

Program Outcomes

Name of Program: M. A. Sociology

No. Of Courses: 34

Targeted Graduate Attributes: Disciplinary Knowledge, Critical Thinking, Problem Solving, Analytical Reasoning, Communication Skills, Teamwork, Moral and Ethical Awareness

	Program Outcomes
PO1	The student will be able to develop aptitude to manifest wide and extensive knowledge in the field of Sociology.
PO2	The student will be able to situate itself and his community in terms of society, religion, caste, region, gender and polity in the field of Sociology.
PO3	It develops the ability to substantiate critical reading of literary texts in order to conduct research in the field of Sociology.
PO4	The program will develop the ability to cope with the complex problems of society.
PO5	Develop the ability to integrate one's own ethical values, and to be aware of ethical issues of the organisation, community and society.
PO6	It also develops the ability of intensive research, investigation and critical analysis, usually in response to specific research question and hypothesis.
PO7	Courses in the program of sociology are design in such a way that the student must gain the knowledge of advance societies.

Program Matrix
Name of Program: M. A. Sociology
 (Low Correlation = L/1; Moderate Correlation = M/2; High Correlation = H/3)

Course Outcomes (COs) Semester I		Program Outcomes (POs)						
		Domain Specific (PSO)				Domain Independent (PO)		
	Course Name: Classical Sociological Theory (Paper 1, core)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
CO1	After completing this course student should able to understand the basic development of Sociology as a science.	H	H	M	L	M	L	M
CO2	It exposed them to the seminal work of founding fathers of Sociology.	H	H	H	M	M	M	L
CO3	Through this, they are capable to understand the methodological foundation of sociology.	H	H	H	L	M	H	L
	Course Name: Qualitative Methods in Social theory (Paper 2, core)							
CO1	It develops the ability in students to conduct qualitative research in field.	M	M	H	H	M	H	M
CO2	It orients them with the methods of Sociological research.	M	M	H	M	H	H	M
CO3	It also develops their ability of application of qualitative research methods in social research.	H	M	L	H	M	H	M
	Course Name: Sociology of Social Movement (Paper 3 A, Elective)							
CO1	It creates an ability to understand the dynamics of social movement.	H	H	L	L	L	M	L
CO2	It makes them capable to address social issues.	M	H	M	H	M	M	M

CO3	They are able to analyse the real issues related with social unrest.	M	H	M	H	M	M	H
Course Name: Sociology of Religion (Paper 3 B, Elective)								
CO1	The paper has acquainted the students with the cohesive role and various functional aspects of religion in society.	H	H	H	M	L	H	H
CO2	It has oriented the students to the developmental aspects of religion.	H	M	H	M	M	M	H
CO3	In advance level it makes them capable to analyse the role of religion	H	H	H	H	H	L	M
Course Name: Sociology of Migration (Paper 3 C, Elective)								
Co1	The paper has helped the students in understanding the trends in local, regional and international migration.	H	H	M	L	M	M	H
CO2	It has also helped the students in understanding different factors of migration thereby acquainting the students with certain mechanisms for judiciously dealing with this process.	H	M	L	M	M	H	H
CO3	It develops their theoretical insight to understand the social situation critically	H	H	M	M	M	M	H
Course Name: Gender and Society (Paper 4 A, Elective)								
CO1	The paper has given adequate understanding into the issues involving gender inequality in society.	H	H	H	H	H	H	H
CO2	It develops the possibilities to overcome the constraints and obstacles women confront in society.	H	H	M	H	H	M	H
CO3	It develops their theoretical insight to understand the social situation critically.	H	H	H	M	M	H	H
Course Name: Social Problems in Contemporary India (Paper 4 B, Elective)								
CO1	This paper has oriented the students to the origin, genesis and development of social problems.	H	H	L	M	M	L	H

CO2	Students will capable to working out certain strategies and measures to curb the problems the society now is facing.	M	H	M	M	M	M	H
CO3	It develops their theoretical insight to understand the social situation critically	M	H	H	M	M	M	H
Course Name: Sociology of Minority Groups (Paper 4 C, Elective)								
CO1	This paper has oriented the students to discussing the intricacies of the issues involving the minority groups through the ages.	H	H	M	M	H	M	H
CO2	It has helped the students to know as to what could be the exact policies and programmes that the government may execute for bettering the lot of the minorities.	H	H	M	H	M	M	M
CO3	It develops their theoretical insight to understand the social situation critically	H	H	H	M	M	M	H
Course Outcomes (COs) Semester 2		Program Outcomes (POs)						
		Domain Specific (PSO)				Domain Independent (PO)		
Course Name: Classical Theoretical Foundation (Paper 1, core)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7
CO1	The paper has immensely helped the students in getting acquainted with the early sociological theories.	H	M	H	M	H	M	M
CO2	The paper has also helped the students in knowing how various issues of the society are reflected in corresponding theoretical systems	H	M	H	M	H	M	M
CO3	Through this, they are capable to understand the methodological foundation of sociology.	H	M	H	M	M	H	M
Course Name: Qualitative Methods in Social theory (Paper 2, core)								
CO1	This paper has resulted into informing the students about the relevance of qualitative research at a time when large numbers of researches are still being done on quantitative methods.	H	H	H	H	H	H	H
CO2	The paper has encouraged the students to increasingly focus on the qualitative analysis and interpretation of data in social research.	H	H	H	H	H	H	H

CO3	It also develops their ability of application of qualitative research methods in social research.	H	H	H	H	H	H	H
Course Name: Social Movement in India (Paper 3 A, Elective)								
CO1	This paper has helped the students to understand social movement as emerging from certain structural issues.	H	H	L	L	M	M	M
CO2	Thus, it has helped them to sort out the problem of social movement through effectively addressing the structural issues/constraints.	H	H	M	H	M	M	H
CO3	They are able to analyse the real issues related with social unrest in India.	H	L	M	H	M	H	H
Course Name: Sociology of Aging (Paper 3 B, Elective)								
CO1	This paper has immensely benefitted the students as it has helped them knowing various problems the aged face in society and the measures effectively managing such problems.	H	H	H	M	L	H	H
CO2	The paper also imparts a sort of training as how to teach the elderly to cope up with aging problems.	H	M	H	M	M	H	H
CO3	In advance level it makes them capable to analyse the problem of aging.	H	H	H	H	L	L	M
Course Name: Media and Society (Paper 3 C, Elective)								
Co1	The paper helps the students understand the role of media in society.	H	H	M	L	H	L	H
CO2	The paper creates awareness about many evils in the society and awakens the students to various tricky issues in society.	H	H	L	M	M	H	H
CO3	It develops their theoretical insight to understand the social influence of Media, critically.	H	H	H	M	M	M	H
Course Name: Women in Indian Society. (Paper 4 A, Elective)								
CO1	The paper has given adequate understanding into the issues involving gender inequality in society.	H	H	H	M	M	M	M

CO2	It makes them capable to understand the structure of Indian society and how it is responsible for the low socio-economic and political status of women.	H	H	H	M	M	M	H
CO3	Accordingly, it sensitizes both men and women about the problem's women face and the measures/mechanisms to resolve them.	H	H	H	M	M	M	M
Course Name: Sociology of Social Stratification (Paper 4 B, Elective)								
CO1	This paper introduces the students to the functional and dysfunctional aspects of stratification.	H	H	M	M	L	M	M
CO2	They understand the new and emerging criteria of stratification which seem to be more rational and neutral.	H	M	H	M	H	M	H
CO3	It also develops their theoretical insight to understand the social situation of social inequality, critically.	H	H	H	M	M	M	M
Course Name: Industry and society in India (Paper 4 C, Elective)								
CO1	This paper has benefitted the students in terms of exploring the importance of industry for society.	M	H	M	M	L	M	H
CO2	It has oriented the students to the art and skills of operating industry with ease.	H	H	M	M	L	L	H
CO3	They develop the ability to understand the functioning of formal organisation and its importance in modern society.	H	H	M	M	L	M	H
Course Outcomes (COs) Semester 3		Program Outcomes (POs)						
		Domain Specific (PSO)				Domain Independent (PO)		
Course Name: Orientation of Sociological theory (Paper 1, core)		1	2	3	4	5	6	7
CO1	This paper has enabled the students to know as to what could bring balance in the contemporary social life.	H	H	H	H	M	H	H
CO2	The paper has oriented the students to the effective use of theory in social researches.	H	M	H	H	M	H	H

CO3	Through this, they are capable to understand the methodological foundation of advance theories of sociology.	H	M	H	M	M	H	H
Course Name: Sociology of Social Change and Development (Paper 2, core)								
CO1	This paper has enabled the students in knowing what practically helps in bringing out the changes expected for a healthy society and sustainable social life.	H	H	M	H	M	H	H
CO2	This paper has also enabled the students to know the development models/ approaches and in the process to identify what aspects of social structure and culture facilitate development and what aspects of such phenomena inhibit it.	H	M	H	H	M	M	H
CO3	It develops the ability to identify the social change and its causes.	H	M	H	H	M	H	H
Course Name: Sociology of Education (Paper 3 A, Elective)								
CO1	This paper has helped the students in finding education as an aid to social change, development and growth.	H	H	H	H	M	H	M
CO2	The paper has also helped the students in finding how best education can be used to understand the market conditions, generate employment and make society vibrant and sustainable.	H	H	M	H	M	M	H
CO3	Through this paper they are able to find out the deep-rooted politics of education in society.	H	M	H	H	M	H	H
Course Name: Sociology of Social Exclusion (Paper 3 B, Elective)								
CO1	This paper has enabled the students to know what could help them in putting an end to social exclusion in society.	H	H	H	M	L	M	H
CO2	The paper has indirectly helped the students to inculcate the inclusive policies for development and growth.	H	M	H	M	L	M	H
CO3	It develops the understanding of social exclusion and exclusionary forces in society.	H	H	H	M	L	L	M
Course Name: Globalisation and Society (Paper 3 C, Elective)								

CO1	The paper has acquainted students with the distinctive characteristics of globalization in order to understand its pros and cons in society.	H	H	H	L	M	L	H
CO2	The paper has helped the students to find out the challenges of globalization and accordingly work for accepting them appropriately.	H	L	M	M	M	M	H
CO3	It also helps them to understand the process of Globalisation and its institutions.	H	H	H	M	M	L	M
Course Name: Rural Society in India. (Paper 4 A, Elective)								
CO1	The paper has enabled the students to understand the intricacies of agrarian and socio-cultural life in rural India.	H	H	M	M	L	M	M
CO2	The paper has also helped the students in properly assessing various rural development schemes and programmes in India.	M	M	M	M	L	M	L
CO3	It develops their understanding about rural institutions.	H	H	H	M	L	M	L
Course Name: Urban society in India (Paper 4 B, Elective)								
CO1	This paper has enabled the students to know the socio-cultural aspects of urban society and why should it differ from that of the rural society.	M	L	M	H	L	M	H
CO2	The paper encourages the students to inculcate the values of rationality, modernity and science and diffuse them to rural society.	H	M	M	M	L	M	H
CO3	They acquired knowledge of urban social system.	M	H	M	M	L	M	M
Course Name: Sociology of Environment and Society. (Paper 4 C, Elective)								
CO1	The paper has helped the students to know what is best for supporting a hazard free and sustainable social life at a time when society is threatened with environmental hazards.	M	H	M	H	M	M	M
CO2	The paper has also helped the students to know how to preserve environment in order to support a healthy and sustainable social life.	M	H	M	M	M	H	M
CO3	They understand how we harming nature as well as how the changing environment shaping our lives and future.	H	M	M	H	M	H	M

	Course Name: Introductory Sociology. (Foundation)							
CO1	Students will understand the subject matter of Sociology as a science.	H	M	H	M	M	M	L
CO2	It develops their ability to understand that society is not natural, it is manmade.	H	M	M	M	L	M	M
CO3	Through this they are capable to understand that change can possible.	M	M	H	M	H	M	M
Course Outcomes (COs) Semester 4		Program Outcomes (POs)						
		Domain Specific (PSO)				Domain Independent (PO)		
	Course Name: Recent Trends in Sociological theory (Paper 1, core)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
CO1	This paper has helped the students in understanding the current society in terms of the most relevant theories/theoretical perspectives which fit most into interpreting the complexities of the social issues the current society is surrounded by.	H	M	H	M	M	M	H
CO2	The paper has also helped the students in getting acquainted with the most recent theoretical trends and models to grapple with the emerging reality.	H	M	M	H	M	M	H
CO3	Through this, they are capable to understand the methodological foundation of post-modern and post- structural theories of sociology.	H	M	H	H	M	H	H
	Course Name: Perspectives on Indian Society (Paper 2, core)							
CO1	This paper has benefitted the students in understanding a highly diverse and composite society like India in terms of the most coherently interrelated theoretical perspectives.	M	H	M	M	L	M	L
CO2	The paper has offered the most pioneering works of the great Indian Sociologists for a comprehensive understanding of the Indian society.	H	M	M	M	M	L	M
CO3	It helps to analyse the theoretical issues related with the understanding of Indian society.	H	M	M	L	M	M	L
	Course Name: Education and Society in India (Paper 3 A, Elective)							

CO1	The paper has enabled the students in knowing the scenario of education in India right from the pre-colonial period to the present day.	H	H	L	L	M	H	L
CO2	It has helped the students in knowing the sources of educational diversity, inequality across the caste, tribe and region and how to get rid of such problems and attain equity and equality.	H	H	M	H	M	M	M
CO3	It has also informed the students about the ills of privatization of education and the crisis in higher education system in India, and how to tackle such situation	H	L	H	H	M	H	H
	Course Name: Sociology of Marginalised Communities (Paper 3 B, Elective)							
CO1	This paper has enabled the students to know how marginalisation Came into existence.	H	H	H	M	L	H	H
CO2	It also develops their ability in improving the situation of the marginalized groups and communities by creating awareness among them about the means of eradicating the situation of marginality.	H	M	H	M	M	L	L
CO3	It develops the understanding of social exclusion and exclusionary forces related with marginalisation in Indian society.	H	H	H	H	L	L	M
	Course Name: Field Study report (Paper 3 C, Elective)							
CO1	This paper has immensely resulted into developing the ability for research among the students.	H	H	H	L	H	L	M
CO2	In general, this paper has helped the students in knowing how to formulate the research problem, how to make choices among the available methods/ techniques of research, how to collect data and how to write the research report.	H	L	L	M	M	H	L
	Course Name: Rural Society in India: Issues and Problems (Paper 4 A, Elective)							
CO1	This paper has helped the students to understand issues and problems associated with agriculture in India.	M	M	M	L	L	M	L
CO2	The paper has also helped the students to understand causes of poverty and unemployment in rural society and how to get rid of them (the measure to curb them).	M	M	M	M	L	M	L
CO3	It also develops their understanding of government policies and their impact on rural society.	M	M	L	L	L	M	L

	Course Name: Urbanisation in India (Paper 4 B, Elective)							
CO1	This paper has helped the students to understand the causes and consequences of urbanization, the related processes of urbanization and the changes expected in view of rapid spread of urbanization.	H	M	M	L	M	M	H
CO2	This paper has also helped the students to know what problems are likely to crop up due to urbanization so that the society should remain alert to them and accordingly make urban planning for sustainability of quality life.	M	M	H	H	M	M	H
CO3	They acquired knowledge of urban social system of India.	H	L	M	M	L	M	M
	Course Name: Contemporary Sociology. (Paper 4 C, Elective)							
CO1	This paper has helped the students in understanding the nature and functions of various institutions, and the emerging changes likely to affect them in contemporary times.	L	M	L	L	M	L	L
CO2	It has also helped the students in understanding the gender issues, the issues concerning inequality, social mobility and social change in contemporary society.	M	H	M	H	M	M	M
CO3	They understand how we harming nature as well as how the changing environment shaping our lives and future.	M	L	M	L	M	M	H
	Course Name: Social Psychology. (Paper 4 Foundation)							
CO1	Students will understand the subject matter of Social psychology as a science.	H	L	M	M	L	M	H
CO2	It develops their ability to understand the behaviour pattern of person and communities.	H	M	H	M	M	L	H
CO3	Through this they are capable to understand that change can possible.	H	M	M	H	M	L	H