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Progr	ramme: B	A	Year: First	Semeste	er: First	
		ty: Dr. Mamta				
		ndian Philosophy		Credits: 6		
Cour	Course Code: A100101T Core Compulsory					
Max. Marks: 25+75 Theory						
Cour	se Outcon By stu enquir	dying this course, a	student will lean t texts which laid	n various treatise on Classic the foundations for Indian I	al Indian P Philosophy	hilosophy and
1	Unit		To	pics	. /	No. of Lectures: 90
I	school:	ction: Common cha Astika and Nastika a School: Epistemo		assification of Indian philos	sophical	12
II	Jainism: Concept of Sat, dravya, paryaya, guna; Anekantavada, Syadavada, and sapta-bhangi-naya, Theory of Karma, Bondage and Liberation					
III	Buddhism: Four noble truth, Theory of dependent origination (pratityasamutpada), Definition of Reality (Arthkriyakaritvamsatvam), Doctrine of Momenteriness (Kshanabhangvada), Theory of no-soul (Nairatmyavada), Nirvana, Hinayana and Mahayana					
IV	Sankhya: Satkaryavada, Nature of Prakrti, its constituents and proofs for its exixtence, Nature of Purusas, Theory of Evoution  Yoga: Chitta, Cittavritti, Chittabhmi, Eight fold path of Yoga (Astang Yoga), God					
V	Nyaya: Prama and Pramana, Pratyaksha (definition), Sannikarsa, Classification of Pratyaksa: Nirvikalpa, Savikalpa, Laukika, Alaukika: Anumati, Anumana (definition), Vyapti, Pramarsha, Classification of Anumana: Purvavat, Sesavat, Samanyatodrsta, Kevalanavayi, Kevalavyatireki, Anvaya-vyatireki, Swarthanumana, Pararthanumana, Upmana, Shabda Pramana					
VI	Vaiseshika: Padartha, Dravya, Guna, Karma, Samanya, Vishesha, Samvaya, Abhavaya  Mimansa (Prabhakara and Bhatta): Arthapatti and Anuplabdhi as source of knowledge			11		

VII Advaita Vedanta: Sankara's view of Brahman, Saguna and Nirguna Brahman,

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		Three grades of Satta: Pratibhasika, Vyavaharika, Paramarthika, Jiva, Jagat, Maya and Moksha	
V	III	Visistadvaita Vedanta: Ramanuja's view onf Brahman, Jiva, Jagat, Refutation of the dortrine of Maya, Moksha	11
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# Suggested Readings:

- Dutta, D.M. & Chatterjee, S.C.,"An Introduction to Indian Philosophy", Rupa Publication India Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi, 2007
- Dutta, D.M. & Chatterjee, S.C., "Bhartiya Darshan", Pustak Mahal, Patna, 2013
- Radhakrishnan, S., "Indian Philosophy (Vol. I & II), Oxford University Press, New Delhi,
  2008
- Hiriyanna, M.," Outlines of Indian Philosophy", Motilal Banarasidass Publication Pvt. Ltd., Delhi, 2014
- Pandey, S.L.," Bhartiya Darshan Ka Sarvekshana", Central Publishing House, Allahabad, 2008
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# Department of Philosophy

Programme: I	BA	Year: First	THE REAL PROPERTY AND ADDRESS OF THE PARTY O	Semester: First	
Name of Faculty: Dr. Shalini Rani Das				Semester: Pirst	
	Western Philosophy		Credits: 6		of the first part in the Company of the Company of
			Core Compulsor	rv	
Max. Marks: 25+75 Theory					
Course Outco • In this		vill learn the vario		naped the form of W	estern/
Unit		To	ppics		No. of
		10	pics		Lectures: 90
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I	Plato and Aristotl Actuality and Pot	e: Ideas, Substand entiality	ce, Form and Matt	er, Causation,	12
II	truth, types of ide	Descartes: Cartesian method of doubt, cogito ergo sum, criterion of truth, types of ideas, Proofs for the existence of God, Mind-body relation: Interctionism			12
III	Spinoza: Doctrine God, Pantheism,	Spinoza: Doctrine of substance, attributes and modes, Existence of God, Pantheism, Parallelism			11
IV		eibnitz: Monads, Truth of reason, Truth of facts, Innateness of ideas, octrine of pre-established Harmony		11	
V	simple and comp	lex ideas, substan	the origin and forr ce, modes and rela of knowledge, prin		11
VI		ey: Refutation of abstract ideas, criticism of Locke's distinction n Primary and Secondary qualities, immaterialism, est est, role of God		11	
VII	concerning relati	pression and Ideas, distinctions between judgements g relation of ideas and judgements concerning matter of fact, causality, theory of self and personal identity, Scepticism		11	
VIII	and a posteriori j	udgements, distinents, possibility o	ophy, distinction oction between ana f synthetic a prior	lytical and	11
Suggested Re	eadings:				

- Connor, D.J.O., "A Critical History of Western Philosophy", Free Press, Parent Company Simon and Schuster, New York, 1985
- Ewing, A.C., "The Fundamental Question of Philosophy", Routledge and Kegan Paul Ltd., New York, 2012
- Upadhyaya, Harishankar, "Paschatya Darshan Ka Udbhav Aur Vikas", Anusheelan Prakashan, Allahabad, 2004
- Srivastava, J.S., "Adhunik Darshan ka Vaigyanik Itihas", Kitab Mahal, Allahabad, 2012
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Programme: BA	Year: First	Semester: First	
Name of Faculty: Dr. Shalini Ra	ni Das		
Course Title: Yoga Practical		Credits: 2	
Course Code: A100202P		Core Compulsory	
Max. Marks: 25+75	2	Theory	

#### Course Outcome:

Study and practice of this course will provide a stressless and effortless life, expansion of
consciousness, regulation of the nervous system etc.

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Unit	Topics	No. of
		Lectures: 90
I	Surya Namaskar	08
II	Satkarma: Neti, Dhauti, Nauli, Tratok, Vasti and Kapalbhati	08
III	Asana: According to Gheranda Samhita Padmasana, Vajrasana, Muktasana, Swastikasana, Singhasana, Makarasana, Siddhasana, Sukhasana, Veerasana, Bhujangasana etc.	08
IV	Pranayam: Nadisodhana Pranayam, Bhastrika, Kapalbhati, Seetli, Ujjai etc.	06

#### Suggested Readings:

- Adityanath, Yogi, "Hathyoga: Swaroop and Sadhna", Gorakhnath Mandir Math Trust, Gorakhpur, 2015
- Geranda Samhita
- Patanjal Yogasutra
- Ramdev, Swami, "Yoga Sadhana evam Yoga Chikitsa Rahasya", Divya Prakasan, Haridwar, 2004
- Saraswati, Swami Satyanand, "Asana Pranayam Mudra Bhandh", Bihar School of Yoga, Bihar, 2013
- Yogananda, Paramhansa, "Yogi Kathamrit", Yogoda Satsanga Society of India, Ranchi, 2005

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## Department of Philosophy

Programme: BA	Year: Second	Semester: NA	
Name of Faculty: Dr. Mamt	a		
Course Title: Ethics (Indian and Western)		Credits: NA	
Course Code: NA		Core Compulsory	
Max. Marks: 50		Theory	

#### Course Outcome:

• This course introduces the idea of Ethics and its relevance to society. In this paper a student studies some of the prominent theories related to Indian and Western Ethics.

Unit	Topics	No. of
		Lectures:
I	The Ethics of Bhagvadgita: Nishkam Karma- yoga, Sthitprajna, Lokasamgraha Purusarthas and their inter-relations	
II	Meaning of Dharma, Classification of Dharma: Samanya dharma, Vishesha dharma, Sadharana dharma, concept of Rna and Rta	
III	The general features of Jaina and Bhuddha Ethics	
IV	The ethics of Gandhi: Eleven vows, Sarvodaya, Concept of seven sins, Doctrine of Trusteeship	
V	Nature and Scope of Ethics, Theories of Ethics: Teleological and Deontological Postulates of morality, Problem of Free Will and Determinism	
VI	Moral and non-moral actions, Object of moral judgement- Motive and intention, end and means Values as standard of morality	
VII	Standards of morality: Hedonism- Ethical and Psychological, Utilitarianism, Bentham and Mill Intuitionism, Butler's Theory of conscience as the ultimate standard of moral judgement	
VIII	Kant's ethical theory: Good will, Categorical Imperative, Duty for duty's sake Crime and theories of punishment, Issues of Capital Punishment	

Suggested Readings:

• Development of Moral Philosophy in India : Surama Dasgupta

• Ethics: W. Frankena

- The Ethics of Hindus: S.K. Maitra
- Neetishastra ka Sarvekshana: S.L. Pandey
- Neetishastra ke mool Siddhanta: V.P. Verma
- Classical Indian Ehical Thought: K.N. Tiwari
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Programme: BA Year: S	econd Semester: NA	
Name of Faculty: Dr. Shalini Rani Das		
Course Title: Logic (Indian and Western)	Credits: NA	
Course Code: NA	Core Compulsory	
Max. Marks: 50	Theory	

### Course Outcome:

• By studying this course, a student will develop an understanding of various concepts and theories related to Indian and western logical reasoning.

Unit	Topics	No. of
		Lectures:
l	Inference in Nyaya: Definition, Constituents, Process and types of Vyapti, Vyapti grahopaya, Major Hetwabhasa	
II ·	Inference in Buddhism: Definition, Constituents, Process and types of Anumana, Vyapti and Major Hetvabhasa	
III	Logic and Arguments: Deductive and Inductive Arguments, Truth and Validity, Categorical proposititions and classes: quality, quantity and distribution of terms, translating categorical propositions into standard form	
IV	Immediate Inference: Conversion, Obversion and Contaposition, Traditional square of opposition and Immediate Inference	
V	Categorical Syllogism: Standard form categorical Syllogism; The Formal nature of Syllogistic Argument, Rules and Fallacies	-
VI	Boolean Interpretation of Categorical Proposition, Ven Diagram, Technique for testing Syllogism, Hypothetical and Disjunctive Syllogism, The Dilemma	
VII	Induction, Problem of Generalization	700
VIII	Symbolic Logic: The value of special symbols; Truth-Functions; symbols for Negation, Conjunction, Disjunction, Conditional statement and Material Implication	s, 2
IX	Toutologous, Contradictory and Contingent Statement- Forms	
X	Testing Argument Form and Argument, Statement-Form and Statement for Validity by the method of Truth-Table	

### Suggested Readings:

- Introduction to Logic: I.M. Copi & C. Cohen
- Introduction to Logic and Scientific Method: Cohen & Negel
- Tarkasamgraha ka Parichay: G.N. Mishra and S.L. Pandey
- Tarksamgraha: Rammurti Pathak
- The Nyaya Theory of Knowledge: S.C. Chatterjee
- A Modern Introduction to Indian Logic: S.S. Barlingay
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Programme: BA	Year: Third		Semester: NA
Name of Faculty: Dr. Shalini Ran	i Das		
Course Title: Philosophy of Religion		Credits: NA	
Course Code:		Core Compulsory	
Max. Marks: 100	-	Theory	

#### Course Outcome:

- By studying this course, a student will learn various philosophies and theories related to religion and their relevance.
- Analytical approach in various religious theories.

Unit	Topics	No. of	
		Lectures:	
I	Nature and Scope of Philosophy of Religion, Doctrine of Karma and Rebirth, Doctrine of Liberation( Hindu, Buddha and Jain views)	08	
II	The philosophical teachings of the holy Quran: God, Man and the World	06	
III	Some basic tenets of Christianity: The Doctrine of Trinity, Theory of Redemption	06	
IV	Arguments for the Existence of God: Cosmological, Teleological and Ontological, Nyaya Argument	06	
V	Foundations of Religious belief, Faith, Reason, Revelations and Mystical Experience	06	
VI	The problem of Evil and its Solutions	06	
VII	Immortality of Soul, Transmigration and Doctrine of Karma	06	
VIII	Destiny of Soul: Moksha, Pathways of Moksha – Gyana, Bhakti and Karma	06	
IX	Religious Tolerance, Conversion, Secularism, Meeting points of all Religions	06	

Suggested Readings:

• Dharm Darshan ke Mool Siddhant: V.P. Verma

• Philosophy of Religion: J. Hick

- Dharm Darshan: Shivbhanu Singh
- Dharm Darshan: D.D. Pandey
- An Introduction to Philosophy of Religion: Brian Davis
- Comparative Religion: P.B. Chatterjee
- Indian Philosophy of Religion: A. Sharma
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### Department of Philosophy

Programme: BA	Year: Third	Semester: NA
Name of Faculty: Dr. Shalini Rani Das		
Course Title: Social and Political Philosophy		Credits: NA
Course Code: NA		Core Compulsory
Max, Marks: 100		Theory

#### Course Outcome:

• By studying this course, a student will understand Social and Political aspects of Philosophy especially in the context of Indian society.

Unit	Topics	No. of
		Lectures:
		r
I	Nature and Scope of (I) Social Philosophy(II) Political Philosophy, Relation between Social and Political Philosophy	
II	Basic Concepts: Society, Community, Associations, Institution, Family: Nature, different forms of Family, Role of Family in the Society	
III	Marxist conception of Class	
IV	Theories Regarding the Relation between Individual and Society: I. Individualistic Theory, II. Organic Theory, III. Idealistic Theory	
V	Secularism: Its Nature, Secularism in India	
VI	Social Change: Nature, Relation to Social Progress, Constitutionalism, Revolutionism, Terrorism, Satyagraha	
VII	Political Ideals: Nature of Democracy and its different forms, Direct and Indirect Democracy, Liberal Democracy, Democracy as a Political Ideal, Socialism: Utopian and Scientific, Anarchism	
VIII	Tradition, Change and Modernity with special reference to Varna, Jati and Ashrama	

### Suggested Readings:

- Outlines of Social Philosophy: J.S. Mackenzie
- Problems of Political Philosophy: D.D. Raphael
- Social and Polotical Philosophy: O.P. Gauba
- Samaj Darshan ki ek Pranali: S.L. Pandey
- Samaj Darshan: Shivbhanu singh
- Introduction to Modern Political Theory: C.E.M. Joad

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- Guide to Modern Thought: C.E.M. Joad
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