

## Even Semester 1. Lesson Plan (Session 2025-26)

12 January -02 May 2026 .

Name: Takdeer Singh

Subject: SOCIOLOGY

Course Type: CC-2,

Paper Code: (B 23-SOC-201)

Name of Course : Foundation of Sociological Thought

Sr. No.	Dated	Foundation of Sociological Thought C.C.-2 (B 23-SOC-201)
01.	13-17 January .	August Comte's Positivism: Biography of August Comte, Introduction to Comte's Positivism, Assumptions & Characteristics of Positivism,
02.	19-24 January.	Positivism as a Religion Comte's Law of Three stages, Concept of Social Static & Social Dynamics Emile Durkheim's Social fact : Biography of Emile Durkheim,
03.	27-31 January.	Introduction to Functionalism, Durkheim's concept of Social fact, Meaning, definitions & Characteristics of Social facts, Rules and procedures for the study of social phenomena.
04.	02-7 February.	Karl Popper's Post Positivism: Biography of Karl Popper's, Importance of Post Positivism, Assumptions of Post Positivism, Popper's Concept of Post Positivism, Reforms of Positivism, Theory of Falsification, Concept of Science.
05.	09-14 February.	Radcliffe Brown's Structural- functional approach: Biography of A.R. Radcliffe Brown, Functionalism of Radcliffe Brown, Criticism of Functionalism, Radcliffe Brown's Structural- functional approach,
06.	16-21 February.	Historical Background of Structural- functional approach. explanation of Structural- functional approach. Merton's Structural-Functionalism: Biography of R.K.
07.	23-28 February.	Merton, Concept of Social Structure, Functional recognition, Four Concepts developed by Merton, Nature of Latent Function, Distinction between Manifest and Latent Functions, Importance of Distinction between Manifest and Latent Functions, Criticism of Merton's Functionalism.

08.	09-14 March.	6.Parson's Theory of Social System: Biography of Talcott Parsons, Meaning, definitions of Social System, Basic Elements of voluntary action, Important Characteristics and Functional Pre-requisites of Social System,
09.	16-21 March.	Parson's Voluntaristic Theory of action Intellectual Background of Parson's, Theory of Social action, Talcott Parson's Theory of Social System and Pattern Variable, Concept of Variable and Types, Criticism of Parson's, Theory of Social System.
10.	24-28 March.	.Marx's, Conflict, Class conflict: Biography of Karl Marx, Marx's Concept of Dialectical Historical Materialism, Materialistic interpretation of Historical Materialism, Criticism of Marx's Dialectical Materialism
11.	30 March.-04 April	Coser's Approach of Social conflict: Biography of Lewis A. Coser, Types and Functions of Social conflict, Coser's Proposals to Causes of conflict, Evaluation of Coser's Theory of conflict.
12.	06-11 April.	Dahrendorf's Analytical theory of conflict: Biography of Dahrendorf, Dahrendorf's Analytical theory of conflict, Two main objects of Dahrendorf, Base of Dahrendorf's Dialectical conflict theory, Dahrendorf's Imagination about Society, concept of Power, Criticism of Dahrendorf's Theory of Dialectical conflict.
13.	13-18 April.	Weber's Theory of Social action: Biography of Max Weber, Introduction to Interactionism, Meaning ,definitions of Interaction, Types of Interaction, Assumptions of Symbolic Interactional Theory, Weber's Interpretative Sociology, Theory of Social action, Characteristics and Type of Social action, Theory of Ideal Type and Characteristics.
14.	20-25 April.	Herbert Blumer's Symbolic Interaction: Biography of Blumer, Symbolic Interaction of Blumer, Critical Evaluation of Symbolic Interaction.
15.	27 April.- 02 May.	Erving Goffman's Dramaturgy Theory: Biography of Erving Goffman', Goffman's Dramaturgy Theory, Goffman's Dramaturgical Ideas, Meaning of Dramaturgy-Front & Back, Goffman's Ideas of Interaction Order
16 .	03-05 May.	Revision and Class test from all four unit.

## 2. Lesson Plan (Session 2025-26)

12 January -02 May 2026 .

Name: Takdeer Singh

Subject: SOCIOLOGY

Course Type: M.D.C-2

Paper Code: (B 23-SOC-204)

Name of Course : Indian Society & Culture

Sr. No.	Dates	Indian Society & Culture-M.D.C-2 (B23-SOC-204)
01.	13-17 January .	<b>Historical Background:</b> Traditional Hindu Social Organization
02 .	19-24 January.	Purushartha, and Samaskara, Theory of Karma;
03 .	27-31 January.	Diversity and Unity in India; Impact of Islam and Christianity.
04 .	02-7 February.	<b>Social Stratification:</b> Caste -- Features, functions and changes;
05 .	09-14 February.	Caste and Mobility; Class - Agrarian and Industrial Classes;
06 .	16-21 February.	Scheduled Tribes - Distribution & Economy
07 .	23-28 February.	<b>Social Movements &amp; Protests:</b> Movements Based on Caste,
08 .	09-14 March.	Movements Based on, Ethnicity,

09.	16-21 March.	Ideology, Gender, Disability,
10..	24-28 March.	Religion and Region; Reservation and politics;
11.	30 March.-04 April	Role of Caste in Indian Politics;
12.	06-11 April.	; Political Factions & Pressure Groups.
13.	13-18 April.	<b>Family, Marriage and Kinship:</b> Joint Family - Structure, Function and Changing Pattern;
14.	20-25 April.	Marriage - Types, Marriage in different ethnic groups; Contemporary changes
15.	27 April.-02 May.	Kinship System - Usage, Regional Variations
16 .	03-05 May	<b>Revision and Class test from all four unit.</b>

### 3.Lesson Plan (Session 2025-26)

**12 January -02 May 2026**

Name: Takdeer Singh

Subject: SOCIOLOGY

Course Type: CC-4, MCC-6

Paper Code:B23-SOC-401

Name of Course: Research Methodology

Sr. No.	Dates	Research Methodology
01.	13-17	<b>Social Research;</b> Social Research, Meaning

	January .	Definitions of Social Research, Aims of Social Research Characteristics of Social Research, Nature of Social Research ,Scope of Social Research Steps in Social Research,
02.	19-24 January.	Types of Social Research, Methods of Social Research, Need of Social Research. <b>Fact, Theory, Concepts and Variable;</b> Meaning, Definitions and Characteristics of Fact, importance of Fact, Durkheim's Theory of Social Fact, Characteristics of Durkheim's Social Fact,
03.	27-31 January.	Meaning, Definitions and Characteristics of theory, importance and Types of theory, Introduction to sociological theory and its characteristics. Meaning, Definitions, Characteristics and importance of Concept.
04.	02-7 February.	Meaning Types, Characteristics and Measurement of Variables. <b>Scientific Method</b> - Meaning, Definitions and Characteristics of Scientific Method, Steps of Scientific Method. .
05.	09-14 February.	<b>Social Survey-</b> Introduction and Characteristics of Social Survey, subject-matter and scope of Social Survey. Objectives and role of Social Survey, Type and planning of Social Survey. <b>Research Design-</b> Meaning, Definitions and Characteristics of Research Design, Types and Usages of Research Design.
06.	16-21 February.	<b>Research Design-</b> Meaning, Definitions and Characteristics of Research Design, Types and Usages of Research Design. <b>Sampling-</b> Meaning, Definitions, Base and Characteristics of Sampling, Significance and Limitations of Sampling, .Procedure of sample Selection ,
07.	23-28 February.	,types of Sampling, purposive of Sampling, sample size and Sampling V/S Census Method. <b>Sources of Data: Primary and Secondary-</b> Types of Data or information, Distinction between Primary and Secondary

		Data, Sources of Data information.
08.	09-14 March.	<b>Tools/Techniques of Data Collection-</b> Meaning, Definitions of Technique, Tools of Data Collection. <b>Interview and Observation-</b> Meaning, Definitions of Interview. Characteristics of Interview, Main objectives of Interview, Steps and Process of Types of Interview. Importance of Interview Technique, Limitations of Interview Technique
09.	16-21 March.	.Meaning, Definitions of Observation, Characteristics of Observation, Types of Observation, Importance of Observation, Limitations of Observation. <b>Questionnaire And Schedule-</b> Meaning, Definitions of Questionnaire, Basic Characteristics of a Questionnaire, Characteristics of a Questionnaire,
10.	24-28 March.	Types of Questionnaire, Process of Constructing Questionnaire, Meaning, Definitions of Schedule, Characteristics of Schedule, Types of Schedule, Process of Preparing Schedule, , Through a Schedule, Distinction between Questionnaire And Schedule.
11.	30 March.-04 April	<b>Data Analysis-</b> Need for Analysis and <b>Interpretation</b> of Data, Preparations for necessary and Interpretation of Data, Process of Analysis and Interpretation of Data. Meaning, Definitions of <b>Classification</b> , Base and Types of Classification
12.	06-11 April.	Introduction to <b>Tabulation</b> , Characteristics of a good table, Types of tables, .Rules and Precautions in preparing tables, Utility or Merits and Limitations or Demerits of Tabulation
13.	13-18 April.	. <b>Graphic Interpretation;</b> Meaning,

		Definitions of Graphic Interpretation, Importance of Graphic Interpretation in Social Research, .Meaning Features and types of <b>Bar Diagram</b> , Types, Merits and Limitations of Bar Diagram, Uses of Bar Diagram in Social Research by different Methods
14.	20-25 April.	<b>Data Analysis</b> -Need for Analysis and <b>Interpretation</b> concept and Uses of <b>Histogram</b> in Social Research, Uses of Bar Diagram in Social Research by different Methods <b>Data Analysis</b> -Need for Analysis and <b>Interpretation</b> concept and Uses of <b>Histogram</b> in Social Research,
15.	27 April.-02 May.	Types and Importance of Histogram. Meaning, Characteristics, Objectives and importance of Pie Chart in Social Research. Merits and Demerits of Pie Chart. Meaning, and Characteristics of <b>Polygon</b> , Role of Polygon in Social Research, Advantages and Disadvantages of Polygon.
16.	03-05 May	<b>Revision and Class test from all four unit.</b>

**Lesson Plan (Session 2025-26)**

**12 January -02 May 2026**

Name: Takdeer Singh

Subject: SOCIOLOGY

Semester VI

Name of the Course Modern Sociological Thought-II

Course Code B23- SOC- 601

Sr. No.	Dates	Modern Sociological Thought-II
01.	13-17 January .	Integrative genre Social Theory-I: Micro Foundation of Macro Sociology (Collins.);

02.	19-24 January.	Neo-functionalism (Jaffrey C.Alexander);
03.	27-31 January.	Social Construction of Reality (Berger & Luckman);
04.	02-7 February.	Integrative Paradigm (Ritzer)
05.	09-14 February.	Integrative genre Social Theory-II: Duality of Agency and Structure (Giddens.);
06.	16-21 February.	Habitus and Field (Bourdieu, P.);
07.	23-28 February.	Life World and System 15 16 (Habermas, J.)
08.	09-14 March.	Synthesis in Sociological Theory: Network Theory (Burt & others)
09.	16-21 March.	. Rational Choice Theory (Coleman, J. Elster);
10.	24-28 March.	Feminist Theory (Dorothy).
11.	30 March.-04 April	Feminist Theory ( Patricia Collins).
12.	06-11 April.	Post Modern Scenario: Decline of Grand Narrative (Lyotard
13.	13-18 April.	Hyper-real World (Baudrillard);
14.	20-25 April.	Truth and Knowledge (Foucault
15.	27 April.-02 May.	. Post – Feminist Theory (Judith Butler).
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Course Type: M.D.C-2

Paper Code: (B 23-SOC-204)

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01.	13-17 January .	<b>Historical Background:</b> Traditional Hindu Social Organization
02 .	19-24 January.	Purushartha, and Samaskara, Theory of Karma;
03 .	27-31 January.	Diversity and Unity in India; Impact of Islam and Christianity.
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Subject: SOCIOLOGY

Course Type: CC-4, MCC-6

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**12 January -02 May 2026**

Name: Takdeer Singh

Subject: SOCIOLOGY

Semester VI

Name of the Course Modern Sociological Thought-II

Course Code B23- SOC- 601

Sr. No.	Dates	Modern Sociological Thought-II
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15.	27 April.-02 May.	. Post – Feminist Theory (Judith Butler).
16.	03-05 May	<b>Revision and Class test from all four unit.</b>

**Session 2024-25**

**Subject : Sociology -CC-1/MCC-1**

**Semester I**

**Name of the Course: Introduction to Sociology**

**Course Code : B23-SOC-101**

**CourseType:(CC/MCC/MDC/CCM/DSEC/VOC/DSE/PC/AEC/VAC) CC/ MCC**

Unit 1st

**Introduction to Sociology:** Meaning, Nature and Scope; Development of Sociology, Relationship of Sociology with History, Psychology and Economics.

Unit 2nd

**Basic concepts:** Society, Community, Institution, Association, Groups: Primary and Secondary; Reference Group, Social Structure, Status and Role.

Unit 3rd

**Culture and Society:** Culture and its types, Socialization – Stages and Agencies; Social Control: Forms and Agencies, Religion - Meaning, forms, functions and dysfunctions; Concept of Religiosity.

Unit 4th

**Social Change:** Meaning and Types of Change, Factors of Social Change; Forms of Social Change: Evolution, Progress, Growth, Development, Revolution; Barriers to Social Change.

**Session 2024-25**

**Subject :Sociology -CC-3/MCC-4**

**Semester: 3rd**

**Name of the Course : Indian Society**

**Course Code: B23-SOC-301**

**Course Type: (CC/MCC/MDC/CCM/DSEC/VOC/DSE/PC/AEC/VAC) CC /MCC**

Unit 1st

**The Textual and the Field Views** of Indian Society; Interface between the past and the Present; Basic Features of Traditional Indian Social System; Unity and Diversity in Indian Society

Unit 2nd

**Demographic Profile of India** in terms of Growth, Age, Sex, Religion, Language, Occupation and Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes; Tribal Communities in India: Geographical Distribution, Assimilation, Integration and Assertion; Religions in India

Unit 3rd

**Marriage in India:** Tribal, Hindu, Muslim, Christian and Trends of Change; Family in India: Household, Joint Family, Nuclear family and Trends of Change; Kinship in India: Patriarchy, Matriarchy, Lineage & Descent and Types of Kinship Systems in India; Caste System: Features, Aspects of Change.

Unit 4th

**Indian Villages:** Social Structure and Features; Indian Cities: Social Structure, Features and Types; Rural Urban Interaction; Social Classes in India: Agrarian-Rural and Industrial-urban; Exclusion versus Inclusion: Backward classes, Dalits, Minorities, and Women

**Session 2024-25**

**Subject: Sociology- MDC-3**

**Semester:3rd**

**Name of the Course: Social problems in India**

**Course Code B23-SOC-303**

Course Type: (CC/MCC/MDC/CCM/DSEC/VOC/DSE/PC/AEC/VAC) **MDC**

Unit 1st

Understanding Social Problems: Deviance; Social Disorganization; Anomie; Alienation; Suicide, Crime

Unit 2nd

Familial Issues: Domestic Violence; Dowry, Inter-Caste Marriage; Problem of the Aged; Divorce.

Unit 3rd

Developmental Issues: Hygiene and Sanitation; Life style Disease; Housing; Uneven Development; Corruption, Unemployment

Unit 4th

Contemporary Issues: Cyber Crime; HIV AIDS; Drug Addiction; Mental Illness; Pandemics

**Introduction to Comte's Positivism**, Assumptions of Positivism, Positivism as a Religion, Comte's Law of Three Stages, Biography of August Comte, Concept of Social Static & Social Dynamics.

**Introduction to Evolutionism**, Spencer's Evolutionary Approach, Introduction to Functionalism, Biography of Herbert Spencer, Society as an Organism.

Characteristics of Social Facts, Rules and Procedures for the Study of Social Phenomena, Social Consequences of Division of Labour, Introduction to Division of Labour. Pathological Forms of Division of Labour, Biography of Emile Durkheim, Functionalism of Radcliffe Brown, Criticism of Functionalism, Historical Background of Structural- Functional Approach, Radcliffe Brown's Structural- Functional Approach. Explanation of Structural- Functional Approach, Biography of A.R. Radcliffe Brown,

Materialistic Interpretation of Historical Materialism, Introduction to Marx's Concept of Dialectical Historical Materialism. Evaluation of Historical Materialism, Introduction, Meaning & Definitions of Social Class, Theory of Class Conflict, Introduction to Class Conflict, Internal Contradictions of Modern Capitalistic System & Class Conflict, Basis of Class Formation. Process of Conflict, Biography of Karl Marx, Coser's Approach of Social conflict, Functions of Social conflict, Types of Social Conflict. Coser's Proposals Related to Causes of Conflict, Evaluation of Coser's Theory of Conflict, Biography of Lewis A. Coser,

Meaning & Definitions of Interaction, Introduction to Interactionism. Types of Interaction, Assumptions of Symbolic Interactional Theory, Weber's Interpretative Sociology, Introduction to Theory of Social Action, Characteristics of Ideal Type, Introduction to Theory of Ideal Type and Categories of Social Action, Biography of Max Weber, Process of Formation & Development of Self, Biography of G.H. Mead, Introduction to G.H. Mead's Concept of

Symbolic Interactionism.

## **Revision: Unit-I:-**

1. Positivism, Evolutionism. Unit-II:-Functionalism. Unit-III:-Conflict. Unit-IV:- Interactionism.