

Semester-wise Titles of the Papers in BA (Sociology)

Year	Semester	Course Code	Paper Title	Theory/Practical	Credits
I	I	A070101T	Introduction to Basic Concepts of Sociology	Theory	6
I	II	A070201T	Society in India: Structure, Organization & Change.	Theory	4
I	II	A070202P	Writing skilldevelopment on topics of Contemporary Sociological Importance	Practical	2
II	III	A070301T	Social Change & Social Movements	Theory	6
II	IV	A070401T	Social Problems & Issues of Development in India	Theory	4
II	IV	A070402R	Projects on Sustainable Society	Project	2
III	V	A070501T	Classical Sociological Thought	Theory	5
III	V	A070502T	Research Methodology in Social Sciences	Theory	5
III	V	A070503P	Practical Application of Research Methodology/ Project Work	Practical	3
III	VI	A070601T	Pioneers of Indian Sociology	Theory	5
III	VI	A070602T	Gender and Society	Theory	5
III	VI	A070603R	Field Work/Case Study/Project Work	Project	3

**BA 1st Year, Sem. I ,
Course I
(Theory)**

Programme/Class	Certificate	Year	B.A.I	Semester	I
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Subject	Sociology		
Course Code	A070101T	Course Title	Introduction to Basic Concepts of Sociology

Course Outcomes:

This paper will introduce students to new concepts of Sociology discipline. These concepts will enhance the conceptual learning and understanding of the basic concepts used in Sociology. This paper will contribute in enriching the vocabulary and scientific temperament of the students. The course is designed to incorporate all the key concepts of sociology which would enable the learner to develop keen insights to distinguish between the commonsense knowledge and Sociological knowledge.

Credits - 6	Maximum Marks: 100	Minimum Marks: 33
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Total No. of Lectures –Tutorials – Practical (in hours per week) : 6-0-0

Unit	Topic	No. of Lectures
I	Sociology: Meaning, Nature, Scope of Sociology, Sociology and Common Sense, Sociology as a Science, Humanistic Orientation in Sociology. History and Emergence of Sociology in India.	12
II	Sociology and other Social Sciences (Anthropology, Economics, History, Psychology, Political Science).	12
III	Basic Concepts: Society, Community, Institutions, Association, Social Group, Human and Animal Society.	11
IV	Social Institutions: Family, Kinship, Marriage, Education, State & Religion.	11
V	Culture and Civilization, Pluralism, Multiculturalism, Cultural Relativism	11
VI	Socio-Cultural Processes: Cooperation, Conflict, Competition, Acculturation, Assimilation and Integration.	11
VII	Social Structure, Status and Role, Norms, Folkways and Mores, Sanctions and Values.	11
VIII	Social Stratification: Meaning, Forms and Basis, Social Mobility: Meaning and Types.	11

This is an elective course open for all.

Suggested Readings:

1. Berger, P. 1963. An Invitation to Sociology: A humanistic Perspective.
2. Bottomore, T.B. 1973. Sociology: A guide to Problems and Literature. (Hindi version available).
3. Davis, Kingsley. 1973. Human Society.
4. Giddens, Anthony. 2009. Introduction to Sociology.
5. Haralambos M. Sociology: Themes and Perspectives. (Hindi version available).
6. Inkeles, Alex. 1987. What is Sociology.
7. Maclver, R.M. and Charles H. Page. 1949. Society: An Introductory Analysis. (Hindi version available)
8. Mills, C.W. 1959. The Sociological Imagination.
9. Thakur, Navendu. 2016, Samaj Shastra Ek Parichay.
10. जे.पी. सिंह, 2011, समाजशास्त्रके मूलतत्व, PHI

Suggested Continuous Internal Evaluation Methods (25 Marks):

- Seminar/Assignment on any topic of the above syllabus.
- Test with multiple choice questions / short and long answer questions.
- Research Orientation of the student.
- Quiz

Suggested equivalent online courses:

IGNOU & Other centrally/state operated Universities / MOOC platforms such as "SWAYAM" in India and Abroad.