

SYLLABUS
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK
FACULTY OF ART

RURAL DEVELOPMENT
(Optional Subject for Bachelor's Degree)

B.A.-Ist Year

Paper-I
Introduction to Rural Society

Unit-I

Rural Society: Concept, Characteristics, Structure and Classification.

Unit-II

Social Structure and Rural Society
Rural Family Organization
Rural Social Stratification and Power Structure

Unit-III

Caste-System, Caste-Tension, Groupism
Little Community and Folk Culture
Little and Great Tradition

Unit-IV

Rural Religion
Rural Economic Structure
Rural Urban Comparison
Social Change and Rural Society

Paper-II
Introduction to Rural Development

Unit-I

History of Rural Development: Concept and Characteristics of Rural Development
Components of Rural Development
Importance of Rural Development

Unit-II

Problems of Rural Development : Poverty, Unemployment, Social Inequality, Factionalism.

Unit-III

Strategies and Approaches for Rural Development Various Experiments for Rural Development

Unit-IV

Role of Commercial Banks
Role of Cooperatives
Role of CAPART and NABARD
Role of Agriculture Technology

B.A.-IInd Year**Paper-I****Policies and Programmes for Rural Development****Unit-I**

Rural Reconstruction and Policy
Rural Development Policy under the Five Year Plan.
National Rural Health Mission

Unit-II

Rural Reconstruction and Planning
Small & Cottage Industries in Rural Development Land Reforms

Unit-III

Community Development Programmes
Minimum Needs Programme
Area Development Programmes, IRDP

Unit-IV

Rural Employment Programme of Poverty Alleviation Environment
Science & Technology for Rural Development, Sustainable Development

Paper-II**Rural Social Service****Unit-I**

Health Care : Need, Evolution, Current Situation
Organised Structure, National Health Programmes

Unit-II

Family Welfare Services: Need, Evolution, Situation, Organisational Structure
Family Welfare Programmes
Drinking Water Supply & Sanitation

Unit-III

Education : Need, Role, Current Situation
Organizational Structure
Development of Education after Independence
Rural Recreation

Unit-IV

Housing: Need, Role, Socio-Cultural factors in Rural Housing
Organisational Structure
Rural Housing Programmes.

B.A.-IIIrd Year**Paper-I****Rural Development Administration****Unit-I**

Rural Development Administration: Need and Significance Rural Development Administration in India

Unit-II

Rural Development Administration: Structure Function, Powers and Problems at Centre level.

Unit-III

Rural Development Administration: Structure, Function, Powers and Problems at State level

Unit-IV

Rural Development Administration Structure, Functions, Powers and Problems at Village & Block level

Paper-II**Panchayati Raj Institutions****Unit-I**

Panchayati Raj: Concept & Significance
Panchayati Raj and Democratic Decentralization
73rd Constitutional Amendment

Unit-II

Gram Sabha : Structure, Function, Power and Problems Village Panchayat and Nyaya Panchayat

Unit-III

Kshetra Panchayat: Structure, Function, Powers and Problems
BDO: Functions and Powers

Unit-IV

Zila Panchayat: Structures, Functions, Powers and Problems
Inter-relationship between Gram Panchayat, Kshetra Panchayat and Zila Panchayat

Paper-III**Research Techniques & Voluntary Action****Unit-I**

Social Research: Meaning, Characteristics & Types
Social Survey and Social Research
Hypothesis: Meaning and Significance
Research Design

Unit-II

Sampling
Methods of Data Collection
Sources of Data
Processing of Data

Unit-III

Measurement & Scaling
Report Writing
Measurement of Central tendency
Correlation

Unit-IV

Voluntary Action in Rural Development.
Social Action : Meaning & Strategies
Sarvodaya and Bhoodan