

# BHAKTAKAVI NARSINH MEHTA UNIVERSITY, JUNAGADH

B.A. Sem-2 Sociology  
Course on choice based credit system to be implemented  
from June 2018  
'Introduction to Sociology- II'

Paper No : 3Core Paper

Name of Paper : Introduction to Sociology- II

Credit-3

Objectives:

- To get the basic understanding of Sociology
- To understand the basic concepts and definitions of sociology
- To introduce the students about the scientific perspective of society
- To introduce students about the primary units of society.

Units	Subjects	Methods
Unit – 1	Sociological Perspective <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Meaning and Characteristics of Sociological Perspective</li><li>- Why the explanation of sociological perspective?</li><li>- Basic difference between Social Sciences: Perspective differences</li></ul>	Lecture Audio-Visual Aid Group Discussion
Unit – 2	Basic Sociological Concepts <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Social Action and Interaction</li><li>- Meaning of Social Action, Elements of Social Action.</li><li>- Meaning and Characteristics of Social Action .</li><li>- Types of Social Interaction, cooperation, conflict, competition, integration</li></ul>	Lecture Audio-Visual Aid Group Discussion
Unit – 3	Society, Community and Association <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Meaning and Characteristics of Society</li><li>- Meaning and Characteristics of Community</li><li>- Difference between Society and Community</li><li>- Meaning and Characteristics of Association</li><li>- Difference between community and association</li></ul>	Lecture Audio-Visual Aid Group Discussion
Unit – 4	Social Ends <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Social Ends: Meaning, Characteristics, Types and Importance</li><li>- Social Status and Role</li><li>- Meaning and Types of Social Status</li><li>- Meaning of Role</li><li>- Role Conflict</li><li>- Differences and Relationship between Status and Role</li></ul>	Lecture Audio-Visual Aid Group Discussion

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'Indian Sociology- II'

Paper No : 4Core Paper

Name of Paper : Indian Sociology- II

Credit-3

Objectives:

- To introduce students about the primary introduction of social institutions
- To develop the scientific understanding of students about the Indian social structure
- To introduce students about the social utilization of Indian social institutions

Unit	Subjects	Methods
Unit – 1	Social Institutions of India – An Introduction - Meaning and Characteristics of Social Institutions - Important elements of Institution - Functions of Institutions	Lecture Audio-Visual Aid Group Discussion
Unit – 2	Caste and Religious Institutes - Meaning and Characteristics of Caste (Given by G.S.Dhurye) - Meaning of Varna - Difference between Varna and Caste - Causes of Casteism - Causes of Casteism - Meaning, Characteristics of Religion, - Religious Beliefs - Functions and dysfunction of religion.	Lecture Audio-Visual Aid Group Discussion
Unit – 3	Family and Marriage Institute - Meaning and Characteristics of Family - Types of Family - Nature of Family - Marriage : meaning and Objectives of Hindu Marriage - Hindu Marriage – as a Sacrament - Controls of Marriage - Divorce: Causes, effects and legal provision	Lecture Audio-Visual Aid Group Discussion
Unit – 4	Educational Institute - Meaning of Education - Importance of Education/Functions - Relation between education and society - Contemporary educational condition	Lecture Audio-Visual Aid Group Discussion

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'General Sociology- II'

Paper No : 3 Elective - I &amp; II

Name of Paper : General Sociology- II

Credit - 3

**Objectives:**

- To get the basic information about sociology
- To understand the basic concepts of sociology
- To introduce the nature and the field of sociology

<b>Units</b>	<b>Subjects</b>	<b>Methods</b>
Unit 1	Social Control and Changes - Meaning and Mean of Social Control, Importance of Social Control - Nature and Scope of Social Changes. - Types of Social Change, Responsible and obstructive factors of Social Changes	Lecture Audio-Visual Aid Group Discussion
Unit 2	Social Stratification - Meaning, Characteristics, Functions and Dysfunctions of Stratification - Caste and Class as a type of Stratification - Social Stratification in India.	Lecture Audio-Visual Aid Group Discussion
Unit 3	Village Community and Urban Community - Meaning an Characteristics of rural Community, - Meaning an Characteristics of Urban Community, - Comparison between rural and urban community	Lecture Audio-Visual Aid Group Discussion
Unit 4	Person and Society - Different opinion and Social contract between person and society - Social Organism, Sociological Perspective	Lecture Audio-Visual Aid Group Discussion

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'Indian Social Structure'

Paper No : 4 Elective - I & II

Paper Name : Indian Social Structure

Credit - 3

## Objective

- To understand the construction of Indian population
- To get understanding of social institutions of India
- To understand the socio-religious diversity of Indian Society.

Unit	Subjects	Methods
Unit - 1	<b><u>Population in India</u></b> Indian Population Density of population/sex ratio, educational ratio, rural and urban population, Age and Gender structure and its social impact	Lecture Audio-Visual Aid Group Discussion
Unit - 2	Indian Social Institutions: Meaning, Characteristics, functions Caste Institution: Meaning, Characteristics, difference between Varna and Caste Marriage Institution: Meaning, Hindu and Muslim Marriage, Hindu marriage as a sacrament, Divorce Family Institution: Meaning, Characteristics and Nature	Lecture Audio-Visual Aid Group Discussion
Unit - 3	Religious groups and language groups in India (1) Religion groups and population (2) Social importance of various religious groups (3) language groups and population (4) Multi-language nature of Indian society and its problems – Problem of national language, problem of administrative language, Language problem in the field of education, Problem of Minority languages	Lecture Audio-Visual Aid Group Discussion
Unit - 4	Schedule Tribes in India (1) Tribes : Meaning and Characteristics (2) Introduction to Social life of Tribes (3) Geographical analysis of Tribes in India (4) Way of life subsistence in Tribes (5) YuvaGruh	Lecture Audio-Visual Aid Group Discussion

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