ENVIRONMENT STUDIES AND VALUE EDUCATION

Programme: Under Graduation Year: 1 Semester: 2

Subject: Co-curricular Course

CourseCode: Course Title: 'Environment studies and Value Education

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Course outcomes:

The mission of the course on Human Values and Environmental Studies is to create morally articulate solutions to be truthful and just and to become responsible towards humanity. The course seeks to establish a continuous interest in the learners to improve their thought process with intent to develop a new generation of responsible citizens capable of addressing complex challenges faced by the society due to disruptions in human interactions effecting human values. This course works towards

Building fundamental knowledge of the interplay of markets, ethics, andlaw,

Look at various challenges faced by individual to counter unethicalissues

Look at core concepts for businessethics

Look at core concepts of anti-corruption

Look at core concepts for a morally articulate solution evolver to management issues ingeneral,

Issues of sustainable development for a betterenvironment.

To know how environmental degradation has takenplace.

Be aware of negotiations and international efforts to saveenvironment.

How to developsustainably?

Efforts taken up by UN in SustainableDevelopment.

Efforts taken by India in Sustainable Development.

The course intends to create a sense of how to be more responsible towards the environment. Upon finishing of the course students will be able to come up with using ethical reasoning for decision making and frame ethical issues as well as operationalise ethical choices.

The course integrates various facets of human values and environment.

Credits: Nil	Core Compulsory
Max. Marks: 100	Min. Passing Marks:40

Total No. of Lectures-Tutorials-Practical (in hours per week): 4-0-0

Unit	Topic	No. of
		Lectures
Unit I	Renewable and Nonrenewable Natural resources. Ecosystem: Concept, structure &	07
	functions of ecosystem: producer, consumer,	
	decomposer, food web, food chain, energy flow, Ecological pyramids Conservation	
	of Biodiversity- In-situ & Ex- situ conservation of biodiversity.	
Unit II	Environmental pollution, Role of individual in Pollution control, Social Issues and	08
	Environment, Human Population & Environment Sustainable Development, Natural	
	Hazards, India and UN Sustainable Development Goals Concept of circular economy	y
	and entrepreneurship	
	Environment Protection Act 1986	

Unit III	I International Advancements in Environmental Conservation				
	Role of National Green Tribunal				
	Air Quality Index	İ			
	Importance of Indian Traditional knowledge on environment				
	Bio assessment of Environmental Quality				
	Environmental Management System	Í			
	Environmental Impact Assessment and Environmental Audit	1			
Unit IV	Human Values- Introduction- Values, Characteristics, Types, Developing Value	08			
	system in Indian Organization, Values in Business Management, value based	Í			
	Organization, Trans –cultural Human values in Management.	Í			
	Swami Vivekananda's philosophy of Character Building, Gandhi's concept of Seven	i			
	Sins, APJ Abdul Kalam view on role of parents and Teachers.	Í			
	Human Values and Present Practices – Issues: Corruption and Bribe, Privacy	Í			
	Policy in Web and social media, Cyber threats, Online Shopping etc. Remedies	Í			
	Corporate Social Responsibility- Nature, Levels, Phases and Models of CSR,	Í			
	Corporate Governance. CSR and Modern Business Tycoons Ratan Tata, Azim	Í			
	Premji and Bill Gates.	Í			
	Holistic Approach in Decision making- Decision making, the decision making	Í			
	process, The Bhagavad Gita: Techniques in Management, Dharma and Holistic	Í			
	Management.	i			
	Case Studies	1			

Suggested Reading:

- 1. A foundation course in Human Values and Professional Ethics by RR. Gaur, R. Sangalet.al
- 2. JUSTICE: What's the Right Thing to Do? Michael J.Sandel.
- 3. Human Values by A. N. Tripathi New AgeInternational
- 4. Environmental Management by N.K.Oberoi
- 5. https://www.un.org/sustainabledevelopment/sustainable-development-goals/
- 6. https://www.india.gov.in/my-government/schemes
- 7. https://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2010/23/contents
- 8. Daniel Kahneman, Thinking, Fast and Slow; Allen Lane
- 9. Environment Protection Act 1986; Universal Publications
- 10. Agarwal, K.C.2001 Environmental Biology, Nidi Pub!. Ltd. Bikaner.
- 11. Bharucha Erach, The Biodiversity of India, Mapin Publishing Pvt. Ltd. Ahmedabad- 380013, India
- 12. Brunner R.C., 1989, Hazardous Waste Incineration, McGraw Hi'll Inc.480p
- 13. Clark R.S., Marine Pollution, Clanderson Press Oxford (TB)
- 14. Cunningham, W.P.Cooper, T.H.Gorhani, E & Hepworth, M.T.200 I, Environmental Encyclopedia, Jaico Pub!. House. Mumbai. I196p
- 15. De A.K., Environmental Chemistry, Wiley Eastern Ltd.
- 16. Down to Earth, Centre for Science and Environment(R)
- 17. Gleick, H.P. 1993. Water in crisis, Pacific Institute for Studies in Dev., Environment & Security. Stockholm Env. Institute. Oxford Univ. Press. 473p
- 18. Hawkins R.E, Encyclopedia of Indian Natural History, Bombay Natural History Society, Bombay (R)
- 19. Heywood, Vil & Watson, R.T. 1995. Global Biodiversity Assessment. Cambridge Univ. Press 1140p.
- 20. Jadhav, H & Bhosale, V.M. 1995. Environmental Protection and Laws.

- Himalaya Pub. House, Delhi 284 p.
- 21. Mckinney, M.L. & Schoel·. R.M. 1996. Environmental Science systems & Solutions, Web enhanced edition. 639p.
- 22. Mhaskar A.K, Matter Hazardous, Techno-Science Publications (TB)
- 23. Miller T.G. Jr., Environmental Science, Wadsworth Publishing Co. (TB)
- 24. Odum, E.P. 1971. Fundamentals of Ecology. W.B.Saunders Co. USA, 574p
- 25. Rao MN.& Dalla, A.K. 1987. Waste Water treatment. Oxford & IBH Pub!. Co. Pvt.Ltd. 345p.
- 26. Sharma B.K., 2001. Environmental Chemistry. Goel Publ. House, Meerut
- 27. Survey of the Environment, The Hindu (M)
- 28. Townsend C., Harper J, and Michael Begon, Essentials of Ecology, BlackwellScience (TB)
- 29. Trivedi R.K., Handbook of Environmental Laws, Rules, Guidelines Compliances and Standards, Vol I and II, Enviro Media (R)
- 30. Trivedi R.K. and P.K. Goel, Introduction to air pollution, Techno-Science Publications (TB)
- 31. Wagner K.D.,1998. Environmental Management. W.B. Saunders Co. Philadelphia, USA 499p
- (M) Magazine (R) Reference (TB) Textbook

Suggested Online Link: None

Suggested equivalent online courses: None

This course can be opted as a co-curricular course by the students of following subjects:

B.A.

B. Com

B.B.A

B.Sc.

B.F.A

B. Lib

B.A.LL.B. (Hons)

B.A.LL. B

B.B.A.LL.B.

B. Pharm

Suggested Continuous Evaluation (25 Marks):

Internal Assessment	Marks	External Assessment	Marks
Midterm Test	10	Written Examination	75
Assignment	5		
Presentation	5		
Attendance & class performance	5		

Course Prerequisites:

No pre-requisite required, open to all.