

### 3.2 Course – II, Sociology-II

#### Objectives:

The course is designed to provide the changing sociological aspects of Indian society. It enables the students to learn, how the societal norms, customary practices, traditions varies with the change of time.

#### Course Outcomes:

On successful completion of the course students will be able to:

1. Explain Indian social issues from the sociological perspectives.
2. Analyse the problems of various social segments such as women, tribes and marginalized people.
3. Explain the diversities based on caste, religion, language and culture.

#### Contents:

##### UNIT – I

The development of Indian society

- a. Unity and Diversity
- b. Continuity and Change, Ancient, Medieval and Modern India as a pluralistic society.

India as a pluralistic society

- a. Varieties of cultural diversities
- b. Linguistic, Religious, Political, Economic and Cultural Communities

##### UNIT – II

Major institutions of Indian Society

- a. Family
- b. Caste
- c. Village

##### UNIT – III

Tribe and Caste in the traditional order - Caste and Class in the contemporary India - The Backward Classes.

##### UNIT – IV

Trends of change in Indian Society: Rural and Urban, Problems and development programmes.

##### UNIT – V

Indian cultural values and development - Impact of Muslim and British cultures

**Prescribed books:**

1. S. R Myneni – Sociology for law students
2. M. N. Srinivas – Study of Indian Society
3. H. M. Johnson - Sociology – A systematic study
4. N. K. Bose - The structure of Hindu Society
5. G. S. Ghurye - Caste, Class and Occupation

**Reference Books:**

1. Peter Worsley - Introducing Sociology
2. RomeshThapper - Tribe, Caste and Religion in India
3. A. R. Desai - Rural Sociology
4. M. N. Srinivas - Social change in modern India
5. D.M. Kapadia - Marriage and family in India
6. Kingsley Davis - Human Society
7. Mac Iver and Page - Society
8. Andre Beteille - The backward classes and the social order
9. M. N. Srinivas - Caste in Modern India