

SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY
Programme: B.Sc (Home Science)
Semester: III
Syllabus with effect from: June-2012

Objectives:

- Acquainting the students with social realities of Indian conditions.
- Understand the social changes taking place in the Indian society
- Understand the relationship of social with various aspects of Home science

Paper Code: UH03FSOC02	Total Credit: 2
Title Of Paper: Sociology	

Unit	Description in detail	Weighting (%)
I	Meaning of sociology- nature and scope of sociology Relationship between sociology, psychology, economics, political science, history and anthropology relevance of sociology for home science students.	20%
II	Society and Individual Relationship between individual and society Meaning of social interaction characteristics of social interaction Forms of social interaction (co-operation, conflict and competition) Status and role Culture – Definition, characteristics of culture, attitudes and values.	20%
III	Social group Meaning of social group. Primary group- meaning- characteristics & its importance Secondary group – meaning – characteristics & its importance Difference between primary and secondary group	20%
IV	Rural and Urban community Meaning and characteristics of rural community change in village Community in India. Meaning and characteristics of urban community Difference between rural and urban community.	20%
V	Social change in India Meaning of social change, factors affecting social change, meaning and nature of social change Change in family, caste system ,religion and education Causes of social change in India – westernization, modernization. Industrialization, urbanization, sanskritization.	20%

Basic Text & Reference Books

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- Sharma,R.(1971) “ Principle of sociology’ Asia Publication House,Bombay.

