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Syllabus
Department of Social Work

Four Year B.S.S Honours Course
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Year-wise Courses and Marks Distribution

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Detailed Syllabus

**First Year**

Course Code: 2152, Course Title: Social Work : History & Philosophy  Marks 100, 4 Credits, 60 Lectures


3. **Development of Social Work Education in India, Pakistan and Bangladesh.**

4. **Historical Foundations of Social Work:**
   b) The Beveridge Report and Social Security System in U.K.
   c) The USA: The State Board of Charities, The Charity Organization Society (COS), Emergence of Social Work Education.
   d) Indian Sub-continent: Trends of Social Services during Ancient, Medieval, British and the Contemporary.

5. **Social Welfare at international level**: Historical Development, Nature & Type. Importance of


**Books Recommended:**


Course Code: 2153, Course Title: Bangladesh : History, Culture and Heritage  Marks 100, 4 Credits, 60 Lectures

- Struggle for Independence and War of Liberation in 1971; Different Sectors of Liberation War and the Birth of Bangladesh.
- Folk Culture of Bangladesh and Its Special Features: Their Influence on the Life and Behavior of Common People. Conflict in Folk-cultures with the Modern One.
- Ethnicity and Race: Ethnic Communities, Minorities and Race in Rural Societies. Indigenous and Marginalized Communities in Bangladesh; Social Work Intervention for Indigenous and Marginalized Peoples in Bangladesh.

**Books Recommended:**


Course Code: 2154, Course Title: Elements of Sociology  Marks 100, 4 Credits, 60 Lectures

2. Sociology Method and Techniques of Research: Survey Method, Participant-Observation, Documentary method, qualitative techniques-focus group, participatory techniques.
4. Factors Affecting Social life: Geography, Heredity, Culture, Group or Social factors.
5. Social Institutions: Family and Marriage Economic Institutions--Contemporary economic Systems Capitalism, Socialism, economic system of developing countries; Political Institutions-Political system, power, leadership, State, govt. bureaucracy, political parties, civil society.
7. Deviance, Crime & Punishment: Definition and Causes of deviance, Crime and Delinquency, concept and types of punishment
8. Social Structure and differentiation; Social Stratification and social inequality- Social structure and differentiation; by age, gender, ethnicity, Social class and Social mobility

Books Recommended:

Course Code: 6341, Course Title: Principles of Psychology  Marks 100, 4 Credits, 60 Lectures

1. Introduction: Definition and nature of psychology, psychology as a Basic and applied Science, field and Methods of psychology, Branches of psychology related to social work.

7. **Intelligence**: Definition of Intelligence, Concept of I.Q. Measurement of Intelligence scale.

8. **Memory and Forgetting**: Types of Memory, process and system of memory, Ways of measuring memory, Causes of forgetting and Different Theories of forgetting.

9. **Personality**: Nature and Determinants of Personality, Types of personality, Assessment of personality.


**Books Recommended**


**Course Code:** 6223, **Course Title:** Principles of Economics **Marks 100, 4 Credits, 60 Lectures**


2. **Supply and Demand**: Demand and Quantity Demanded, Demand Schedule, Demand Curve, Supply and Quantity Supplied, Supply Schedule, Supply Curve, Equilibrium of Supply and Demand, Movement along the Supply and Demand Curve and Shift of Supply and Demand Curve and Its Effects on Equilibrium Price and Quantity. Elasticity of Supply and Demand; Determinants of Elasticity of Demand.


4. **Production and Cost**: Production Function and Technology; Production with One Variable Input; Production with Two Variable Inputs; Returns to Scale; Costs in the Short-run; Costs in the Long-run.

5. **Market Analysis**:
   
   A. **Perfect Competition**: Characteristics of Perfect Competition; Average and Marginal Revenue; Individual and Market Supply; Short-run equilibrium of a competitive firm Long run Equilibrium under Perfect Competition.
   
   B. **Monopoly**: Average and Marginal Revenue; Supply Curve of the Monopolist; Perfect Competition and Monopoly Compared;


9. **Money**: Definition and Functions of Money-Importance of Money in Modern Economy-Different Concepts of Money (M1, M2, M3)-Value of Money. Concept, Causes and Effects of Inflation and Deflation.

10. **Government Revenue and Expenditure**: Difference between Public Sector and Private Sector finance, Different Sources of Govt. Revenues, Taxation and Different Kinds of Taxes, Definition of Revenue Budget, Development Budget, Revenue Budget Vs. Development Budget, Surplus, Deficit and Balanced Budget.

**Books Recommended:**

**Course Code:** 6401, **Course Title:** Introduction to Anthropology  **Marks 100, 4 Credits, 60 Lectures**

1. **Anthropology**
   - Definition, Scope and Subject-matter of Anthropology
   - **Major Branches of socio-cultural Anthropology**
     - Cultural/Social Anthropology
     - Biological Anthropology
     - Linguistic Anthropology
     - Archaeology
     - Anthropology and its Relation with other Disciplines

2. **Anthropological Perspectives and Methods**

3. **Culture as a Central Concept in Anthropology**
   - What is Culture?
   - Universality, Generality and Particularity
   - Mechanisms of Cultural Change
   - Globalization

4. **Ethnicity**
   - Ethnic Groups and Ethnicity
   - Ethnic Groups, Nations, and Nationalities
   - Peaceful coexistence, Roots of Ethnic conflict

5. **Social Organization**
   - Family, Kinship, Descent, Marriage, Household, Gender

6. **Economic Organization**
   - Hunting/Gathering, Pastoralism, Horticulture, Agriculture
   - Production – Distribution – Exchange

7. **Political Organization**
8. **Beliefs and Rituals**
Animism, Animatism, Mana, Magic, Totemism, Myth, Witchcraft and Sorcery, Religious Specialists

9. **Contemporary Issues in Anthropology**

References:

- Acves and King: Cultural Anthropology
- Barnard: Encyclopedia of Social and Cultural Anthropology
- Barnouw, Victor: Anthropology, Vols. One & Two
- Bock, Philip K: Modern Cultural Anthropology
- Bryant and Cronk: Through the Looking Glass
- Dawn, F J: Human Nature: An Introduction to Cultural Anthropology
- Deutsch, Richard: Perspectives: Anthropology
- Ember, E & M: Anthropology
- Feraro, Garry: Cultural Anthropology: Applied Perspective
- Friedl, John & John E Pfeiffer: Anthropology: The Study of People
- Harris, Marvin: Culture, People, Nature: An Introduction to General Anthropology
- Harris, Marvin & O Johnson: Cultural Anthropology, 5th Edition
- Pocock, David: Anthropology
- Haviland, William: Cultural Anthropology
- Hicks, D & M A Gwynne: Cultural Anthropology
- Hoebel, E: Anthropology: The Study of Man
- Hymes, D: Rethinking Anthropology
- Johnston, F E: Anthropology: The Biocultural View
- Keesing, R M & F M Kessing: New Perspective in cultural Anthropology
- Kessing, Roger M: Cultural Anthropology
- Kottak, C P: Anthropology: The Exploration of Human Diversity, 5th Edition
- Lewis, I M: Social Anthropology in Perspectives
- Mair, Lucy: An Introduction to Social Anthropology
- Miller, Barbara D: Cultural Anthropology
- Moore, Alexander: Cultural Anthropology
- Nanda, Serena: Cultural Anthropology, 5th Edition
- Peoples and Bailey: Humanity: An Introduction to Cultural Anthropology
- Rosman, A & P G Rubel: The Tapestry of Culture
- Schultz and Lavenda: Cultural Anthropology
- Scupin, R & C R DeCorse: Anthropology: A Global Perspective
- Spradley and McCurdy: Anthropology: The Cultural Perspective
- Tax, Sol: Horizons of Anthropology
- Whitten, P & D E K Hunter: Anthropology: Contemporary Perspective

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