

SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY
Programme: Master of Education (2 Years)
Semester: I
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Paper Code: PE01CMD202	Total Credits: 4
Title Of Paper: Historical, Political & Economic Concerns of Education	

Unit	Description in detail	Weightage (%)
	OBJECTIVES: Students Frame an interdisciplinary view of Education Derive guidelines from history, polity and economics Understand the interaction between education and other social sciences in context of quality of life Develop perspectives on democratic way of life Equip them for becoming effective teacher in democracy.	
1	HISTORY, POLITY & ECONOMY (HPE) AS BASIS OF EDUCATION History: A progression of Culture and Thinking. Polity as concern of Welfare and establishing organizational systems. Economics as a means of living and progress; Education for sustainable development Guidelines from HPE in Indian Education	25 %
2	EDUCATION AND HPE INTERACTION Education for prosperity and quality of life. Education for Political Awareness. Education for moulding social history and culture Impact of education on Indian HPE	25 %
3	UNDERSTANDING DEMOCRATIC WAY OF LIFE Democracy as a philosophy of development Aims of Education in Democratic State Achieving functional democracy through educational processes and practices. Challenges to education in a democratic country.	25 %
4	BECOMING A TEACHER IN A DEMOCRACY Teacher as a champion of democratic disposition Practicing democracy in the classroom Teacher as an opinion maker Participating in the community processes.	25 %

Practicum:

- Case study of one / two educational institutions in democratic perspective
- Interviewing two / three teachers / principals to understand their institutional management styles
- Collecting and summarising 3 texts (articles, essays lectures) regarding democracy and education

Basic Text & Reference Books:

- Dewey John (1944) Democracy and Education, New York, Free Press
- Dupuis Adrain (1972) Philosophy of Education in Historical perspective, New Delhi, Thomas Press



- Jha Sahitya Nand (1985) Socialism, Secularism and Democracy, Delhi. Amar Prakashan.
- Ansari, M.M. (1987) Education and Economic Development. New Delhi: AIU Publication
- Kneller, G.F (1978) Education and Economic Growth. New York. John Wiley.
- Schultz, T.W. (1973) The Economic Value of Education
- Bidyut Chakrabarty and R.Pandey. (2008) Indian Government and Politics. New Delhi. Sage Publications
- Bidyut Chakrabarty and R.Pandey (2009) Modern India Political Thought. New Delhi. Sage Publication

