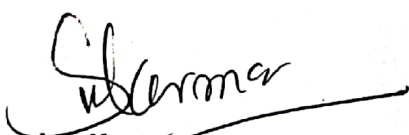


**UNIVERSITY OF JAMMU**  
**SYLLABUS FOR BACHELOR DEGREE PROGRAMME IN PHILOSOPHY**

The following Courses of Study are prescribed for 3<sup>rd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> Semester/s Bachelor Degree (UG) Programme under CBCS in the subject of Philosophy:

Semester	Course No.	Title	Credits	Nature of Course	%age change
IV	UPHTC 401	Indian Philosophical Thought	06	CORE	20%
	UPHTS 402	Introduction to Logic	04	S.E.C.	20%
V	UPHTE 501	Philosophy of Religion/	06	D.S.E.	10%
	UPHTE 502	Indian Ethics			No Change
	UPHTE 505	Fundamentals of Philosophy	06	G.E.	100%
	UPHTS 504	Ethics and Its Applications	04	S.E.C.	25%
VI	UPHTE 601	Philosophy of Language/	06	D.S.E.	No Change
	UPHTE 602	Modern Indian Thought			05%
	UPHTE 605	Fundamentals of Ethics	06	G.E.	100%
	UPHTS 604	Indian Yogic Traditions	04	S.E.C.	10%

  
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Semester-IV

Core Course

(Examination to be held in the years May 2021, 2022 and 2023)

Course Code: UPHTC -401  
Duration of Exam: 2<sup>1/2</sup> Hours  
Credits: 6

Course Title: Indian Philosophical Thought  
External Assessment: 80 Marks  
Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

Objectives: The course has been designed to introduce to the students the main concepts and theories within the broad framework of Indian philosophy. They are expected to appreciate the distinctions as well as the commonalities between the various schools of Indian philosophy.

Unit – 1: Introduction

- 1.1 Origin and Development of Indian Philosophy
- 1.2 Classification of Schools of Indian Philosophy
- 1.3 Common Characteristics of Indian Philosophical Schools

Unit –2: Heterodox Schools

- 2.1 Charvaka – Perception, World, Soul, God
- 2.2 Jainism – Syadvada, Anekantavada
- 2.3 Buddhism – Four Noble Truths, Eightfold Path

Unit – 3: Orthodox Schools - I

- 3.1 Nyaya–Sources of Knowledge (Perception, Inference, Testimony, Comparison)
- 3.2 Vaisheshika – Categories of Reality
- 3.3 Samkhya – Theory of Evolution

Unit – 4: Orthodox Schools - II

- 4.1 Yoga –Eight Limbs of Yoga
- 4.2 Mimamsa – Sources of Knowledge (Postulation, Non-Apprehension)
- 4.3 Vedanta –Shankara's Nirguna Brahman, Ramanuja's Saguna Brahman

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Semester – IV

Core Course

(Examination to be held in the years May 2021, 2022 & 2023)

Course No. UPHTC 401

Course Title: Indian Philosophical Thought

Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours

External Assessment: 80 Marks

Credits: 06

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

**Notes for Paper Setting:**

**External End Semester Examinations (80 Marks, Time: 2 1/2 hours only)**


The External examinations in theory shall consist of the following:

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2. Five (5) medium answers to the questions representing all units/ syllabi i.e. at least one from each unit (with explanation having 250-300 words in approximately 12 minutes and having 7 marks for each answer to the question **(All Compulsory)**)
3. Four/Five (4/5) long answers to the questions (two to be attempted) representing whole of the syllabi with detailed analysis/explanation/critical evaluation/solution to the stated problems within 500 - 600 words in approximately 30 minutes and having 15 marks each answer to the question.

**Internal Assessment Examination (20 Marks, Time: 1 Hour only):**

The Internal Assessment under Choice Based Credit System shall comprise of two parts:

**Part A:** Total weightage to this part shall be 50 % of internal assessment marks i.e. 10 % of the total marks or 10 marks out of 20 marks reserved for internal assessment. It will have eight short questions selecting at least three from each of the two/three units (50 % of syllabus) covered. A Candidate has to attempt any five and each question carries 2 marks.



Core Course

(Examination to be held in the years May 2021, 2022 & 2023)

Course No. UPHTC 401

Course Title: Indian Philosophical Thought

Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours

External Assessment: 80 Marks

Credits: 06

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

**Part B:** Total weightage to this part shall be 50% of the internal assessment marks i.e. 10% of the total marks or 10 marks out of 20 marks reserved for internal assessment. It will have 2 Long questions, selecting one each from first two units/50 % of the syllabus. A Candidate has to attempt any one question and the question shall carry 10 marks.

**Books Recommended:**

- *Introduction to Indian Philosophy* – Datta and Chatterjee
- *Fundamentals of Indian Philosophy* – R. Puligandla
- *Indian Philosophy A Very Short Introduction* – Sue Hamilton
- *Indian Philosophy A-Z* – Christopher Bartley
- *Classical Indian Philosophy* – J.N. Mohanty

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Semester-IV

Skill Enhancement Course

(Examination to be held in the years May 2021, 2022 and 2023)

Course Code: UPHTS-402

Duration of Exam: 2<sup>1/2</sup> Hours

Credits: 4

Course Title: Introduction to Logic

External Assessment: 80 Marks

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

**Objectives:** The course aims at providing students with the basic skills and knowhow of the discipline of Logic. They are expected to understand and appreciate the different logical concepts and learn their application in philosophical discourse.

**Unit – 1: Basic Logical Concepts - I**

- 1.1 Logic – Meaning and Applications
- 1.2 Proposition vs Sentence
- 1.3 Arguments and their types – Deductive and Inductive
- 1.4 Truth, Validity and Soundness

**Unit – 2: Basic Logical Concepts - II**

- 2.1 Categorical Propositions – Definitions and Types
- 2.2 Categorical Propositions – Quantity, Quality and Distribution
- 2.3 Square of Opposition

**Unit – 3: Basic Logical Concepts - III**

- 3.1 Truth Functions (Negation, Conjunction, Disjunction, Implication, Equivalence)
- 3.2 Truth Tables
- 3.3 Laws of Thought

**Unit – 4: Obstacles to Logical Thinking**

- 4.1 Fallacies and their types – Formal and Informal
- 4.2 Formal Fallacies – Affirming the Consequent, Denying the Antecedent
- 4.3 Informal Fallacies – Ad hominem, Appeal to Emotion, Hasty Generalization

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**Skill Enhancement Course**  
**(Examination to be held in the years May 2021, 2022 & 2023)**

**Course No. UPHTS 402**

**Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours**

**Credits: 04**

**Course Title: Introduction to Logic**

**External Assessment: 80 Marks**

**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks**

**Notes for Paper Setting:**

**External End Semester Examinations (80 Marks, Time: 2 1/2 hours only)**

The External examinations in theory shall consist of the following:

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**Internal Assessment Examination (20 Marks, Time: 1 Hour only):**

The Internal Assessment under Choice Based Credit System shall comprise of two parts:

**Part A:** Total weightage to this part shall be 50 % of internal assessment marks i.e. 10 % of the total marks or 10 marks out of 20 marks reserved for internal assessment. It will have eight short questions selecting at least three from each of the two/three units (50 % of syllabus) covered. A Candidate has to attempt any five and each question carries 2 marks.

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Semester – IV

Skill Enhancement Course

(Examination to be held in the years May 2021, 2022 & 2023)

Course No. UPHTS 402

Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours

Credits: 04

Course Title: Introduction to Logic

External Assessment: 80 Marks

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

**Part B:** Total weightage to this part shall be 50% of the internal assessment marks i.e. 10 % of the total marks or 10 marks out of 20 marks reserved for internal assessment. It will have 2 Long questions, selecting one each from first two units/50 % of the syllabus. A Candidate has to attempt any one question and the question shall carry 10 marks.

**Books Recommended:**

- Copi, Irving M., and Cohen, Carl, *Introduction to Logic*
- Basson, A.H. and O'Connor, D.J., *An Introduction to Symbolic Logic*
- Singh, A and Goswami C., *Fundamentals of Logic*
- Hurley. Patrick J., *A Concise Introduction to Logic*



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Semester-V

Discipline Specific Elective

(Examination to be held in the years December 2021, 2022 and 2023)

Course Code: UPHTE-501

Duration of Exam: 2<sup>1/2</sup> Hours

Credits: 6

Course Title: Philosophy of Religion

External Assessment: 80 Marks

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

Objectives: The course aims at familiarizing the students with the basic themes and debates prevalent in the Philosophy of Religion. The students are expected to acquaint themselves to the different concepts entailed by religion, as well as the various theories of religion.

Unit – 1: Introduction

- 1.1 Religion – Meaning and Characteristics
- 1.2 Philosophy of Religion – Meaning and Scope
- 1.3 Distinction between Philosophy of Religion and Theology

Unit –2: Basic Concepts

- 2.1 Attributes of God – Omnipotence, Omniscience, Omnibenevolence
- 2.2 Ideas of God – Monotheism, Polytheism, Pantheism, Deism, Atheism
- 2.3 The Problem of Evil, Theodicies (St. Augustine, Leibniz)

Unit – 3: Arguments for the Existence of God

- 3.1 The Ontological Argument (St. Anslem)
- 3.2 The Cosmological Argument (St. Thomas Aquinas)
- 3.3 The Design Argument (William Paley)

Unit – 4: Theories of Religion

- 4.1 Anthropological Theory of Religion (Emile Durkheim)
- 4.2 Psychological Theory of Religion (Sigmund Freud)
- 4.3 Sociological Theory of Religion (Karl Marx)

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Semester - V

Discipline Specific Course  
(Examination to be held in the years May 2021, 2022 & 2023)

Course No. UPHTE 501  
Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours  
Credits: 06

Course Title: Philosophy of Religion  
External Assessment: 80 Marks  
Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

**Note for Paper Setting:**

**External End Semester Examinations (80 Marks, Time: 2 1/2 hours only)**

The External examinations in theory shall consist of the following:

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**Internal Assessment Examination (20 Marks, Time: 1 Hour only):**

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Semester - V

Discipline Specific Course

(Examination to be held in the years May 2021, 2022 & 2023)

Course No. UPHTE 501

Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours

Credits: 06

Course Title: Philosophy of Religion

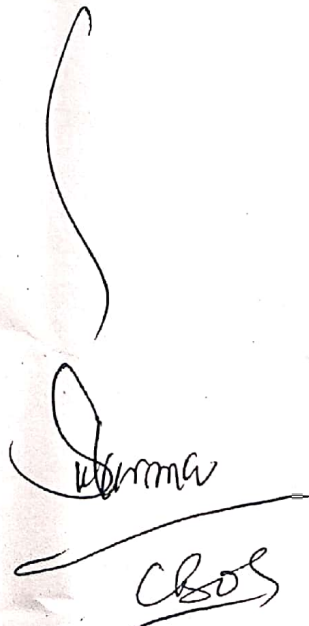
External Assessment: 80 Marks

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

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**Books Recommended:**

- *Philosophy of Religion* – John Hick
- *Philosophy of Religion* – David E. Trueblood
- *The Philosophy of Religion* – Thomas McPherson
- *The Philosophy of Religion: A Critical Introduction* - Clack, B., B.R. Clack
- *The Routledge Companion to Philosophy of Religion* - Meister, C., P. Copan

  
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Semester - V

Discipline Specific Elective

Course No. UPHTE 502

Course Title: Indian Ethics

Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours

External Assessment: 80 Marks

Credits: 06

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

**Objectives:** The course aims at introducing to the students the broad themes and issues at work in Indian Ethics. The course covers the Orthodox and Heterodox traditions, and the ethics of the Bhagavad Gita as well.

**Unit - 1: Fundamental Conceptions**

- 1.1 Rta
- 1.2 Karma (Sanchita, Prarabdha, Kriyamana)
- 1.3 Purushartha (Dharma, Artha, Kama, Moksha)

**Unit - 2: Orthodox Conceptions**

- 2.1 Rna (Pitr Rna, Rishi Rna, Deva Rna, Manushya Rna)
- 2.2 Varna Ashrama Dharma
- 2.3 Sadharana Dharma

**Unit - 3: Heterodox Conceptions**

- 3.1 Buddhism (Panchasheela, Brahmaviharas)
- 3.2 Jainism (Panchamahavratas, Triratna)
- 3.3 Charvaka (Ethical Hedonism)

**Unit - 4: Ethical Conceptions in Bhagavad Gita**

- 4.1 Nishkama Karma
- 4.2 Lokasamgraha
- 4.3 Svadharma

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Course No. UPHTE 502  
Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours  
Credits: 06

Course Title: Indian Ethics  
External Assessment: 80 Marks  
Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

**Note for Paper Setting:**

**External End Semester Examinations (80 Marks, Time: 2 1/2 hours only)**

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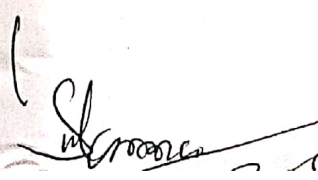
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**Internal Assessment Examination (20 Marks, Time: 1 Hour only):**

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(Examination to be held in the years May 2021, 2022 & 2023)

Course No. UPHTE 502

Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours

Credits: 06

Course Title: Indian Ethics

External Assessment: 80 Marks

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

Books Recommended:

- The Ethics of the Hindus - S. K. Maitra
- Karma, Causation and Retributive Morality - R. Prasad
- Varnadharm, Nishkama Karma and Practical Morality - R. Prasad
- Ethical Philosophies of India - Ishwar Chandra Sharma
- A Modern Introduction to Indian Ethics - S.S. Barlingay

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Generic Elective

(Examination to be held in the years December 2021, 2022 and 2023)

Course Code: UPHTOE-505  
Duration of Exam: 2<sup>1/2</sup> Hours  
Credits: 6

Course Title: Fundamentals of Philosophy  
External Assessment: 80 Marks  
Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

Objectives: The course has been devised to introduce to the students the basics of philosophy. The students are expected to acquaint themselves with the various branches of philosophy and different philosophical standpoints.

Unit – 1: Introduction

- 1.1 Meaning and Nature of Philosophy
- 1.2 Branches of Philosophy
- 1.3 Aims of Philosophy

Unit – 2: Metaphysics

- 2.1 Ideas of Substance (Monism, Dualism, Pluralism)
- 2.2 Ideas of Causation (Satkaryavada, Asatkaryavada)
- 2.3 Ideas of God (Monotheism, Polytheism, Atheism)

Unit – 3: Epistemology

- 3.1 Knowledge – Meaning and Nature
- 3.2 Sources of Knowledge (Perception, Inference, Testimony)
- 3.3 Types of Knowledge (Knowledge by Acquaintance, Knowledge by Description)

Unit – 4: Logic

- 4.1 Argument (Meaning and Types)
- 4.2 Truth and Validity
- 4.3 Logical Fallacies (Appeal to Emotion, Hasty Generalization)

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**Generic Elective**

(Examination to be held in the years May 2021, 2022 & 2023)

**Course No. UPHTOE 505**

**Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours**

**Credits: 06**

**Course Title: Fundamentals of Philosophy**

**External Assessment: 80 Marks**

**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks**

**Notes for Paper Setting:**

**External End Semester Examinations (80 Marks, Time: 2 1/2 hours only)**

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**(All Compulsory)**
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**(All Compulsory)**
3. Four/Five (4/5) long answers to the questions (two to be attempted) representing whole of the syllabi with detailed analysis/explanation/critical evaluation/solution to the stated problems within 500 - 600 words in approximately 30 minutes and having 15 marks each answer to the question.

**Internal Assessment Examination (20 Marks, Time: 1 Hour only):**

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Semester – V

Generic Elective

(Examination to be held in the years May 2021, 2022 & 2023)

Course No. UPHTOE 505

Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours

Credits: 06

Course Title: Fundamentals of Philosophy

External Assessment: 80 Marks

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

any five and each question carries 2 marks.

**Part B:** Total weightage to this part shall be 50% of the internal assessment marks i.e. 10 % of the total marks or 10 marks out of 20 marks reserved for internal assessment. It will have 2 Long questions, selecting one each from first two units/50 % of the syllabus. A Candidate has to attempt any one question and the question shall carry 10 marks.

**Books Recommended:**

- *A Critical History of Greek Philosophy* – W.T. Stace
- *From Socrates to Sartre* – T.Z. Lavine
- Hurley. Patrick J., *A Concise Introduction to Logic*
- Copi, Irving M., and Cohen, Carl, *Introduction to Logic*
- *History of Modern Western Philosophy*, Y. Masih
- *An Introduction to Philosophy*, J.N. Sinha

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Semester-V

Skill Enhancement Course

(Examination to be held in the years December 2021, 2022 and 2023)

Course Code: UPHT504

Course Title: Ethics and Its Applications

Duration of Exam: 2<sup>1/2</sup> Hours

External Assessment: 80 Marks

Credits: 6

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

Objectives: The course is designed to introduce to the students the theoretical aspects as well as the practical applications of the discipline of Ethics. The students are also expected to inculcate skills in identifying the ethical dilemmas and paradoxes at work within contemporary socio-political debates.

Unit – 1: Introduction

- 1.1 Meaning and Nature of Ethics
- 1.2 Scope of Ethics
- 1.3 Morality – Relative/Absolute

Unit – 2: Theories of Ethics

- 2.1 Aristotle's Virtue Ethics (Eudaimonia, Golden Mean)
- 2.2 Bentham's Utilitarianism (Quantitative Hedonism)
- 2.3 Mill's Utilitarianism (Higher vs Lower Pleasures)
- 2.4 Kant's Deontology (Categorical Imperative)

Unit – 3: Applied Ethics - I

- 3.1 Capital Punishment
- 3.2 Euthanasia
- 3.3 Patriarchy

Unit – 4: Applied Ethics – II

- 4.1 Animal Rights
- 4.2 Ecological Crisis
- 4.3 Rights of Future Generations

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Semester - V

Skill Enhancement Course

(Examination to be held in the years May 2021, 2022 & 2023)

Course No. UPHTS 504  
Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours  
Credits: 04

Course Title: Ethics and its Applications  
External Assessment: 80 Marks  
Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

**Notes for Paper Setting:**

**External End Semester Examinations (80 Marks, Time: 2 1/2 hours only)**

The External examinations in theory shall consist of the following:

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**Internal Assessment Examination (20 Marks, Time: 1 Hour only):**

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Semester - V

**Skill Enhancement Course**

**(Examination to be held in the years May 2021, 2022 & 2023)**

**Course No. UPHTS 504**

**Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours**

**Credits: 04**

**Course Title: Ethics and its Applications**


**External Assessment: 80 Marks**

**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks**

**Part B:** Total weightage to this part shall be 50% of the internal assessment marks i.e. 10 % of the total marks or 10 marks out of 20 marks reserved for internal assessment. It will have 2 Long questions, selecting one each from first two units/50 % of the syllabus. A Candidate has to attempt any one question and the question shall carry 10 marks

**Books Recommended:**

1. Driver, Julia, *Ethics: The Fundamentals*
2. Rachels, James, *Elements of Moral Philosophy*
3. Chadwick, R.F., ed. *Encyclopedia of Applied Ethics*
4. Frey, R.G., and Wellman, C.H., *A Companion to Applied Ethics*
5. *A Manual of Ethics*, J.N. Sinha

  
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May - 2022, 2023, Semester - VI, 2024

### Discipline Specific Elective

Course No. UPHTE 601

Course Title: Philosophy of Language

Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours

External Assessment: 80 Marks

Credits: 06

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

**Objectives:** The course focuses on introducing the students to the wide gamut of themes and debates at work in both the Western as well as Indian philosophy of language. The students are to be acquainted with the notion of meaning as the nucleus of the chief debates in both traditions.

#### Unit - 1: Western Philosophy of Language: Early Developments

- 1.1 Philosophy of Language - Meaning and Scope
- 1.2 Sense and Reference (Frege)
- 1.3 Theory of Descriptions (Russell)

#### Unit - 2: Western Philosophy of Language: Later Developments

- 2.1 Picture Theory of Meaning (Wittgenstein)
- 2.2 Use Theory of Meaning (Wittgenstein)
- 2.3 Logical Positivism (Ayer)

#### Unit - 3: Indian Philosophy of Language: The Notion of Meaning

- 3.1 Kinds of Meaning (Abhidha, Lakshana, Vyanjana)
- 3.2 Conditions of Sentence Meaning (Akanksha, Yogyata, Sannidhi, Tatparyajnana)
- 3.3 Comprehension of sentence meaning (Abhihitavayavada, Anvitabhidhanavada)

#### Unit - 4: Indian Philosophy of Language: Theories of Meaning

- 4.1 Jati-akriti-vyaktivada (Nyaya Theory of Meaning)
- 4.2 Apohavada (Buddhist Theory of Meaning)
- 4.3 Sphotavada (Grammarians' Theory of Meaning)

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Semester - V

Discipline Specific Elective

(Examination to be held in the years May 2021, 2022 & 2023)

Course No. UPHTE 601  
Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours  
Credits: 06

Course Title: Philosophy of Language  
External Assessment: 80 Marks  
Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

**Notes for Paper Setting:**

**External End Semester Examinations (80 Marks, Time: 2 1/2 hours only)**

The External examinations in theory shall consist of the following:

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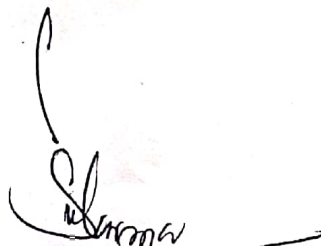
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3. Four/Five (4/5) long answers to the questions (two to be attempted) representing whole of the syllabi with detailed analysis/explanation/critical evaluation/solution to the stated problems within 500 - 600 words in approximately 30 minutes and having 15 marks each answer to the question.

**Internal Assessment Examination (20 Marks, Time: 1 Hour only):**

The Internal Assessment under Choice Based Credit System shall comprise of two parts:

**Part A:** Total weightage to this part shall be 50 % of internal assessment marks i.e. 10 % of the total marks or 10 marks out of 20 marks reserved for internal assessment. It will have eight short questions selecting at least three from each of the two/three units (50 % of syllabus) covered. A Candidate has to attempt any five and each question carries 2 marks.



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Semester – V

Discipline Specific Elective

(Examination to be held in the years May ~~2021~~, ~~2022~~ & ~~2023~~ <sup>2022, 2023 + 2024</sup>)

Course No. UPHTE 601

Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours

Credits: 06

Course Title: Philosophy of Language

External Assessment: 80 Marks

Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

**Part B:** Total weightage to this part shall be 50% of the internal assessment marks i.e. 10 % of the total marks or 10 marks out of 20 marks reserved for internal assessment. It will have 2 Long questions, selecting one each from first two units/50 % of the syllabus. A Candidate has to attempt any one question and the question shall carry 10 marks.

**Books Recommended:**

- *Philosophy of Language* – William P. Alston
- *The Philosophy of Language* – A.P. Martinich
- *An Introduction to the Philosophy of Language* – Michael Morris
- *India's Language Philosophy* – Krishnaswamy, N., Mishra, S. and Ram, R.V.
- *Indian Philosophy of Language* – Mark Siderits

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Discipline Specific Elective

(Examination to be held in the years May 2022, 2023 and 2024)

Course Code: UPHTE-602  
Duration of Exam: 2<sup>1/2</sup> Hours  
Credits: 6

Course Title: Modern Indian Thought  
External Assessment: 80 Marks  
Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

Objectives: The course is aimed at familiarizing students with the varied themes and concerns raised by modern Indian thinkers. Encompassing social, political as well as spiritual conceptions, the course should acquaint the students with the dynamics of an India at the crossroads: progressive yet rooted.

Unit – 1: On Politics

- 1.1 Nationalism (Tagore)
- 1.2 Social Justice (Ambedkar)
- 1.3 Radical Humanism (M.N. Roy)

Unit – 2: On Society

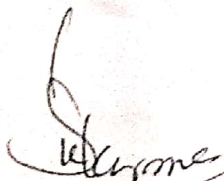
- 2.1 Social Revolution (Lohia)
- 2.2 Gender (Pandita Ramabai)

Unit – 3: On Spirituality

- 3.1 Universal Religion (Swami Vivekananda)
- 3.2 Self (Iqbal)
- 3.3 Freedom (Krishnamurti)

Unit – 4: On Modernity

- 4.1 Critique of Western Civilization (Gandhi)
- 4.2 Integral Humanism (Deendayal Upadhyaya)

  
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**Discipline Specific Elective**

**(Examination to be held in the years May 2022, 2023 & 2024)**

Course No. UPHTGE 602  
Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours  
Credits: 06

Course Title: Modern Indian Thought  
External Assessment: 80 Marks  
Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

Note for Paper Setting:

**External End Semester Examinations (80 Marks, Time: 2 1/2 hours only)**

The External examinations in theory shall consist of the following:

1. Five (5) short answers to the questions representing all units/syllabi i.e. at least one from each unit (without detailed explanation having 70 to 80 words in approximately 6 minutes and having 3 marks for each answer to the question **(All Compulsory)**)

2. Five (5) medium answers to the questions representing all units/ syllabi i.e. at least one from each unit (with explanation having 250-300 words in approximately 12 minutes and having 7 marks for each answer to the question **(All Compulsory)**)

3. Four/Five (4/5) long answers to the questions (two to be attempted) representing whole of the syllabi with detailed analysis/explanation/critical evaluation/solution to the stated problems within 500 - 600 words in approximately 30 minutes and having 15 marks each answer to the question.

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Discipline Specific Elective

(Examination to be held in the years May 2022, 2023 & 2024)

Course No. UPHTGE 602  
Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours  
Credits: 06

Course Title: Modern Indian Thought  
External Assessment: 80 Marks  
Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

**Part B:** Total weightage to this part shall be 50% of the internal assessment marks i.e. 10 % of the total marks or 10 marks out of 20 marks reserved for internal assessment. It will have 2 Long questions, selecting one each from first two units/50 % of the syllabus. A Candidate has to attempt any one question and the question shall carry 10 marks.

Books Recommended:

- *Contemporary Indian Philosophy* – Basant Kumar Lal
- *Indian Political Thought: Themes and Thinkers* - Singh, M.P. and Roy, H.
- *Modern Indian Political Thought (Text and Context)* – Chakrabarty, B.
- *Integral Humanism* – Deendayal Upadhyaya
- *Freedom from the Known* – Jiddu Krishnamurti

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Generic Elective

(Examination to be held in the years May 2022, 2023 and 2024)

Course Code: UPHTOE-605  
Duration of Exam: 2<sup>1/2</sup> Hours  
Credits: 6

Course Title: Fundamentals of Ethics  
External Assessment: 80 Marks  
Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

Objectives: The course aims at familiarizing the students with the basic themes and debates prevalent in the discipline of Ethics. The students are expected to acquaint themselves to the different concepts entailed by Western and Indian ethics, as well as the applications of these concepts in contemporary issues.

Unit – 1: Introduction

- 1.1 Meaning and Nature of Ethics
- 1.2 Branches of Ethics
- 1.3 Preconditions of Morality

Unit – 2: Western Ethical Theories

- 2.1 Virtue Ethics (Aristotle)
- 2.2 Deontology (Kant)
- 2.3 Consequentialism (Bentham, Mill)

Unit – 3: Indian Ethical Theories

- 3.1 Rta
- 3.2 Purushartha
- 3.3 Dharma and its Types

Unit – 4: Ethics in Action

- 4.1 Capital Punishment
- 4.2 Euthanasia
- 4.3 Media Ethics

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Generic Elective

(Examination to be held in the years May 2022, 2023 & 2024)

Course No. UPHTOE 605  
Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours  
Credits: 06

Course Title: Fundamentals of Ethics  
External Assessment: 80 Marks  
Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

**Notes for Paper Setting:**

**External End Semester Examinations (80 Marks, Time: 2 1/2 hours only)**

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**Internal Assessment Examination (20 Marks, Time: 1 Hour only):**

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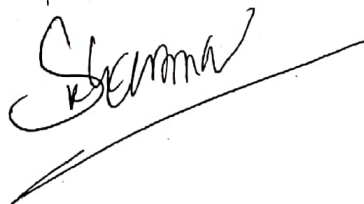
Course No. UPHTOE 605  
Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours  
Credits: 06

Course Title: Fundamentals of Ethics  
External Assessment: 80 Marks  
Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

**Part B:** Total weightage to this part shall be 50% of the internal assessment marks i.e. 10 % of the total marks or 10 marks out of 20 marks reserved for internal assessment. It will have 2 Long questions, selecting one each from first two units/50 % of the syllabus. A Candidate has to attempt any one question and the question shall carry 10 marks.

**Books Recommended:**

- *Karma, Causation and Retributive Morality* – R. Prasad
- *A Modern Introduction to Indian Ethics* – S.S. Barlingay
- *A Manual of Ethics*– J.N. Sinha
- Driver, Julia, *Ethics: The Fundamentals*
- Chadwick, R.F., ed. *Encyclopaedia of Applied Ethics*
- Rachels, James, *Elements of Moral Philosophy*
- Frey, R.G., and Wellman, C.H., *A Companion to Applied Ethics*



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Skill Enhancement Course

(Examination to be held in the years May 2022, 2023 and 2024)

Course Code: UPHTS-604  
Duration of Exam: 2<sup>1/2</sup> Hours  
Credits: 4

Course Title: Indian Yogic Traditions  
External Assessment: 80 Marks  
Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

**Objectives:** This course is designed to acquaint students with the theoretical as well as practical dimensions of Yoga. It aims at encouraging the students to master and employ the skills inherent in various Yogic practices to facilitate a harmonious development of body and mind.

Unit – 1: Introduction

- 1.1 Meaning and Essence of Yoga
- 1.2 Types of Yoga – Jnana Yoga, Karma Yoga, Bhakti Yoga, Hatha Yoga

Unit – 2: Patanjali's Yoga – Fundamentals

- 2.1 Yoga as chitta-vritti-nirodha
- 2.2 Five Bhumis and their nature

Unit – 3: Patanjali's Yoga – Eightfold Path

- 3.1 Bahiranga Sadhana – Yama, Niyama, Asana, Pranayama, Pratyahara
- 3.2 Antaranga Sadhana – Dharana, Dhyana, Samadhi

Unit – 4: Heterodox Conceptions

- 4.1 Buddhist Notion of Yoga
- 4.2 Jaina Notion of Yoga

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**Skill Enhancement Course**  
(Examination to be held in the years May 2022, 2023 & 2024)

**Course No. UPHTS 604**  
**Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours**  
**Credits: 04**

**Course Title: Indian Yogic Traditions**  
**External Assessment: 80 Marks**  
**Internal Assessment: 20 Marks**

**Notes for Paper Setting:**

**External End Semester Examinations (80 Marks, Time: 2 1/2 hours only)**

The External examinations in theory shall consist of the following:

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**Skill Enhancement Course**  
(Examination to be held in the years May 2022, 2023 & 2024)

Course No. UPHTS 604  
Duration of Exam: 2 1/2 hours  
Credits: 04

Course Title: Indian Yogic Traditions  
External Assessment: 80 Marks  
Internal Assessment: 20 Marks

**Part B:** Total weightage to this part shall be 50% of the internal assessment marks i.e. 10 % of the total marks or 10 marks out of 20 marks reserved for internal assessment. It will have 2 Long questions, selecting one each from first two units/50 % of the syllabus. A Candidate has to attempt any one question and the question shall carry 10 marks.

**Books Recommended:**

- *Yoga Philosophy of Patanjali* – H. Aranya
- *Yoga Philosophy in Relation to Other Systems of Indian Thought* – Dasgupta
- *Buddhist Yoga: A Comprehensive Course* – T. Cleary
- *Outlines of Jainism* – S. Gopalan
- *The Ethics of The Gita* – G.W. Kaveeshwar
- *Raja Yoga* – Swami Vivekananda
- *The Synthesis of Yoga* – Sri Aurobindo

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