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TULJARAM CHATURCHAND COLLEGE
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SYBA Sociology Syllabus 2020-2021

Sr. No.	Course Name	Title of the Paper	Level
1	SYBA (S-1)	Foundations of Sociological Thought	Special (Compulsory)
2	SYBA (S-2)	Indian Society: Issues and Problems	Special (Compulsory)
3	SYBA (G-2)	Population and Society	General (Optional-1)

Sem. III

SOCGEN2301: Population and Society

Objectives:

1. To introduce the significance of population studies and explain theories and basic concepts.
2. To understand the impact of population on various institutions of society.
3. To understand the importance of population studies for policy and development.

Unit I – Introduction to Population Studies (16)

1. Population Studies – Meaning, Scope and Importance
2. Evolution of Population Studies - Micro Demography to Macro Demography

Unit II – Theories and Perspectives in Population studies (16)

1. Malthusian and neo-Malthusian theory
2. Demographic Transition theory
3. Marxist perspective
4. Feminist perspective

Unit III – Sources of population data (16)

1. Census – definition and importance
2. Registration of vital events (birth, death, marriage, adoption, divorce) – meaning and importance
3. National Sample Survey – meaning and importance
4. Recent trends in collection of population data – Adhar (Unique Identification Data) – meaning and debate about

SOCSPL2302: Foundations of Sociological Thought

Objectives:

1. To introduce the students to the works of classical sociologists that shaped the discipline.
2. To expose the students to the processes that shaped the discipline of sociology in India.
3. To familiarize the students to major perspectives and works of some Indian sociologists.

Unit I: The Emergence of Sociological Thought: Intellectual and Social Context (16)

- a) Enlightenment
- b) French Revolution
- c) Industrial Revolution

Unit II: The Positivist School (16)

August Comte

- a) Positivism
- b) Law of three stages

Emile Durkheim

- a) Theory of social facts
- b) Theory of suicide and theory of religion

Unit III: The Conflict School: Karl Marx (16)

- a) Historical Materialism
- b) Theory of Class Struggle
- c) Theory of Alienation

SOCSP 2303: Indian Society: Issues and Problems

Objectives:

1. To familiarize the students to different social issues and problems.
2. To acquaint the students to the changing nature of social problems in India.
3. To enable students to analyze social issues and problems using different sociological perspectives.

Unit I: Social Problems 16

1. Social Problems: Meaning, characteristics and causes
2. Approaches to social problems – structural functional, conflict and interactionist

Unit II: Structural Issues and Problems 16

1. Problems of Caste Inequality and Discrimination. – Meaning, Nature and Causes
2. Poverty (Rural and Urban) – Meaning, Nature and Causes

Unit III: Gender Inequality and Discrimination 16

1. Aspects of gender inequality and discrimination – economic, cultural, political, familial.
2. Violence against women – domestic violence, sexual violence, sex selective abortion and trafficking

Sem. IV
SOCGEN2401: Population and Society

Unit IV – Population Growth and Distribution in India (16)

1. Growth of population since 1901
2. Nature and characteristics of Indian population (Age, Sex, Missing Girl child, Education, Literacy, Religion)

Unit V -- Population policy in India (16)

1. Population policy and Role of state
2. Population policy in India
 - a) Pre independence
 - b) Post independence – shifts in perspective
 - i) Gandhian Impact ii) Family planning - 1961 iii) Family welfare 1977
 - iv) National Population Policy 2000 and development there after

Unit VI - Population Education in India (16)

1. Population Education – Concept and debate, need, objectives, Sex Education, HIV, Aids Awareness
2. Legislative measures to enhance the quality and quantity of population in India - (Ban on sex determination and sex-selective abortions, PCPNDT, National Rural Health Mission)

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12. Sen Amartya. 2000. *Development as Freedom*. Delhi. Oxford University Press.
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14. World Development Reports (see UNDP websites)

SOCSPL2402: Foundations of Sociological Thought

Unit IV: Emergence of Sociology in India (16)

- a) The Colonial Background
- b) Nationalism
- c) Development of Sociology in India

Unit V: The Indological Perspective (16)

- a) **G.S. Ghurye** - Indology and Theory of Caste

Unit VI: The Structural Functional Perspective (16)

- a) **M. N. Srinivas** - Dominant Caste and Sanskritization

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SOCSP2403 : Indian Society: Issues and Problems

Unit IV: Crime: Issues and Problems

16

1. Juvenile Delinquency, Caste and Community related crimes – Meaning, Nature and Causes.
2. White Collar Crime – Meaning, Nature and Causes (corporate crimes, crimes related to environment, corruption, criminalization of politics and cyber-crime.)

Unit V: Issues of Youth and Senior Citizens

16

1. Problems and Issues of Youth – unemployment, education, sexuality, drug abuse and suicide.
2. Problems of the Aged – economic, social, psychological and health related

Unit VI: Dealing with Social Problems

16

1. Role of State – Policy, planning and legislation
2. Role of CSOs (Civil Society Organizations) – Mobilization and social action.

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