

Academic Calendar
Sociology (SOCG)
Session 2023-24, NEP
 July2023-December2023

Semester-1 Minor-1	Topics	Faculty Name
Introductory Sociology Discipline Specific Core Course SOC-H-CC-1 July2023- December2023	1. Sociology: Discipline and Perspective 1.1. Thinking Sociologically, Emergence of Sociology, Sociology as a science; Sociology and Common Sense. 1.2. Some Basic Concepts: Association; Community, Groups and its Forms; Status and Role; Norms and Values. 1.3. Individual and Society; Socialization: Concept and Agencies; Culture: meaning and characteristics; Types of culture – popular, elitist, folk, and consumer cultures; Pluralism and Multiculturalism, Culture and Personality 2. Sociology and Other Social Sciences 2.1. Sociology and Social Anthropology 2.2. Sociology & Psychology	Namrata Basu (NB)

	<p>2.3. Sociology & History</p> <p>3. Human Society 3.1. Social Institutions and Social Processes 3.2. Conformity and Deviance. 3.3. Social control: meaning, agencies and mechanisms 3.4. Social Change, definition, factors, Social Mobility</p>	
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Semester-3 (under CBCS)	Topics	Faculty Name
<p>Sociological Theories CC/GE-3 July2023- December2023</p>	<p>1. Emergence of sociology as a new discipline: A brief account 2. Karl Marx Materialist Conception of History Class and Class Struggle 3. Emile Durkheim Social Fact Forms of Solidarity 4. Max Weber: Ideal Types and Social Action Types of Authority</p>	<p>Namrata Basu (NB)</p>

Semester-2 Minor-2	Topics	Faculty Name
Sociology of India Discipline Specific Core Course SOC-H-CC- 2 January2024-June2024	<p>1. India: An Object of Knowledge</p> <p>1.1 The Colonial Discourse</p> <p>1.2 The Nationalist Discourse</p> <p>1.3 The Subaltern Critique</p> <p>2. Indian Society: Concepts and Institutions</p> <p>2.1. Family: Features, Types and Changing Patterns</p> <p>2.2. Marriage: Types and Changing Patterns</p> <p>2.3. Kinship: Principle and Pattern</p> <p>2.4. Caste: Concept and Critique</p> <p>2.4.1 Varna & Jati; Dominant Caste</p> <p>2.4.2 Jajmani System; Caste Mobility: Sanskritization</p> <p>3. Village: Structure and Change</p> <p>3.1 Village Solidarity</p> <p>3.2 Internal Regulation</p> <p>3.3. Agrarian Classes</p> <p>3.3.1 Nature of Agrarian Class: Pre and Post Independent India</p> <p>3.4. Tribe</p> <p>3.4.1 Features</p> <p>3.4.2 Issues of Tribal Development: Pre and Post Independent India</p>	Namrata Basu (NB)

Semester-4 (under CBCS)	Topics	Faculty Name
Methods of Sociological Enquiry CC/GE-4 January2024-June2024	<p>1. The Logic of Social Research Concepts; Variables; Propositions Conceptualization and Operationalization Formulation and Verification of Hypotheses Research Design: Exploratory, Explanatory, Descriptive Sampling logic: Probability and Non-probability</p> <p>2. Methodological Perspectives The Positivist Method The Interpretative Method The Comparative Method The Ethnographic Method</p> <p>3. Modes of Enquiry Theory and Research Quantitative & Qualitative: Survey & Experimental Research; Qualitative Field Research & Unobtrusive Research- Types, Tools & Techniques</p>	Namrata Basu (NB)

	Analysis & Interpretation of data: Quantitative & Qualitative	
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