



**(Master of Arts
M.A. in Sociology Semester I**

Course Code	PA01ESOC56	Title of the Course	Indian Diaspora
Total Credits of the Course	05	Hours per Week	05

Course Objectives:	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. To acquaint students with the approaches to the study of Diaspora.2. To aware students to Diaspora studies.3. To orient students to the historical background of the Indian Diaspora.
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Course Content		
Unit	Description	Weightage* (%)
1.	Diaspora as an area of academic study Meaning and implications of diaspora – Approaches to the study of diaspora – Scope and significance of diasporic studies	20
2.	Historical Background of the Indian Diaspora Pre-colonial: Trade, and spread of religion – Colonial: The indentured system – Postcolonial: Brain drain and skill drain	20
3.	Discourses on the Indian Diasporas Colonial – Nationalist – Contemporary	20
4.	Case studies of the Indian Diasporas Cultural revivalism: The Caribbean – Political struggle: Fiji and Malaysia – Apartheid and subjection: South Africa and East Africa – Political dominance: Mauritius – Enclavisation and racism: The north America and U.K. – Transient Diaspora: The Middle East.	20
5	India and the other Indians The social construction of the 'other' Indian – The Indian connection of the diasporic Indians – The remittance economy and its socio-economic impact - The diasporic	20





	Indians: Policy issues	
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Teaching-Learning Methodology	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- To deliver lecture on the topic- Discussion on the topic- Indicate the present and future importance of the topic- To give synopsis of the topic- To give list of the reference book- To assign research project related to the subject- To assign assignment and tutorial to the subject- Special discussion and additional classes are requested topic by student and additional lecture will be taken in needed.- Audio / Video class will be taken- Remedial class will be taken
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Evaluation Pattern		
Sr. No.	Details of the Evaluation	Weightage
1.	Internal Written / Practical Examination (As per CBCS R.6.8.3)	15%
2.	Internal Continuous Assessment in the form of Practical, Viva-voce, Quizzes, Seminars, Assignments, Attendance (As per CBCS R.6.8.3)	15%
3.	University Examination	70%

Course Outcomes: Having completed this course, the learner will be able to	
1.	Students will be able to understand the approaches to the study of diaspora.
2.	Students will be aware of the diasporic studies.
3.	Students will be oriented to the historical background of the Indian Diaspora.

Suggested References:





Sr. No.	References
1.	Clarke, Colin; Ceri Peach and Steven Vertovec (eds.). 1990. South Asians Overseas. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
2.	Dabydeen, David and Brinsley Samaroo (eds.) 1996. Across the dark waters: Ethnicity and Indian identity in the Caribbean, London and Basingstoke: Macmillan Education
3.	Gosine, Mahin (ed.) 1994. The East Indian odyssey: Dilemmas of a migrant people. New York: Windsor Press.
4.	Jain, Ravindra K. 1993. Indian Communities abroad: Themes and literature. New Delhi: Manohar.
5.	Klass, Morton. 1991. Singing with Sai Baba: The politics of revitalization in Trinidad. Boulder, Colorado: Westview Press.
6.	Kurian, George and Ram P. Srivastava (eds.) 1983. Overseas Indians: A study in adaption. New Delhi: Vikas Publishing House.
7.	Rao, M.S.A. (eds.) 1986. Studies in migration: Internal and International migration in India. Delhi: Manohar Publications.
8.	Sociological Bulletin. 1989. Special No. on "Indians abroad" (Guest ed.: S.L. Sharma) 38 (1).
9.	Steven Vertovec (ed.) 1991. Aspects of the South Asian diaspora. New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
10.	Tinker, Hugh. 1993 (2 nd edition). A new system of slavery: The export of Indian labour overseas, 1830-1920.

On-line resources to be used if available as reference material
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| 1. www.researchgate.net >publication |
| 2. www.livemint.com |
| 3. m.economictimes.com |

