construction, inequality, Gender and exclusion	12	
		(SEC) Methodology	Methodological tools for Visual Sociology. Site, Production, Image, Photography , Audience, Modalities	4	
		(GE) Population, Social Structure and Processes:	Age and Sex Structure, Population Size and Growth Fertility-Factors of high growth, Reproduction	4	
	2 nd semester	(DSC) Institution of Family and Kinship. Identities and	Family - Definition, Forms, Structural and Functional Change Kinship - Usages, Significance in Society	12	

April		Change	Marriage - Definition, Forms, Structural and Functional Change. Dalits" Movement – Women"s Movement		Lectures-38 Revision-9 Test-5		
	4 th semester	(DSC) Statistical Analysis:	frequency distribution, cross tabulation,	12			
		(SEC) Discourse and visual culture.	Inter textuality Discursive formation Power/knowledge Regime of truth	4			
		(GE) Population, Social Structure and Processes:	Mortality and its Causes of High mortality, Recent Trend of Declining Mortality.	4			
	6 th semester	(DSE) Poverty:	Concept, Nature of poverty, Factors and forces of poverty in India Nature and cause of rural poverty in India. Social Exclusion: Concepts and Dimensions	12			
		(SEC) Discourse and visual culture.	Inter textuality Discursive formation Power/knowledge Regime of truth	4			
		(GE) Population, Social Structure and Processes:	Mortality and its Causes of High mortality, Recent Trend of Declining Mortality.	4			
	May	2 nd semester	(DSC) State and Society:	Civil society – Meaning , Feature , Role in contemporary Society Communalism – Causes of growth, Impact on contemporary Indian Society Secularism - Meaning, concept, Challenges of Secularism in India		12	Lectures-38 Revision-9 Test-5
		4 th semester	(DSC) Statistical Analysis:	measures of central tendency, measures of dispersion, correlation		12	
(SEC) Project work:			Documentary Photography Photo journalism Poster design Film Review Group Discussion	4			
(GE) Population Dynamics and Development			Population as Constraints and Resources for Development Population Programmes and Policies	4			
6 th semester		(DSE) Social mobility	Meaning, Types Barriers of social mobility, mobility and change.	12			
		(SEC) Project work:	Documentary Photography Photo journalism Poster design Film Review Group Discussion	4			
		(GE) Population	Population as Constraints and Resources for	4			

		Dynamics and Development	Development Population Programmes and Policies		
June	2 nd semester			3	Revision and doubt clearing.
	4 th semester			5	
	6 th semester			5	