## Sri Venkateswara Degree College (AIDED)

(Affiliated to Andhra University, Visakhapatnam)
Parvathipuram, Vizianagaram District.

## **B. A Third Year Sociology**

## VI Semester Elective paper

<u>Paper – 7</u>

MODERN INDIA: SOCIAL CHANGE: DEVELOPMENT AND ISSUES

**Objectives:** 

Society in India today is undergoing rapid and massive changes. Many of changes are such that they tend to call into question the ages-old social norms and practices, thus giving rise to some critical social issues and problems.

This course is designed to identify and analyze some of such emerging social issues and problems from sociological perspective. In the interest of systematic ordering, the issues and problems have been classified into two broad sets: structural, and development.

The course seeks to go beyond the commonsense understanding of the prevailing social issues and problems in order to project them into their structural context. Accordingly, if focuses on their structural linkages and interrelationships.

Hence the objectives of the course are to sensitize the students to the emerging social issues and problems of contemporary India, enable them to acquire sociological understanding of these issues and problems over and above their commonsense understanding, empower them to deal with these issues and problems and to serve as change agents both in government and non-governmental organizations.

1. Social Change

15 hrs

Meaning, definition and nature of social change-Factors affecting social change-Overview of theories of social change: evolutionary, structural and modernization

2. Development and Underdevelopment

15 hrs

Concepts of Development and Underdevelopment-Indicators of development and Human Development Indices – Concepts of Economic Development. Social Development and Sustainable Development – Globalization and consequences

3. Social Movements

20 hrs

- a. Social reforms movements: Abolition of Sathi and child marriage; Widow Remarriages Arya Samaj, Bramho Samaj.
- b. Projects & Self-respect movements; Non-Brahmin Movement, Backward Class and Dalit movements
- c. Agrarian Movements and Peasant movements

4. Independent India and Trends of Social Change

20 hrs

Salient feature of constitution of India – Community development and Democratic decentralization – Land reforms – constitutional Safeguards for weaker sections (SC, ST, BC, Women, Differentially abled and children)

5. Intervention Programmes

20 hrs

Poverty reduction programmes - Education, Health and Skills promotion - Social Exclusion & **Inclusive Policies** 

## References:

A.R. Desai

Social Background of Indian Nationalism, Popular Prakasan, Bombay.

Yoginder Singh:

Modernization of India tradition, Rawat Publication, New Delhi

Victor S D Souza:

Development Planning and Structural Inequalities, Sage Publication, New Delhi

Satish K Sharma(Ed):

Reform, Protest and Social transformation, Ashish Publishing House, New Delhi

Sumit Sarkar:

Modern India 1885-1947, Mac Millan India Limited

Tours Grestian Paper 3 Paper-VI V Semester Elective Paper TIME: Three hours India: Social change; Development and is Maximorm 45 mays SECTION -A 5x5= 25 Mayles Armswer any FIVE from the following Eight questions 1. Human development Indices राष्ट्रय केल्ये प्राप्तित 2, Liberalizalation 1883850 3. Arya SamaT कहि भियान 4. Weaker Sections या केंद्र रहा अ 5. Poverty Alleviation यामिर्टी नियम् 6. Migration 202 7. child morrages यान भारत 8. Empowerment 702380 SECTION-B (5×10=50 Marks) Answer the following (one frome Each unit) UNIT-I 9 a) Define social chang and discuss its nature? Trodus 2000/20 128/20029 SUROWN DIP (1/2009) -55/06/2012 (b) Explain the Evolutionary theory of Social change? నాండుక కూడు ఆమక్క పరిక్షామకు మ, సిన్నారి కాన్స్ విచరించును?

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(OR) (b) Describe the domestic violence - Preventive action of the Soir GOS BOXISS & NSGUSS 25(US) 2500/3000