

CATEGORY-IV

COMMON POOL OF GENERIC ELECTIVES (GE) COURSES OFFERED BY DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK

GENERIC ELECTIVES (GE-3): SOCIAL WORK WITH YOUTH

Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisites of the Course

Course title & Code	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility criteria	Pre-requisite of the course
		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/Practice		
SOCIAL WORK WITH YOUTH GE 3 SW 211	4	3	1	0	12th Pass	NIL

Learning Objectives

The Learning Objectives of this course are as follows:

- To understand the concept of youth, their developmental needs, concerns and challenges
- To gain understanding about the various policies and programmes concerning the Youth
- To identify the role of youth in the national development

Learning outcomes

At the end of the semester, the student will be able to

- Understand differential needs, concerns and challenges of the youth
- Develop insight about the effectiveness of various policies and programmes for the youth
- Know the significance and modalities of youth participation for the nation's development

SYLLABUS OF GE-3

Unit I: Understanding Youth Unit description: The unit will introduce with demographic profile of youth in India. The students will also learn about the needs and empowerment strategies for the youth in contemporary context.	15 Hours
Subtopics: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Concepts and perspectives of Youth Socio-demographic variables (like gender, caste, class, locale) influencing youth development and empowerment Youth Empowerment: Needs, Importance and strategies 	
Unit II: Challenges before Youth Unit description: This unit will introduce students with the challenges faced by the youth. The students will also learn about the intergenerational challenges in urban and rural context.	15 Hours
Subtopics: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Interpersonal concerns and dynamics: Urban and Rural youth, Intergenerational challenges faced by youth Youth Unrest, Unemployment, skill development, depression & suicidal tendency 	
Unit III: Youth Policies and Programme Unit description: This unit will introduce students with National policies and various programmes for youth development.	15 Hours
Subtopics: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> National Youth Policy Youth Development Programmes: National Cadet Corps (NCC), National Service Scheme(NSS), Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan (NYKS) Entrepreneurship schemes: Technology, and education for youth development 	
Unit IV: Social Work and Youth Unit description: This unit will help students to reflect upon the youth movement and leadership strategies. The students will also analyze the use of mass media and social work interventions.	15 Hours
Subtopics: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Youth movement and Leadership Effective use of mass media in advocacy, participation and awareness generation Social Work interventions with Youth 	

Practical component (if any) - NIL

Essential readings

- Barry, M. (2005). Youth Policy and Social Inclusion, Routledge, London.

- Deb, S., Majumdar, B.& Sunny A. M. (2022). Youth Development in India Future Generations in a Changing World, 1st, Edition Routledge India.
- Gill, J. (2009). Youth, Polity Press, UK.
- Kehily J.M (Etd.) (2007). Understanding Youth: Perspectives, identities & practices, Sage Publication, London.
- Mahadevan, U. Rozario, H K. Greesan, botcha, R. (ed.) (2016). Youth Development: Emerging Perspectives, Shipra Publications.
- Vasanti, R & Paul, D (2006). Youth and Globalisation, Proceedings of the workshop on youth and Globalisation, Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development, Sriperumbudur and TISS, Mumbai.
- Wood, J. & Hine, J. (2009). Theory and Policy for Practice, Sage Publication.

Suggested readings

- S. Narayanasamy (2003). Youth Development in The New Millennium, Discovery Publishing House
- Sarumathy, M. & Kalesh, H. (2007). Youth Policies and Programmes in South Asia Region, Rajiv Gandhi Institute of Youth Development, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports. GOI.

Note: Examination scheme and mode shall be as prescribed by the Examination Branch, University of Delhi, from time to time.