

**GOVERNMENT DEGREE COLLEGE FOR WOMEN
BEGUMPET, HYDERABAD
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**DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY
BOARD OF STUDIES MEETING FOR THE YEAR 2020-21**

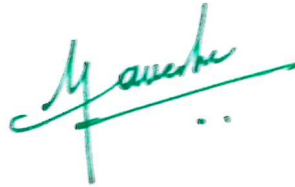
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5. Scheme of evaluation, examination pattern to be followed
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7. Any other matter with permission of the chair



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DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY

Board of Studies Meeting on 22-02-2021

The Board of studies meeting for the Department of Sociology is held at 11.30 hours

on

- 02 - 2021 in the Department of Sociology, GDCW (A), Begumpet, Hyderabad.

The following resolutions have taken in the meeting:

- i) The CBCS syllabus of Osmania University is approved for BA Sociology I and II semesters for AY 2020-21.
- ii) Model question papers of I & II semesters for I year BA Sociology for AY 2020-21 has been approved.
- iii) It is agreed and approved to have 100 marks per paper per semester in which 60 marks for semester exam and 40 marks for internal assessment exam. Internal Assessment Exam consists of (30 M for periodical test (20 q +10 MCQ CBT) + 5 Assignment+ 5 Student seminar) for Semesters I & II for AY 2020-21.
- iv) It is agreed and approved to prepare question papers unit wise in Part – A and B.
- v) It is approved that the minimum pass marks is 40 (24 marks mandatory in semester exam and on the whole 40 marks) for semester exams.
- vi) It is agreed and approved the list of examiners for paper setting for I & II semesters.


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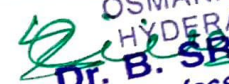

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FACULTY OF SOCIOLOGY
BOARD OF STUDIES MEETING FOR THE YEAR 2020-21

The meeting of the board of the studies of the faculty of Sociology, Government Degree College for Women, Hyderabad was held on 22-02-2021 at GDCW Begumpet in the Department of Sociology.
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The Following members were present:

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1	Dr. Bheenaveni Ram Shepherd, M.A., M.Phil, Ph.D	Asst. Professor & Chairperson, Board of Studies	 DR. BHEENA VENI RAM SHEPHERD ASSISTANT PROFESSOR & CHAIRMAN (BOARD OF STUDIES) Department of Sociology & Social Work OSMANIA UNIVERSITY HYDERABAD-500 007. (T.S.)
2	Dr. Chinta Ganesh, M.A., M.Phil, Ph.D	Professor & Head Coordinator, UGC - SAP (DSA-II)	 PROFESSOR DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY OSMANIA UNIVERSITY, HYDERABAD-500 007
3	Dr. B. Srinivas, Ph.D.	Additional Controller of Dr. BR Ambedkar Open University & Asst. Prof. of Sociology	 DR. B. SRINIVAS Assistant Professor of Sociology Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Open University, Jubilee Hills, Hyderabad - 500 033 (A.P.)
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DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY
B.A. (SOCIOLOGY) SYLLABUS SEMESTER – I & II
Sociology (MOOCS)**

**B.A. (Sociology), Semester-I
PAPER-DSC103: FUNDAMENTALS OF SOCIOLOGY
(Discipline Specific Course)**

1. Introduction to Sociology

- a) French and Industrial Revolutions – Origin and Emergence of Sociology
- b) Definition, Nature and Scope of Sociology and its relationship with other Sciences.
- c) Sociology as Discipline, Scientific Method, Methods and Tools used in Sociology

2. Basic Concepts

- a) Society, Community, Association, Institution
- b) Social Group: Its typologies - Primary, Secondary, In and Out Groups, Vertical and Horizontal, Gemeinschaft and Geshellschaft, Peer Group and Reference group
- c) Social Structure - Social System - Social Organization - Social Norms, Values and Customs

3. Culture, Sociological Processes and Institutions

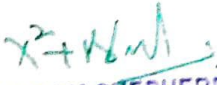
- a) Culture: Definition - Elements of Culture, Cultural Relativity; Cultural Lag, Acculturation, Enculturization, Ethnocentrism, Xenocentrism
- b) Socio-cultural Process: Associative and Dissociative Processes – Socialization: Definition, Stages, Types, Agencies and Theories – CH Cooley, GH Mead, Sigmund Freud
- c) Social Institutions: Marriage, Family, Kinship, Religion and Political Systems
- d) Social Control: Formal and Informal Agencies
- e) Social Stratification and Mobility – Forms – Caste – Class, Gender – Estate, Social Change: Meaning, Factors and Theories


4. Sociological Perspectives


- a) Structural-Functional
- b) Conflict
- c) Symbolic and Interactionist Perspective
- d) Phenomenology and Ethnomethodology

5. Sociological Thinkers:

- a) August Comte: Positivism, Hierarchy of Sciences, Social Static and Dynamics, Social Progress.
- b) Herbert Spencer: Organic View of Analogy, Societal Evolution,
- c) Karl Marx- Historical Materialism, Mode of Production, Alienation, Class Struggle.
- d) Emile Durkheim: Division of labour, Social Fact, Suicide, Religion and Society.
- e) Max Weber: Social Action, Ideal Types, Authority, Bureaucracy, Protestant Ethics and the Spirit of Capitalism.


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B.A. (Sociology), Semester-II
PAPER- DSC203: INDIAN SOCIETY: STRUCTURE AND CHANGE
(Discipline Specific Course)

18 Hours

1. Perspectives on the study of Indian society:

- a) Indological/Textual – Manu, Dumont, Ghurye
- b) Structural-Functionalism – M.N. Srinivas, S.C. Dube
- c) Marxist Perspective: DP Mukherjee, A.R. Desai,
- d) Civilization Approach: NK Bose, Surajit Sinha
- e) Subaltern Perspective: Phule, BR Ambedkar, David Hardiman

18 Hours

2. Historical Mooring of the Indian Society

- a) Traditional Hindu Social Organisation and Vedic Indian Society- Ashrama Dharma, Pursharthas
- b) Emergence of Buddhism, Advent of Islam and Europe Colonization
- c) Cultural Assimilation and Unity in Diversity in India

18 Hours

3. Social Structure

- a) Rural and Agrarian Social Structure
- b) Caste System: Perspectives on the study of caste systems, Features of caste system. Untouchability - forms and perspectives.
- c) Tribal communities in India
- d) Social Classes in India: Agrarian Class Structure, Industrial Class Structure. Middle classes in India.
- e) Family, Marriage and Kinship in India.
- f) Religious Compositions in India –Communalism, Social Tensions, Religious Revivalism, Problems of Religious Minorities.

18 Hours

4. Social Change in India

- a) Vision of Social Change in India: Idea of Development Planning and Mixed Economy - Constitution, Law and Social Change - Education and Social Change- Green Revolution and Social Change
- b) Industrialisation and Urbanisation
- c) Social Movements in Modern India: Peasant, Tribal, Backward Class, Dalit and Women

18 Hours

5. Challenges for Social Transformation:

- a) Crisis of Development: Displacement and Environmental Issues – Question of Rehabilitation and Sustainability.
- b) Social Problems in India: Poverty, Violence against women, Caste and Ethnic Conflicts, Illiteracy and Disparities in Education, Unemployment and Youth Unrest, Corruption etc

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PATTERN OF EXAMINATION

Question paper pattern for the theory examination for B.A Second Year for all combinations and for all the papers are given below

Evaluative Plan:

Internal – 40 Marks
End Semester – 60 Marks
Total – 100 Marks
Pass Marks – 40 Marks

Internal Assessment:

a. Two Internals of 20 marks each – average of the two internals is considered for computation in marks memo

Internal I: Written Test - 20 Marks

Internal II: As follows below – 20 Marks

- (a) Seminar – 5 marks
- (b) Assaignment – 5 marks
- (c) Objective questions – 10 marks

- b. Internals shall be held at the end of every 10th and 15th week of semester. The time of duration of the internal shall be 60 min.
- c. The Board approved the above mentioned examination pattern and scheme of evaluation
- d. The board approved the panel of examiners which was provided


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