

BA Part – II Semester - III

Open Elective / Optional Paper –Gandhian Thought

Learning Outcomes

- 1) Better understanding in learners on Gandhi's vision of 'Hind Swaraj' based on indigenous culture and dedicated selfless service of individuals.
- 2) Assessing Gandhian solution to existing social, economic, political problems and constructive efforts through Constructive Programmes.
- 3) Learners improvement in knowledge about Gandhi's emphasis on health awareness and thereby following Gandhi's ideals of health practices based on self regulation and naturopathy.
- 4) Learners enlightenment on Gandhian ideals of Village Swaraj striving for development of self sufficient self reliant villages.

Unit No. 1 Literary work of Gandhi - Hind Swaraj

Unit No. 2 Literary work of Gandhi - Constructive Programme

Unit No. 3 Literary work of Gandhi - Key to Health

Unit No. 4 Literary work of Gandhi - Village Swaraj

Books Recommended:

1. Bharathi, K.S., Mahatma Gandhi The Man of the Millenmium, S. Chand & Company, New Delhi.
2. Bharathi, K.S., Social Philosophy of Mahatma Gandhi, Concept Publishing Company, New Delhi.
3. Gandhi, M.K., Hind Swaraj, Navajivan, Ahmedabad
4. Gandhi, M.K., Constructive Programme: Its Meaning and Place, Navajivan, Ahmedabad.
5. Gandhi, M.K., Key to Health, Navajivan, Ahmedabad
6. Gandhi, M.K., Village Swaraj, Navajivan, Ahmedabad

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BA Part – II Semester - IV

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Learning Outcomes

- 1) Greater understanding in learners on Gandhi's insistence on simple and contented life with minimum needs and acquisition.
- 2) Learners analysis of Gandhi's views of evils of large scale production and emphasis on establishment of decentralized smaller units.
- 3) Assessment of Gandhi's economic plan based on co-operation and least involvement of an external interference.
- 4) Learners accept and apply of Gandhi's views on formation of self sufficient and self reliant economic model based on Trusteeship.

- Unit 1** Economics-Definition ,Meaning and Scope ; Micro and Macro Economics; Economic growth and Development; Economic system: Capitalism, Socialism ,Mixed Economy; Economics as a basis of social welfare and social justice ;Human Capital.
- Unit 2** Background of Gandhian Economic Thought and its evolution; Fundamental Principles of Gandhian Economic Thought (Non –Violence, Bread Labour, Simplicity, Human Values); Importance of Gandhian Economics; Place of Gandhian Economics in Indian Economy.
- Unit 3** Gandhi's views regarding Industrial Civilisation of the West, Large – scale Industries, Mechanisation, Concentration; Humanistic Economics.
- Unit 4** Principles underlying Gandhian Plan, Village self-sufficiency, Gandhian concept of Rural Reconstruction, Cow in Village economy, Concept of development- Gandhian and Modern, Concept of Recycling, Relevance of Gandhian Economics today.

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Books Recommended:

1. Kriplani, J.B., Gandhian Thought, Punjab University Publication, Chandigarh.
2. Shriman Narayan, Why Gandhian Plan, Somayya Publishers, Mumbai.
3. Gandhi, M.K., Economic and Industrial Life and Relations volume I-II, Navajivan, Ahmedabad.
4. Gandhi, M.K., Hind Swaraj, Navajivan, Ahmedabad
5. Gandhi, M.K., My Theory of Trusteeship, Navajivan, Ahmedabad
6. Gupta, S.S., The Economic Philosophy of Mahatma Gandhi, Ashok Publishing House, New Delhi.
7. Kumarappa, J.C., Gandhian Economic Thought, Sarva Seva Sangh, Varanasi.
8. Bharathi, K.S., Thoughts of Mahatma, Vol. III, Dattsons, Nagpur.
9. Sharma, J. N., Economic Thought of Mahatma Gandhi, Sehgal Publishers, New Delhi.
10. Sharma, R., Gandhian Economics : A Humane Approach, Deep & Deep Publishers, New Delhi.
11. Bharathi, K.S., Encyclopaedia of Gandhian Thought, Anmol Publications, New Delhi.
12. Bharathi, K.S., Mahatma Gandhi, The Man of the Millennium, S. Chand & Company, New Delhi.
13. Sharma, J. N., & Dugar B. R., Relative Economics, Deep & Deep Publishers, New Delhi.
14. Sharma, J. N., Alternative Economics, Deep & Deep Publishers, New Delhi.

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BA Part – III Semester - V

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Learning Outcomes

- 1) Broader understanding to learners regarding Gandhi's interest in political field for reaching to the masses and aimed at their welfare.
- 2) Assessment of Gandhi an ideals of morality in politics to curb selfish interest.
- 3) Analysing Gandhi's vision of Nonviolent state and its comprehensive widening in the form of world government.
- 4) Comparative understanding in learners on Gandhi's concept of Panchyat Raj and its representation in Panchayat Raj system in India followed after Independence.
- 5) Learners understand Gandhi's views on Democracy and thereby take up the role and responsibilities based on rights and duties.

Unit 1 Political Science –Definition and scope, Influences on Gandhi's Political Thought; Emergence of Gandhi on the Indian Political Scene; State- Concept, Functions, State as an organ of violence, Concept of Non- Violent State.

Unit 2 Gandhi's views on Religion and Politics, Gandhi's concept of Morality in Politics; Gandhi's views on Equality, Liberty, Rights and Duties, Nationalism and internationalism, Sovereignty, Justice, Decentralisation.

Unit 3 Political Ideals - Democracy, Communism, Socialism, Anarchism, Swaraj, Gramswaraj, Ramrajya; Gandhi's views on Ideal Society and Democracy.

Unit 4 Panchayat Raj -- Concept, organs and relevance; Indian Constitution and Gandhian Ideals; Gandhi and world

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Government; Party system and its limitations; Gandhi and Parliamentary system. Relevance of Gandhi's Political Thought.

Books Recommended:

1. Bhattacharya, B., Evolution of the Political Philosophy of Gandhi, Calcutta Book House, Calcutta
2. Dhawan, G., The Political Philosophy of Mahatma Gandhi, Navajivan, Ahmedabad
3. Varma, V.P. Political Philosophy of Mahatma Gandhi and Sarvodaya, Laxmi Narain Agarwal, Agra
4. Diwakar, R.R., Saga of Satyagraha, Navajivan, Ahmedabad
5. Bharathi, K.S., Satyagraha of Mahatma Gandhi, Indus Publishing House, New Delhi.
6. Dutta, D. K., Social, Moral and Religious Philosophy of Mahatma Gandhi – A Critical Analysis, Intellectual Book Corner, New Delhi.
7. Jain, S.C., Community Development and Panchayat Raj in India, New Delhi.
8. Bharathi, K.S., The Political Thought of Mahatma Gandhi, Concept Publishing House, New Delhi.
9. Sharma, J.N., Gandhi's View of Political Power, Deep & Deep Publications, New Delhi.
10. Bharathi, K.S., Encyclopaedia of Gandhian Thought Volume I – VI, Anmol, New Delhi.
11. Radhakrishnan, S., Mahatma Gandhi, Hundred years, Orient Longman, New Delhi.
12. Sharma, J.N., Power, Politics and Corruption : A Gandhian Solution, Deep & Deep Publishers, New Delhi.

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BA Part – III Semester - VI

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Learning Outcomes

- 1) Better understanding of Gandhi as a critical evaluator of major evils in Indian society.
- 2) Analysis of Gandhi's contribution by learners in overcoming social evils of untouchability, casteism, class conflict, rural discrimination etc.
- 3) Understanding Gandhi's concern towards betterment of rural society.
- 4) Learners assessment of Gandhi's contribution as a social reformer and constructive worker striving for Sarvodaya.
- 5) Acknowledging Gandhi's efforts for Communal Harmony and National Integration and following his ideals in today's context.

Unit No. 1 Salient features of Gandhi's social thought; Individual, Society, Relation between individual and society; Women Problems – Dowry, Child Marriage, Widowhood, Purdah, Divorce, Illiteracy.

Unit No. 2 Varnashrama, Untouchability, Caste system, Racial problems, Antyodaya, Problems of National Language.

Unit No. 3 Rural backwardness, Class conflict, Leprosy, Prohibition, Population and Birth Control, Women Empowerment.

Unit No. 4 Gandhi's work for Harijan and Girijan, Communal Harmony, National integration, Social Justice, Social Reconstruction, Gandhian aspects in social movements after Gandhi, Relevance of Gandhi's Social Thought.

Books Recommended:

1. Bose, N.K., Studies in Gandhism, Navajivan Ahmedabad.

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2. Tandon, V. Social and Political Philosophy of Sarvodaya after Gandhi , Sarva Seva Sangh, Varanasi
 3. Unnithan, T. K.N., Gandhi and Social Change , Rawat Publication, Jaipur
 4. Bharathi, K.S., Socio Religious Thoughts of Mahatma Gandhi, Dattson, Nagpur.
 5. Bharathi, K.S., Social Philosophy of Mahatma Gandhi, Concept Publishing Company, New Delhi.
 6. Gandhi, M. K., Nai Talim, Navajivan, Ahmedabad.
 7. Desai, A. R., Introduction to Rural Sociology in India, Popular Prakashan, Bombay.
 8. Madan, G.R., Social Problems in India, Allied Publishers, New Delhi
 9. Bharathi, K. S., Encyclopaedia of Gandhian Thought Vol. I to VI, Anmol, New Delhi.
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