

St. Xavier's College (Autonomous), Ahmedabad

Syllabus of Semester – II of the following departments under Faculty of Arts based on Under Graduate Curriculum Framework - 2023 to be implemented from the Academic Year 2024-25

FACULTY OF ARTS **DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY** **BA. (Hons) Sociology**

Course	Title	Content	Hours/Weeks	Credit
SOH-MN-221-C	Indian Society	U-1: Social Stratification U-2: Tribes in India U-3: Rural and Urban India U-4: Family in India	4 Hrs	4

MINOR COURSE – 1: INDIAN SOCIETY

CREDIT DISTRIBUTION, ELIGIBILITY AND PRE-REQUISITES OF THE COURSE

Course Title & Code	Credit Distribution of The Course			Eligibility Criteria	Pre-requisite(s) of the Course (if any)
	Lecture	Tutorial	Practical / Practice		
Indian Society (SOH-MN-221-C)	4	0	0	10 + 2 from a recognized board in any stream	Basic Knowledge of Sociology

LEARNING OBJECTIVES (LO)

LO-1	Explain the modes of knowledge-construction of Indian history, society, Culture and politics.
LO-2	Examine how multiple social processes, forces and ideologies shaped the terrain of the nation.
LO-3	Explain the elements of Indian Sociology.

COURSE OUTCOMES (CO)

On Completion of this course, the student will be able to

CO-1	Students will be able to understand the modes of knowledge-construction of Indian history, society, Culture and politics.
CO-2	Students will be able to examine how multiple social processes, forces and ideologies shaped the terrain of the nation.
CO-3	Students will be able to learn the elements of Indian Sociology.

Unit:1 Social Stratification (15L)

- Caste; its origins and features, Occupational and Racial theory of caste, Caste and Social Problems; Recent changes in Caste, Difference between Caste and Class
- Social Classes in India: Agrarian, Rural, Industrial, Urban Middle Class, Other Backward Classes, Dalit and Gender
- Social Exclusion and Inclusion

Unit:2 Tribes in India (15L)

- Concept, Features, Anthropological, Constitutional and Administrative perspective to Tribes, Geographical Distribution, Problem of Assimilation and Integration, Government and Tribal Welfare, Recent changes in Tribes

Unit:3 Rural and Urban India (15L)

- Idea of Village, Characteristics and Changes in Village, Rural- Urban relationship

Unit:4 Family in India (15L)

- Marriage, Objective and Types; Family: Meaning, Functions and Types, Nuclear and Joint Family, Recent changes in marriage and family.

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