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Ph.D. Course Work Syllabus

Paper-II Sociology

Paper Code-(Ph.D.-102)

Contact Hours: 4 Hrs/ week Continuous Assessment: 40 Marks

Credit: 4 End Term Exam: 60 Marks

Unit I:

Philosophy as a Discipline and its Role a) Philosophy a Liberal Discipline: Meaning and Relevance b) Functions of Philosophy: Speculative, Analytic, Prescriptive and Normative c) Philosophical Methods: Analysis, Synthesis, Induction, Deduction d) Philosophical Foundations of Research e) Sociological Foundations of Research

Unit-II

Western and Indian Thinkers on Education Thomas Kuhn, Emile Durkheim, Talcott Parsons, Martin Buber, Francis Bacon, Jean Paul Sartre, Rabindranath Tagore, Swami Vivekananda, Sri Aurobindo, Jiddu krishnamurti, B.R. Ambedkar, Zakir Hussain, S. Radhakrishnan

Unit-III

Social change and Education a) Social change and its implication on Education and Society b) Recent social development and their impact on Society and Education c) Media and its uses for uplifting the Education and Society with special reference to Social Media. d) Social Stratification and its impact on Society and Education

Unit –IV

Critical Reflection on the writings of the following thinkers: a) Learning without Burden: Prof. Yashpal b) What is Worth Teaching: Prof. Krishna Kumar c) Pedagogy of the Oppressed: Paul Freire d) Deschooling Society: Ivan Illich e) Role of following social thinkers on Society and Education - Jyotiba Phule, Savitri Bai Phule, Raja Ram Mohan Roy, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar, Gopal Krishna Gokhale, Mohan Das Karmchand Gandhi, Mother Teresa.

Text Books: -

References:

David Barrat (1986): Media Sociology. London and Newyork, Routledge.								
David Holemes (2005):	Communication The	ory; Media	Technolo	gy and				
Society.New Delhi, SAGE Publications.								
Denis McQuail (2005):I	Mass Communication	Theory.	New	Delhi,				
VistaarPublications.		•						

Uma Joshi (2005):	Mass	Communication	and	Media.	New	Delhi.
AnmolPublications.						
Vilanilam J.V (20050	:Mass (Communication in	Ind	ia: A	Sociolog	gical
Perspective.New Delh	i, SAGE	E Publications.				
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