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**Syllabus for FY BA  
(June 2020 Onwards)**

**Program: BA**

**Semester 1**

**Course: Foundations of Sociology - I**

<b>Course Code</b>	<b>Paper Title</b>	<b>Credit</b>
<b>ASOC101</b>	<b>Foundations of Sociology</b>	<b>03</b>

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**1. Syllabus as per Choice Based Credit System**

i) Name of the Programme	:	F.Y.B.A. Sociology
ii) Course Code	:	ASOC101
iii) Course Title	:	Foundations of Sociology
iv) Semester wise Course Contents	:	Copy of the syllabus Enclosed
v) References and additional references	:	Enclosed in the Syllabus
vi) Credit structure	:	
No. of Credits per Semester	:	03
vii) No. of lectures per Unit	:	Unit I-12, Unit II -11, Unit III -11, Unit IV-11
viii) No. of lectures per week	:	04
ix) No. of Tutorial per week	:	---
<b>2 Scheme of Examination</b>	:	Semester End Exam:60 marks (4 Questions of 15 marks) Internal Assessment 40 marks: Test 15 marks, Project/ Assignment 15 marks Class Participation: 10 marks
<b>3 Special notes, if any</b>	:	No

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<b>Programme: FYBA</b>	<b>Semester: I</b>
<b>Course : Foundations of Sociology – I</b>	<b>Course Code : ASOC101</b>

<b>Teaching Scheme (Hrs/Week)</b>				<b>Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) 40 marks</b>					<b>End Semester Examination</b>	<b>Total</b>
L	T	P	C	CIA-1	CIA-2	CIA-3	CIA-4	Lab	Written	
4	-	-	3	15	15	10		-	60	100
Max. Time, End Semester Exam (Theory) -2Hrs.										

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Course Objectives	
1.	To acquaint students with the basic concepts in Sociology.
2.	To familiarize students with the theoretical background of different concepts.
3.	To equip students with basic understanding regarding structure of society.
4.	To make the students aware of the application of sociological concepts in everyday life situations.
5.	To create a foundation for and foster interest in further study in Sociology.

Course Content			
Unit No.	Module No.	Content	Lectures
1: Perspectives In Sociology	I	Emergence of Sociology as a discipline and its relevance today: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Origin and development of the discipline of Sociology</li> <li>• Relationship between Sociology and other social sciences</li> </ul>	12
	II	Development of Sociology: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pioneers of Sociology; Comte (Law of Three Stages), Spencer (Organic Analogy) Durkheim (Division of Labour) and Marx (Conflict)</li> </ul>	
	III	Careers in Sociology	
2: Social Institutions	I	Marriage: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Patterns in Marriage; Endogamy, Exogamy, Monogamy, Polygamy,</li> <li>• Patterns of Descent: Patrilineal, Matrilineal, Bilateral</li> </ul>	11
	II	Family: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Functions of the Family</li> <li>• Variations in family structure: Traditional and contemporary</li> </ul>	

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	III	Religion: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meaning and functions of religion</li> <li>• Types: Magic, Sect and Cult, Totemism, Naturism, Animism, Monotheism, Polytheism</li> </ul>	
3.Society and Culture	I	Evolution of Society: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hunting, Gathering and Agrarian</li> <li>• Industrial</li> <li>• Post-industrial and Network society</li> </ul>	11
	II	Culture: Meaning, Characteristics and Components of Culture	
	III	Cultural Universals, Cultural Differences, Ethnocentrism and Cultural Relativity, Sub Culture and Counterculture	
4.Socialization	I	Understanding Socialization: The Self and Socialization <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• George Herbert Mead: Theory of the Social Self</li> <li>• Charles Horton Cooley: Looking Glass Self</li> </ul>	11
	II	The agencies and Types of Socialization <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Family, School, Peer group and Mass media</li> <li>• Gender Socialization, Re-Socialization, Political Socialization, Anticipatory Socialization</li> </ul>	
	III	Pierre Bourdieu's concept of 'Habitus	
Total No. of Lectures			45

**Beyond the Syllabus**

Students' presentations, group discussions, book reviews and visits to Institutes/ NGOs

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**Semester I: Paper Pattern**

Duration: 2 hours	Marks: 60
Q.1 Descriptive/ illustrative answer (1 out of 3) (Unit 1)	15 marks
Q.2 Descriptive/ illustrative answer (1 out of 3) (Unit 2)	15 marks
Q.3 Descriptive/ illustrative answer (1 out of 3) (Unit 3)	15 Marks
Q.4. Descriptive/ illustrative answer (1 out of 3) ( Unit 4 )	15 Marks

**Course Outcomes**

Students should be able to...

CO1	Understand the basic concepts in Sociology.
CO2	Know the theoretical background of different concepts
CO3	Understand the basic societal structure and organization.
CO4	Apply Sociological concepts to understand various phenomena in day to day life.
CO5	Feel interested and motivated to pursue further study in the field of Sociology

**Recommended Resources**

Reference Books	Dasgupta and Saha (2012) An introduction to Sociology, Pearson Giddens, Anthony (2017) Sociology (8th edition), Atlantic Publishers Harlambos M. and Heald R M(2009) Sociology: Themes and Perspectives; New Delhi, Oxford University Press Julia Jary and David Jary (2005) Dictionary of Sociology; Collins Marshall Gordon, Dictionary of Sociology;,New Delhi, Oxford
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	<p>University Press.</p> <p>Macionis,John (2005) Sociology(10th edition);Prentis Hall</p> <p>Schaefer Richard T (2006) Sociology: A Brief Introduction(6th edition) New Delhi, Tata McGraw Hill publication</p> <p>Schaffer and Lamm (1998) Sociology (6th edition) McGraw Hill</p> <p>Stolley S, Kathy (2005) The Basics of Sociology, Greenwood Press</p>
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**Program: BA**

**Semester 2**

**Course: Fundamentals of Sociology - II**

<b>Course Code</b>	<b>Paper Title</b>	<b>Credit</b>
<b>ASOC201</b>	<b>Fundamentals of Sociology</b>	<b>03</b>

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vi) Credit structure	:	
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<b>Programme: FYBA</b>	<b>Semester: 2</b>
<b>Course : Fundamentals of Sociology</b>	<b>Course Code : ASOC201</b>

Teaching Scheme (Hrs/Week)				Continuous Internal Assessment (CIA) 40 marks					End Semester Examination	Total
L	T	P	C	CIA-1	CIA-2	CIA-3	CIA-4	Lab	Written	
4	-	-	3	15	15	10		-	60	100
Max. Time, End Semester Exam (Theory) -2Hrs.										

**Course Objectives**

1.	To introduce students to the emerging issues in Sociology
2.	To help students understand various theoretical perspectives regarding these issues.
3.	To help students understand the significance of research in these issues.
4.	To make students conscious of their role in social change.
5.	To enthuse students and to introduce them to the relevance and varied possibilities for future studies in Sociology.

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Course Content			
Unit No.	Module No.	Content	Lectures
1: Social Interaction	I II III	Daily life encounter -- relationship between culture and communication, verbal and non-verbal communication  'Virtuality' and Virtual Interaction  Human-Computer Interaction  . .	12
2: Social Stratification	I II III	Meaning of Social stratification  Types of Social Stratification and Discrimination - Age, Caste, Class, Gender, Religion, Race and Differently Abled  Social Mobility	11
3: Social Control and Deviance	I II III	Social Control, Conformity and deviance: Meaning and forms  Perspectives on Crime: Strain Theory (Merton), Labeling Theory (Becker), Conflict Theory (Marx)  Inequality and Crime, White-collar crime, Corporate crimes, Cyber crimes	11
4: Collective Behaviour	I II	Forms of Collective Behaviour – Folk and Mass, Crowds, Mobs, Riots, Mob hysteria  Theories of Collective Behaviour – Contagion,	11

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	III	Emergent Norm, Value-added Social Movements – Formation and Types	
Total No. of Lectures			45

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**Semester II Paper Pattern**

Duration: 2 hours			Marks: 60
Q.1	Descriptive/ illustrative answer (1 out of 3)	(Unit 1)	15 marks
Q.2	Descriptive/ illustrative answer (1 out of 3)	(Unit 2)	15 marks
Q.3	Descriptive/ illustrative answer (1 out of 3)	(Unit 3)	15 Marks
Q.4.	Descriptive/ illustrative answer (1 out of 3)	(Unit 4)	15 Marks

**Course Outcomes**

Students should be able to...

CO1	Understand the emerging issues in Sociology.
CO2	Know theoretical background of these issues.
CO3	Understand the significance of research into these issues.
CO4	Evaluate their role as change agents.
CO5	Feel interested in varied possibilities for future studies in these issues.

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