

## SEMESTER – I

### **MIC-1 Introduction to Sociology – I**

#### Course Objectives

1. Gain scientific knowledge about society.
2. To know about the then prevailing socio-economic and political conditions for the emergence of Sociology.
3. To acquaint the students about the basic concepts of sociology.
4. To know about the emerging forms of social change.
5. To develop socio-cultural harmony within the society.
6. To enable the students to understand social phenomena in Sociological perspective.

#### Course Outcomes

**After the completion of the course, the students will be able to:**

Get acquainted with the main concepts and principles of Sociology.

Know social groups, its nature and types.

Develop sociological knowledge of culture.

Understand the techniques of social control used in society and its importance.

MIC-01 (Minor)

Full Marks:100

<b>Introduction to Sociology – I</b> (Theory: 03 credits)		
Unit	Topics to be covered	No. of Lectures
1	<b>Introductory</b> a) Definition, Nature and Scope of Sociology b) Sociology and its relation with other Social Sciences: Anthropology, History & Psychology	03 03
2	<b>Basic Sociological Concepts</b> a) Society, Community, Association and Institutions: concept, characteristics and differences b) Social Groups: definitions, characteristics & types c) Culture: definition, elements and cultural lag d) Social Control; definition, means and agencies e) Social Stratification: definition, caste & class as bases of social stratification	06 04 04 03 03
3	<b>Social Change</b> a) Concept and definition b) Types: Innovation, invention, revolution	04
4	<b>Tutorial</b>	05
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>35</b>

#### **Reading List:**

1. Sachdeva & Vidyabhushan; **An Introduction to Sociology**; Kitab Mahal, New Delhi (Also available in Hindi)
2. P. Gisbert; **Fundamentals of Sociology**; Orient Blackswan Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi.
3. J.P. Singh; समाजशास्त्रीय अवधारणाएँ एवं सिद्धांत; PHI Learning Private Limited, Delhi
4. Jyoti Sidana; समाजशास्त्र एक मूल्यांकनात्मक परिचय; Rawat Publications, Jaipur

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## SEMESTER – II

### **MIC 2 - Sociology of India I**

#### Course Objectives

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

#### Course Outcomes

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

Understand about the pluralistic structure of the Indian Society.

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

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

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

**MIC-02 (Minor)**

**Full Marks:100**

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

#### **Reading List:**

1. David G. Mandelbaum; **Society in India: Continuity and Changes**; University of California Press, Berkeley and Los Angeles, California.
2. M.N. Srinivas; **Caste in Modern India and Other Essays**; Asia Publishing House, Bombay (also available in Hindi)
3. S.L. Doshi & P.C. Jain; **Indian Society**; National Publishing House, Jaipur
4. Ahuja Ram; भारतीय सामाजिक व्यवस्था; रावत पब्लिकेशन्स, जयपुर एवं नई दिल्ली।
5. K.L. Sharma; भारतीय समाज; एन0सी0ई0आर0टी0, नई दिल्ली।

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**SEMESTER- III**

**MIC 3 - Introduction to Sociology- II**

Course objectives

1. Gain Scientific Knowledge about society
2. To Know about the then Prevailing Socio-Economic and Political Conditions for the emergency of Sociology.
3. To acquaint the students about the basic concepts of Sociology.
4. To know about the emerging forms of social change.
5. To develop socio-cultural harmony within the society.
6. To enable the students to understand social phenomena in sociological perspective.

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

- Get familiar with the concept and elements of social structure.
- Analyze the sociological concept of function and dysfunction with types.
- Explain the processes and stages of social learning.
- Reflect the traditional and modern trends of social change.

MIC 3 - Introduction to Sociology- II (Theory: 3 credits)		
Unit	Topics to be covered	No. of Lectures
1	<b>Social Structure</b> a) Concept & Definitions b) Elements	10
2	<b>Function and Dysfunction</b> a) Concept & Definitions b) Types	10
3	<b>Socialization</b> a) Meaning and Definitions b) Stages c) Agencies	10
4	<b>Tutorial</b>	10
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>40</b>

**Reading List:**

1. Jonathan Turner; **The Structure of Sociological Theory**; Rawat Publication, Jaipur
2. George Ritzer; **Sociological Theory**; McGraw Hill Education India, Noida
3. Hontan & Hunt; **Sociology**; McGraw Hill Education India, Noida
4. Robert Bierstedt; **Social Order**; McGraw Hill Book Company, New York
5. Robert Redfield, Harry & Shapiro; **Man, Culture & Society**; Oxford University Press, New York
6. Sachdeva & Vidyabhusan; **An Introduction to Sociology**; Kitab Mahal, New Delhi (Also available in Hindi)
7. P. Gisbert; **Fundamentals of Sociology**; Orient Blackswan Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi.
8. H.M. Johnson; **Sociology**; Allied Publishers Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi.
9. Haralambos & Holborn; **Sociology: Themes and Perspective**; Harper Collins Publisher India Ltd. Noida
10. J.P. Singh; समाज शास्त्रीय अवधारणाएँ एवं सिद्धांत; PHI Learning Private Limited, Delhi
11. Jyoti Sidana; समाजशास्त्र एक मूल्यांकनात्मक परिचय; Rawat Publications, Jaipur

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## SEMESTER-IV

### MIC 4 – Sociology of India – II

#### Course Objectives

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

#### Course Outcomes

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

- Discuss the contribution of some legendary personalities of India in context of the Indian society.
- Explain the resistance movements in India and their impacts.
- Articulate the effect of modernization and globalization.
- Understand the important challenges and issues facing by the Indian society.

MIC 4 – Sociology of India – II (Theory: 3 credits)		
Unit	Topics to be covered	No. of Lectures
1	<b>Ideas of India</b> a) Gandhi, Lohia and Ambedkar – Views on Indian Society b) Contributions of G.S. Ghurye and M. N. Srinivas	08
2	<b>Resistance, Mobilization and Change</b> a) Reservation Policy and Empowerment of Dalits b) Trends of mobility and change in Indian Society – Modernization & Globalization	08
3	<b>Social Movements</b> a) Peasant Movement b) Women's Movement	08
4	<b>Issues and Challenges</b> a) Communalism – Concept, Characteristics and Causes b) Secularism – Concept and Characteristics; Nationalism	08
5	<b>Tutorial</b>	08
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>40</b>

#### Reading List:

1. David G. Mandelbaum; **Society in India: Continuity and Changes**; University of California Press, Berkeley and Los Angeles, California.
2. K.M. Panikar; **Hindu Society at Cross Roads**; Asia Publishing House, Bombay
3. A.R. Desai; **Social Background of Indian Nationalism**; Popular Parkashan, Bombay (also available in Hindi)
4. M.N. Srinivas; **Caste in Modern India and Other Essays**; Asia Publishing House, Bombay (also available in Hindi)
5. M.N. Srinivas; **The Dominant Caste and Other Essays**; Oxford University Press, New Delhi
6. S.L. Doshi & P.C. Jain; **Indian Society**; National Publishing House, Jaipur
7. Nadeem Hasnain; **Indian Society and Culture**; McGraw Hill Education India, Noida
8. Ahuja Ram; भारतीय सामाजिकव्यवस्था; शिवतपस्विकेशन्स, जयपुर एवं नई दिल्ली।
9. K.L. Sharma; भारतीय समाज; १०सी०ई०आर०टी०, नई दिल्ली।

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## SEMESTER-V

### MIC 5 – Political Sociology

#### Course Objectives

- To acquaint the student with the fundamental relation between politics and society
- To familiarize the students with different aspects of Political Sociology.
- To understand the voting behavior in India.

#### Course Outcomes

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

- CO1:** Understand the fundamental dimensions of Political Sociology  
**CO2:** Acquaint with the basic concepts of political sociology.  
**CO3:** Understand the role of prominent democratic actors

MIC 5 – Political Sociology (Theory: 3 credits)		
Unit	Topics to be covered	No. of Lectures
1	<b>Political Sociology- Contextualising Study of Politics</b> d) Definition, Nature and Scope of Political Sociology e) Relationship with Sociology, Political Science, Economics and Psychology	10
2	<b>Basic Concepts</b> d) Power – Definitions, characteristics, sources and types e) Authority – Definitions, types, functions and distinctions with power	10
3	<b>Democratic Actors</b> d) Pressure Group – Definitions, types and role e) Political parties – Definitions, elements, functions and limitations f) Voting Behaviour in India	10
4	<b>Tutorial</b>	05
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>35</b>

#### Reading List:

- S.N. Eisintadt; **Political Sociology: A Reader**; Rawat Publication, Jaipur.
- C.J. Fuller and V. Beni; **The Everyday State and Society in Modern India**; Social Science Press, New Delhi
- C. Wright Mills; **The Power Elite**; Oxford University Press, New York
- Max Weber; **Economy and Society**; University of California Press, Berkeley and Los Angeles, California
- Timothy Mitchell; **Society, Economy and the State Effect: A Reader**; Cornell University Press, Ithaca
- Shefali Roy; **Society and Politics in India**; PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi
- Shashi Sharma; राजनीतिकसमाजशास्त्र की रूपरेखा; PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi
- Ishwar Singh Chouhan & Srinath Sharma; राजनीतिकसमाजशास्त्र; SBPD Publishing House, Agra
- Purkhraj Jain & B.L. Fadia; राजनीतिकसमाजशास्त्र; Sahitya Bhawan, Agra

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## SEMESTER-V

### MIC 6 – Sociology of Religion

#### Course Objectives

- To acquaint the students with the basic dimensions of Sociology of Religion.
- To familiarize the students with basic terminology in Sociology of Religion.
- To understand the basic role of Religion in Indian Society.

#### Course Outcomes

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

- CO1: Acquaint with the subject matter of sociology of religion.  
CO2: Identify the elements of religion.  
CO3: Analyze the contemporary issues related with religion in sociological perspectives.

MIC 6 – Sociology of Religion (Theory: 3 credits)		
Unit	Topics to be covered	No. of Lectures
1	<b>Introduction</b> a) Religion: Definition and characteristics b) Origin Theories of religion: Animism & Naturalism c) Sociology of Religion: Definition, Nature and Scope	10
2	<b>Elements of Religion</b> a) Ritual: Nature, Definition, Characteristics & Types b) Religious Groups: Sect, Denomination and Cult	10
3	<b>Religion and Society: Contemporary Issues</b> a) Religious Fundamentalism b) Secularism and Communalism: Meaning, Characteristics and Factors c) Religious Pluralism in India: Meaning importance and context in India	10
4	<b>Tutorial</b>	05
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>35</b>

#### Reading List:

- Emile Durkheim; **The Elementary Forms of Religious Life**; The Free Press, New York
- E.E. Evans-Pritchard; **The Nuer**; Oxford Clarendon Press, New York
- Davie Grace; **The Sociology of Religion: A Critical Agenda**; Sage Publications, New Delhi
- Ronald L. Johnstone; **Religion and Society in Interaction: The Sociology of Religion**; Prentice Hall Publication, New Delhi
- Max Weber; **The Protestant Ethics and the Spirit of Capitalism**; The Free Press, New York
- Rabindra Nath Mukherjee & Bharat Agrawal; **धर्म का समाजशास्त्र**; SBPD Publication, Agra

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**SEMESTER-VI**  
**MIC 7 – Sociology of Gender**

**Course Objectives**

- a) To acquaint the student with the basis sociological dimension of gender
- b) To familiarize the students with gender based inequality.
- c) To understand the dimension of feminism.

**Course Outcomes**

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

- Examine the gender issues from sociological point of view.
- Highlight the concept and theoretical perspective of feminism.
- Get acquainted with the various issues of gender discrimination in India.
- Feminist movement in India.

<b>MIC 7 – Sociology of Gender</b> (Theory: 3 credits)		
Unit	Topics to be covered	No. of Lectures
1	<b>Basic Concept</b> d) Sociology of Gender: Meaning, definition and subject matter e) Sex and Gender f) Patriarchy and Gender roles	10
2	<b>Theories of Feminism</b> a. Marxist b. Liberal c. Socialist d. Radical	10
3	<b>Gender inequality and Feminist movements</b> c) Gender inequality – Meaning, definitions, extent, factors and steps to eradicate gender inequality d) Feminist movement in India.	10
4	<b>Tutorial</b>	05
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>35</b>

**Reading List:**

- 1 S. Jackson and S. Scott (eds.): **Gender, A Sociological Reader**; Routledge, London.
- 2 Kumar Radha; **From Chipt to Sati, The Contemporary Indian Women's Movement in Nivedita Menon (Gender and Politics in India)**; Oxford University Press, New Delhi.
- 3 Halberstam, Judith; **An Introduction to Female Masculinity**; Duke University Press, London (Also Delhi: Zubaan 2012) Re-print.
- 4 Walby, Sylvia; **Gender, Class and Stratification – Towards a new approach, A Sociological Reader**; Rout ledge, London
- 5 Kandiyoti, Deniz; **Bargaining with Patriarchy in Judith Lorber and Susan AFarrel (Eds.), Social Construction of Gender**; Sage Publication, New Delhi.
- 6 R.K. Rastogi; **लिंग एवं समाज**; Sanjeev Prakashan, Jaipur
- 7 Savita Sharma; **लिंग, विद्यालय एवं समाज**; Sri Vinod Pustak Mandir, Agra
- 8 Subhash Sharma; **भारतीय महिलाओं की दशा**; Aadhar Prakashan, Panchkula (Haryana)
- 9 Gopa Joshi; **भारत में स्त्री असमानता**; Hindi Madhyam Karyanawayan Nidheshalay, Delhi University, New Delhi

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SEMESTER – VI

**MIC-08 - Social Psychology – I**

Course Objectives

- (1) The course will help students understand how society impacts individuals, and how individual behaviors affect society.
- (2) It will enable students to develop understanding of sociological concept and theories vis-à-vis society.
- (3) Social Psychology helps students study scientifically human behaviors in groups.

Course Outcomes

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

- Get acquainted with the fundamental concept and its significance in social psychology.
- Analyze the psychological variables of group formations.
- Discuss the changing pattern of social learning.
- Explain the inter-dependent relationship between culture and personality.

Social Psychology – I (Theory: 3 credits)		
Unit	Topics to be covered	No. of Lectures
1	<b>Introduction</b> a) Subject matter and scope b) Relationship with other social sciences	08
2	<b>Group</b> a) Concept and characteristics b) Kinds of group	08
3	<b>Socialization</b> a) Meaning, definition and characteristics b) Stages and processes	08
4	<b>Culture &amp; Personality</b> a) Concept and characteristics b) Inter relationship c) National culture	08
5	<b>Tutorial</b>	08
	<b>TOTAL</b>	40

**Reading List:**

1. Krech, Crutchfield and Ballachey; **Individual in Society**; McGraw Hill Book Co., Noida
  2. K. Young; **Handbook of Social Psychology**; Routledge and Kegan Paul, London.
  3. B. Kuppuswamy; **An Introduction to Social Psychology**; Asia Publishing House, Bombay (also available in Hindi)
  4. H.C. Lindgreen; **Introduction to Social Psychology**; John Wiley and Sons. Ltd., USA
  5. Sherif and Sherif; **An Outline of Social Psychology**; Harper and Bros., New York
  6. Rajendra Kumar Sharma; **Social Psychology**; Atlantic Publisher & Distributor, New Delhi
- Ravindra Nath Mukherjee & Bharat Aggrawal; सामाजिक मनोविज्ञान; SBPD Publication, Agra

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## SEMESTER-VII

### MIC 9 – Social Change and Development in India

#### Course Objectives

- (1) The Course enables students to explore issues relating to development.
- (2) It helps students to understand the various processes of social change and continuity in both global and Indian contexts.
- (3) Owing to its interdisciplinary nature, drawing from sociology, anthropology, economics and political studies this course will help students analyze different approaches to development.

#### Course Outcomes

After the completion of the course, the student will have to:

- Formulate the sociological concepts related to social change.
- Critically examine its theoretical perspectives.
- Assess the traditional and modern processes of social change.
- Evaluate the measures of planned social change in India.

MIC-9 – Social Change and Development in India (Theory: 4 credits)		
Unit	Topics to be covered	No. of Lectures
1	Basic Concepts d) Meaning of Social Change, Social Development and Social Progress	10
2	Theories of Social Change Evolutionary, Cyclical and Conflict Theory	10
3	Process of Social Change in India (a) Westernization and Sanskritization: Concept and Impacts	10
4	Planned Change in India d) Niti Ayog: Objectives, Achievements and Limitations e) MANREGA: Objectives & Achievements f) Panchayati Raj in Bihar: Structure and Functions	10
5	Tutorial	10
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>50</b>

#### Reading List:

1. A.R. Radcliffe Brown & D. Forde; African System of Kinship and Marriage; Oxford University Press, London
2. E.E. Evans-Pritchard; 'The Nuer of Southern Sudan' in R. Parking and L. Stone (eds.) Kinship and Family: An Anthropological Reader; Blackwell, U.S.A.
3. A.M. Shah; 'Changes in the Indian Family: An Examination of Some Assumptions', in The Family in India: Critical Essays; Orient Longman, New Delhi
4. Susan Martha Kahn, Eggs and Wombs; The Origins of Jewishness', in R. Parking and L. Stone (eds.) Kinship and Family: An Anthropological Reader; Blackwell, U.S.A.
5. E. Kathleen Gough; 'The Nayars and the Definition of Marriage', in The Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute of Great Britain and Ireland; 89:23-24
6. Robin Fox; नातेदारी एवं विवाह; Madhya Pradesh Hindi Granth Academy, Bhopal
7. Shobhita Jain; भारत में परिवार, विवाह और नातेदारी; Rawat Publications, Jaipur

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## SEMESTER-VIII

### MIC-10 – Social Stratification

#### Course Objectives

- (1) The course introduces students to sociological studies of social inequalities.
- (2) The topics will be helpful for the students in understanding the nuances of social inequalities and their manifestations in various forms.
- (3) It will help student to differentiate between class and caste based in inequalities.

#### Course Outcomes

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

- Understand the concept of social stratification.
- Critically analyze the theoretical perspectives.
- Analyze the role of caste and class in the context of Indian society.
- Highlight the issues of ethnicity and identity in contemporary scenario.

MIC 10 – Social Stratification (Theory: 4 credits)		
Unit	Topics to be covered	No. of Lectures
1	<b>Introducing Stratification</b> d) Concepts of Social Stratification e) Stratification and Inequality f) Bases of Stratification	14
2	<b>Identities and Inequalities</b> c) Caste as a System of Stratification d) Class as a System of Stratification	14
3	d) Difference between Caste and Class e) Race and Ethnicity f) Social Stratification and Social Mobility	14
4	Tutorial	08
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>50</b>

#### Reading List:

1. Peter Worsley: **Introducing Sociology**; Harmondsworth, Penguin Books.
2. C. N. Shanker Rao: **Principles of Sociology**; S. Chand and Company Ltd., New Delhi.
3. David Maclellan: **The Thoughts of Karl Marx**; Papermac, London..
4. T.B. Bottomore: **Classes in Modern Society**; Pantheon Books, New York.
5. Wendy Bottero: **Stratification**; Routledge, London
6. Max Weber; Hans Heinrich Gerth and Wright Mills; **From Max Weber**; Oxford University Press, New York
7. K.L. Sharma: सामाजिकस्तरिकरण; Rawat Publication, Jaipur (Also available in English)
8. Ravindra Nath Mukherjee & Bharat Aggrawal, सामाजिकस्तरिकरण; SBPD Publication, Agra
9. Haralambos & Holborn : **Sociology: Themes & perspectives.**
10. **Sociological Theory** George Ritzer

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