

Ahmednagar Jilha Maratha Vidya Prasarak Samaj's

New Arts, Commerce, and Science College

Ahmednagar (Autonomous)

(Affiliated to Savitribai Phule Pune University, Pune)



National Education Policy (NEP)
Choice Based Credit System (CBCS)

Programme Framework
B. A. - I (Gandhian Thought)

Implemented from
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Board of Studies in Philosophy

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1. Prologue/ Introduction of the programme:

Mahatma Gandhi and his principles have great relevance in this era of Globalisation. Violent conflict and instability disturb market and societies. A peaceful environment is pre requisite for successful life. Inclusive growth is necessary for sustainable development.

This course is designed to inculcate strong values in students and sensitise the youth to the problems of the marginalized. It aims at training the students in the art of participatory management and peaceful methods of conflict resolution. Though an interesting and well-planned mix of lectures, presentations, skits, films, social outreach programmes and other activities it aims at developing the overall personality of students by helping them discover their latent talents and instilling leadership qualities.

True education is not just coming out with a degree. It is how you change and what your values are when you finish. Peace is definitely good business and efforts to promote it certainly makes good business sense.

Mahatma Gandhi was one of the great supporters of upliftment of rural India because it was his contention that development of villages was a real task before the people. Our college department of Philosophy has introduced a Graduate course in

Gandhian Philosophy. This Subject is interdisciplinary in nature and it will be useful for the students whhis will be also useful for the Government servants and the socialworkers of the society. The students can do this course along with their regular course in the college.

Objectives of the Course:

1. To understand Mahatma Gandhi’s role in Indian freedom movement.
2. To study Philosophy of Mahatma Gandhi.
3. To study Social, Political and Economic ideas of Mahatma Gandhi.
4. To examine role of post Gandhian thinkers in the development of Gandhism.

2. Programme Outcomes (POs)

1. The Programme prepra stydents to perceive, understand and apprecaiate the socially relevant ideals of Gandhiji.
2. In a sense it equips young mind to select and pursue a socially desirable and globbly relevant field of study at the level of higher education.
3. While familiarizing the student’s with veries challenges and stages of achievaing peace through Gandhian Philosophy.
4. This course provides a detailed analisys of the simple leving, struggle for truth and principle of Non-Violence practiced and propagated by Mahatma Gandhi.
5. This course helps students to understands pre-independent social strucher and struggle of independent india through Gandhian Philosophy.

B. A. Programme Framework: Credit Distribution

Level / Difficulty	Sem	Subject-1				Subject -2	Subje ct-3	GE/OE	SEC	IK S	AE C	V E C	C C	Total
Certificate 4.5 / 100	I	04				04	04	2	-	2	2	2	2	22
	II	04				04	04	2	2	--	2	2	2	22
		Credits Related to Subject Selected as Major				Selecte d as Minor		GE/OE	SE C	IK S	AE C	V E C	C C	Total
		Major Core	Major Elective	VSC	FP / OJT/ CEP/R P									
Diploma	III	06	--	2	2 (FP)	04	--	02	2		2	--	2	22

5.0 / 200	IV	06	--	2	2 (CEP)	04	--	02	2	--	2	--	2	22
Degree 5.5 /300	V	10	04	2	2 (FP)	02	--	--	--	2	--	--	--	22
	VI	10	04	2	4 (OJT)	02	--	--	--		--	--	--	22
Total		40	08	08	10	18	08	08	06	04	08	04	08	132
6.0/400 Honours	VII	14	04	-	RM-04	-								22
	VIII	14	04	-	OJT-04	-								22
6.0/400 Honours with Research	VII	10	04	-	RM-04 RP-04	-								22
	VIII	10	04	-	RP-08									22
Total		68/60	16	08	18/26	18	08	08	06	04	08	04	08	176

B. A. Programme Framework: Course Distribution

Level / Difficulty	Sem	Subject-1				Subject -2	GE/OE	SEC	IKS	AEC	VEC	CC	Total
		Core	Elective	VSC	FP / OJT/ CEP								
Certificate 4.5 / 100	I	01				01	01	-	01	01	01	01	07
	II	01				01	01	01	--	01	01	01	07
		Credits Related to Subject Selected as Major				Minor	GE/OE	SEC	IKS	AEC	VEC	CC	Total
		Core	Elective	VSC	FP / OJT/ CEP								
Diploma 5.0 / 200	III	02		01	01	01	01			01	--	01	08
	IV	02		01	01	01	01			01	--	01	08
Degree 5.5 /300	V	03	01	01	01	01	--	--	01	--	--	--	08
	VI	03	01	01	01	01	--	--		--	--	--	07

NEP 2.0

Total		12	02	04	04	06	04	02	02	04	02	04	44
6.0/400 Honours	VII	04	01	-	RM-01								06
	VIII	04	01	-	OJT-01	-							06
6.0/400 Honours with Research	VIII	03	01	-	RM-01 RP-01	-							06
	VIII	03	01	-	RP-01								05
Total		18/16	04	04	06/07	06	04	02	02	04	02	04	56/55

B. A. -I (Gandhian Thought): Credits and Courses in Bracket

Level / Difficulty	Sem	Subject (Marathi)				IKS	Total
4.5 Certificate	I	04 (01)					04 (01)
	II	04 (01)				--	04 (01)
		Core	Elective	VSC	FP / OJT/ CEP		
5.0 Diploma	III	06 (02)		02 (01)	02 (01)		10 (04)
	IV	06 (02)		02 (01)	02 (01)		10 (04)
5.5 Degree	V	10 (03)	04 (01)	02 (01)	02 (01)	02 (01)	
	VI	10 (03)	04 (01)	02 (01)	04 (01)		
Total		40 (12)	08 (02)	08 (04)	10 (04)	02 (01)	
6.0 Honours	VII	14 (04)	04 (01)	-	RM-04	-	22 (06)
	VIII	14 (04)	04 (01)	-	OJT-04	-	22 (06)
6.0 Honours with Research	VII	10 (03)	04 (01)	-	RM-04 (01) RP-04 (01)	-	22 (06)
	VIII	10 (03)	04 (01)	-	RP-08 (01)		22 (05)

Programme Framework (Courses and Credits): B. A. Gandhian Thought

Sr. No.	Year	Semester	Level	Course Type	Course Code	Title	Credits
1.	I	I	4.5	DSC-01	BA-GT 111T	Introduction to Gandhian Thought	04
2.	I	II	4.5	DSC-02	BA-GT 121T	Gandhiji's Life and Philosophy	04
3.	II	III	5.0	DSC-03	BA-GT 231T	Social and Political Thoughts of Mahatma Gandhi	04
4.	II	IV	5.0	DSC-05	BA-GT 241T	Gandhian Thought and Contemporary Problems	04
5.	III	V	5.5	DSC-07	BA-GT 351T	Gandhian Movements and Followers of Gandhism	04
6.	III	VI	5.5	DSC-10	BA-GT 361T	Impact of Gandhism on Further Movements and Modern Philosophers	04

B. A. Gandhian Thought (Honours)

7.	IV	VII	6.0	DSC-16	BA-GT 471T	KLM	04
8.	IV	VII	6.0	DSC-17	BA-GT 472T	NOP	04
9.	IV	VII	6.0	DSC-18	BA-GT 473T	QRS	04
10.	IV	VII	6.0	DSC-19	BA-GT 474T	TUV	02
11.	IV	VII	6.0	DSE-03	BA-GT 475T	WXY	04
12.	IV	VII	6.0	RM-01	BA-GT 476T	ZAB	04
13.	IV	VIII	6.0	DSC-20	BA-GT 481T	CDE	04
14.	IV	VIII	6.0	DSC-21	BA-GT 482T	FGH	04
15.	IV	VIII	6.0	DSC-22	BA-GT 483T	IJK	04
16.	IV	VIII	6.0	DSC-23	BA-GT 484T	LMN	02
17.	IV	VIII	6.0	DSE-04	BA-GT 485T	OPQ	04
18.	IV	VIII	6.0	OJT-02	BA-GT 486P	RST	04

B. A. Gandhian Thought (Honours with Research)

24.	IV	VII	6.0	DSC-16	BA-GT 471T	KLM	04
25.	IV	VII	6.0	DSC-17	BA-GT 472T	NOP	04
26.	IV	VII	6.0	DSC-18	BA-GT 473T	TUV	02
27.	IV	VII	6.0	DSE-03	BA-GT 475T	WXY	04
28.	IV	VII	6.0	RM-01	BA-GT 476T	ZAB	04
29.	IV	VII	6.0	RP-01	BA-GT 477P	ABC	04
30.	IV	VIII	6.0	DSC-19	BA-GT 481T	CDE	04
31.	IV	VIII	6.0	DSC-20	BA-GT 482T	FGH	04
32.	IV	VIII	6.0	DSC-21	BA-GT 483T	IJK	02
33.	IV	VIII	6.0	DSE-04	BA-GT 485T	OPQ	04
34.	IV	VIII	6.0	PR-02	BA-GT 486P	RST	08

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Syllabus

B. A.-I (Gandhian Thought)

Title of the Course: Introduction to Gandhian Thought								
Year: I				Semester: I				
Course Type	Course Code	Credit Distribution		Credits	Allotted Hours	Allotted Marks		
		Theory	Practical			CIE	ESE	Total
DSC-01	BA-GT 111T	04	00	04	60	30	70	100

Learning Objectives: This course specially highlight the importance of Satya and non-violence adopted by Gandhi to advice peace of at individual, social and global level.

- 1) To introduce the students the life- Sketch, personality and the thoughts of Mahatma Gandhi for the development of student's nature as per the value-based education of Gandhian Philosophy.
- 2) To convey the importance of Gandhian values in different walks and work of Gandhiji's life.
- 3) To create awareness about the significance of Gandhian philosophy for academicians and life in general in students and common stakeholders.
- 4) Preparation of competitive examination regarding Gandhian philosophy

Course Outcomes (Cos):

- 1) This course prepares students to understand the life, Sketch, personality and work of Mahatma Gandhi.
- 2) The course provides learners the knowledge of life sketch and work of Gandhi.
- 3) This course builds knowledge about the role of civil society in building world peace.
- 4) This course helps the students to appreciate socio-economic and religious harmony.

Detailed Syllabus:

Unit -1. Biological Sketch of Mahatma Gandhi: (Allowed 15 lectures)

- a) Background of Gandhian era-Gandhiji's Life at a glance.
- b) Consistency between word and action, fearlessness, self-respect, emphasis in the use of resources, Strictness in discipline, justice, innovative attitude.

Unit -2. Sources of Gandhian Thought:

1) **Indian:** Upanishad, Geeta, Jaina Philosophy and Bouddha Philosophy

2) **Western:** Socrates, Ruskin, Tolstoy, Thoreau, Emerson and Martin Luther King,

Unit- 3. Gandhiji's role as:

Social reformer, Political leader, Satyagrahi, Spiritual revolutionary and Sarvodayi.

Unit – 4. Philosophy of Mahatma Gandhi: (Allowed 15 lectures)

a) **Origin, Meaning and nature of Satya**

b) **Origin, Meaning and nature of Ahimsa**

c) **Origin, Meaning and nature of Satyagraha**

Suggested Readings/Material:-

1) Gandhi M.K., My Experiments with Truth, Navajivan, Ahmedabad, 1957.

2) Gandhi M.K., Satyagraha in South Africa, Navajivan, Ahmedabad, 1928.

3) Bose N.K Selection from Gandhi, Navajivan, Ahmedabad, 1957.

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Syllabus

B. A.-I (Gandhian Thought)

Title of the Course: Gandhiji's Development and Philosophical Ideology								
Year: I				Semester: II				
Course Type	Course Code	Credit Distribution		Credits	Allotted Hours	Allotted Marks		
		Theory	Practical			CIE	ESE	Total
DSC-02	BA-GT 121T	04	00	04	60	30	70	100

Learning Objectives:

- 1) To introduce the students the life- Sketch, personality and the thoughts of Mahatma Gandhi for the development of student's nature as per the value-based education of Gandhian Philosophy.
- 2) To convey the importance of Gandhian values in different conceptions of work.
- 3) To create awareness about the significance of Gandhian philosophy for academicians and life in general in students and common stakeholders.
- 4) Preparation of competitive examination regarding Gandhian philosophy.

Course Outcomes (Cos):

- 1) This course prepares students to understand the fundamental conceptual work of Mahatma Gandhi.
- 2) The course provides learners the knowledge of Religious, Moral and Social thoughts.
- 3) This course builds knowledge about the role of civil society in building world peace.
- 4) This course helps the students to appreciate socio-economic and religious harmony.
- 5) This course specially highlights the importance of Satya and non-violence adopted by Gandhi to advice peace of at individual, social and global level.

Detailed Syllabus:

Unit-1. Introduction:- (Allotted 15 Lectures)

- a) Early childhood: Psychological, Social and Religious influence.
- b) Influence of personality like Swami Vivekanand, Rajaram Mohan Roy, Raychandbhai and Gopal Krishna Gokhale

Unit-2. Gandhiji on Spiritual ideology: - (Allotted 15 Lectures)

- a) Concepts of Self, Inner Voice, Faith and God.
- b) Hinduism, Jainism, Buddhism, Christianity, Islam and Sarva-dharma-sambhava.

Unit 3. Gandhiji Ethical Issues :- (Allotted 15 Lectures)

Dignity of Labour, Anasakti Yoga, Theory of Means and Ends, Ekadahavrata and Sapta Samajik Patakas (Sins).

Unit- 4. Gandhiji on Social Issues :- (Allowed 15 lectures)

War, Peace, Conflicts resolutions, Pacifism, Untouchability and **Sarvodaya**

Suggested Readings/Material:

1. My Experiments of Truth (Autobiography) – Gandhiji.
2. Gandhi-His Life and Thought – J. B. Kripalani
3. Philosophy of Gandhi – M. U. Dutt.
4. Mahatma Gandhi – Early Phase – Pyarelal.
5. Hindu Dharma (Gandhiji) – M.K. Gandhi.
6. Ashram observance in Action – M.K. Gandhi.
7. Hind Swaraj – M.K. Gandhi.
8. Ethical Religion – M.K. Gandhi.
9. Atma Kathe or Nanna Satyanveshane – Gandhi.
10. Dharma – Neeti – Geetha Mathe – Gandhi.