VIVEKANAND COLLEGE, KOLHAPUR SYLLABUS

CBCS SYSTEM

B. A. Part - I

DSE (Discipline Specific Elective)

Introduction to Physical Geography Core Course-1 June 2021 onwards

SEMESTER-I

Modules	Module Title	Teaching Hours	Credits
Module 1	Introduction to Physical Geography	15	01
	1.1 Meaning & Definitions of Physical Geography		
	1.2 Scope of Physical Geography		
	1.3 Branches of Physical Geography		
	1.4 Importance of Physical Geography		
Module 2	Lithosphere	15	01
	2.1 History of Evaluation of the Earth		
	2.2 The Earth Interior: Composition and Structure		
	2.3 Wegener's Theory of Continental Drift		
	2.4 Plate Tectonic Theory		
Module 3	Atmosphere	15	01
	3.1 Meaning & Definitions of Atmosphere		
	3.2 Composition and Structure of Atmosphere		
	3.3 Insolation, Heat Balance & Temperature		
	3.4 Air Pressure & Planetary Winds		
	3.5 Precipitation: Rainfall & its types		
Module 4	Practical (Only Theory)	15	01
	4.1 Introduction to GIS: Meaning, Definition, Elements & Application		
	4.2 GPS: Meaning, Elements & Applications		

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DSE (Discipline Specific Elective) -1022B Human Geography Core Course-1 June 2021 onwards

June 2021 onwards SEMESTER—II

Course Objectives: The course aims to introduce basic conceptual framework of Human Geography. It focuses on cultivating basic knowledge through understanding and analysis of the fundamental concepts in Human Geography as well as advanced techniques in Geography.

Learning Outcomes: At the end of this course students are expected to have a holistic understanding of fundamental concepts of Human Geography and thereby be able to understand human related issues.

Modules	Module Title	Teaching Hours	Credits
Module 1	Introduction to Human Geography	15	01
ı	1.1 Human Geography: Definitions, Nature & Scope		
	1.2 Branches of Human Geography		
	1.3 Significance of Human Geography		
	1.4 Recent Trends in Human Geography		
Module 2	Human Races	15	01
	2.1 Human Evolution: Stages & Processes		
	2.2 Human Race: Meaning, & Definition		
	2.3 The Bases of Racial Classification		
	2.4 Major Racial Groups of the World		
Module 3	World Population & Migration	15	01
	3.1 World Population Growth		
	3.2 Factors Affecting on the Distribution of the World		
	Population		
	3.3 Malthus Theory of Population Growth		
	3.4 Concepts: Over, Under & Optimum population		
	3.5 Migration: Causes, Types & Consequences		
Module 4	Practical (Theory Only)	15	01
	4.1 Introduction to Google Earth		
	4.2 Application of Google Earth		
	i. Point, Line & Polygon		
	ii. Landscape: Area Measurement		

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