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Anthropology Syllabus

M.A./M.Sc Ist Year



Sri Dev Suman Uttarakhand University.

Common Minimum Syllabus for University Campus and all Affiliated College of



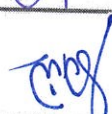

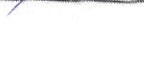

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Syllabus

for

M.A/M.Sc I year (Semester I & II) Anthropology

As Per National Education Policy 2020

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colleges for First year

(M.A/ M.Sc One year P.G Programme for those who have Completed Four years NEP Graduate Programme)

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Proposed Syllabus

NEP Post Graduate Programme in Anthropology

(M.A/ M.Sc One year P.G Programme for those who have Completed Four years NEP Graduate Programme)

M.A/M.Sc I Year

Year	Sem	Course Paper	Credit	Research Project	Credit
First Year	I st	ANTH901(T) Medical Anthropology I st	4	ANTH907 (Rp.) Research Project Medical Anthropol ogy	4
		ANTH902(T)Medical Anthropology II st	4		
		Optional-1 Physical Anthropology ANTH903(T)Human Evolution and Variation	4		
		Optional-2 Social Anthropology ANTH904(T)Tribal India	4		
		ANTH905(T)Applied and Action Anthropology	4		
		ANTH906 (P) Practical Finger and palm print with Ridge Counting	4		
	II nd	ANTH1001(T) Indian Anthropology	4	ANTH1007 (Rp.) Research Project	4
		ANTH1002 (T) Ecological Anthropology	4		
		Optional-1 Physical Anthropology ANTH1003(T) Human Growth and development	4		
		Optional-2 Social Anthropology ANTH1004 (T) Theory of Social Anthropology	4		
		ANTH1005(T) Anthropology of Development	4		
		ANTH1006 (P) Dissertation	4		

Prof. H.B.S. Chauhan
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Programme : Under Graduate in B.A/B.sc	
Year: I	Semester: I
Subject: Anthropology	
Course Code: ANTH-901(T)	Paper I Medical Anthropology I*
Course Outcomes: * The students will learn about the Medical Anthropology : Historical roots, Theoretical orientation in medical Anthropology, Medical system as Social system, Medical system as Adaptive system and Health care delivery system.	
Credits: 04	Max. Marks: 25+75
Unit	Course Content
1	Medical Anthropology : Historical roots ; Definition , Aims and Scope. 10
2	2.Theoretical orientation in medical Anthropology 10 a. Classificatory Approach –W.H.R. rivers. b. Culture – trait approach – forest clement. c. Structural , functional and Cultural Configurational Approach. E.H. Ackerknecht, margaret mead, benjamin D paul, George M. foster. Recent trends Alexander Alland, frederich L.dunn, horacio fabrega, arthur kleiman, Allan young, Cecil Hellman, Browner d. Growth of Medical Anthropology in India.
3	3. Medical systems as cultural systems : illness disease dichotomy ; illness etiologies; illness classification and perception ; professional, folk and popular sectors in medical systems. b. Medical system as Social system c. Medical system as Adaptive system.
4	d. Health culture 4. Health care delivery system: Institutional settings cures: Role and status , Therapeutic interview(Doctor- patient relationship) ; public health , preventative measures. 10
No. of lectures/ hrs (40)	10

M.A.

Programme : Under Graduate in B.A/B.sc		Year: 1	Semester: I	Subject: Anthropology		Course Code: ANTH-902(T)	Course Title: Paper II Medical Anthropology II nd	Course Outcomes: The students will learn about the Folk Psychiatry : Culture change and mental illness, Medical pluralism ; cosmopolitan , regional and local medical systems, Implications of medical anthropology in international health care planning and Traditional Medicines in the central Himalayas.	Credits: 04	Max. Marks: 25+75
Unit	Course Content	No. of lectures/ hrs (40)								
1	Folk Psychiatry : Culture change and mental illness ; therapeutic elements in magico-religious healing techniques ; illness and social control.	10								
2	Medical pluralism ; cosmopolitan , regional and local medical systems ; interaction between different systems of medicine ; therapeutic management group; (choice pattern and decision making) ; ambiguities in medical revivalism ; community health workers scheme ; politics of health services.	10								
3	Implications of medical anthropology in international health care planning ; integration of different systems of medicine ; strength and Weakness of Traditional Systems ; health for All by 2000 A.D.	10								
4	Traditional Medicines in the central Himalayas specialized , generalized	10								

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Recommended Readings:

1. P.C joshi- medical anthropology of India

2. Dr. M.M Iawaniya and Shashi k Jain – Medical sociology

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Programme : Under Graduate in B.A/B.sc		Year: I	Semester: I
Subject: Anthropology			
Optional -1 (Physical Anthropology) Course Code: ANTH-903(T)		Paper III Human Evolution and Variation	
Course Outcomes: The students will learn about the Evolutionary Record; Early revolutionary History, Primate evolution, Paleoanthropology and Homo Erectus, Pleistocene Home erectus Javanensis, Pekinensis.			
Credits: 04		Max. Marks: 25+75	
Unit	Course Content	No. of lectures/ hrs (40)	
1	Evolutionary Record; Early revolutionary History ; Paleozoic Era ; Mesozoic Era; Cenozoic Era.	10	
2	Primate evolution: Time scale, Earliest primates, Paleocene primates, Oligocene primates Propliopithecus, Aegyptopithecus, Miocene primate; Paleogeography and Miocene Hominid Evolution, Dryopithecus, Ramapithecus/ Sivapithecus.	10	
3	Paleoanthropology : Definition of Hominids, bio cultural Evolution ,	10	

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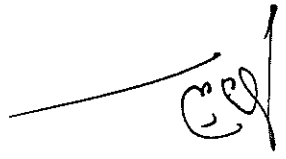
	and home medicines sectors, forms of traditional medicines natural and supernatural .
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Programme : Under Graduate in B.A/B.sc	
Year: I	Semester: I

Book Recommended :

1. Strickberger, M.W genetics .
2. McKusic. V.A Human genetics.
3. Stern curt – principles of human genetics
4. Leuitan & mantagn – A text book of human genetics
5. Horrision et al, Human biology, Giblett, E.R – Genetic markers in human blood.
6. B.M das – physical Anthropology .



human as a tool maker, Plio- Pleistocene hominids; history of discovery of Plio-Pleistocene hominids – Earliest Discoveries, Australopithecus-Africans, Robustus, Afarensis, Meganthropus Homo habits, Plio-Pleistocene Hominids- organization and interpretation.	
Homo Erectus, Pleistocene Home erectus Javanensis, Pekinensis, Heidelberg jaw; vertessollas, terra Amata , Narnada man. Homo Erectus – Distribution, human emergence – Australopithecus to home Erectus.	10
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Subject: Anthropology		Course Title: Paper IV Tribal India	(Social Anthropology) Course Code: ANTH-904(T)
Course Outcomes: The students will learn about the Concept of tribe in Indian context, Tribal societies in changing prospective, Social Change in tribal societies: A historical perspective and Social change in contemporary period .			
Credits: 04		Max. Marks: 25+75	
Unit	Course Content	No. of lectures/ hrs (40)	
1	Concept of tribe in Indian context .	10	
2	Tribal societies in changing prospective (i) Pre colonial period (ii) Colonial period (iii) Post independence	10	
3	Social Change in tribal societies : A historical perspective (1) Tribe – cast interaction (ii) Economic and political factors of change (iii) Tribal uprising	10	
4	Social change in contemporary period (i) Political democracy (ii) Constitutional safeguards in modern India (iii) Industrialization and urbanization	10	

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Programme : Under Graduate in B.A/B.sc		Year: I	Semester: I
Subject: Anthropology			
Course Code: ANTH-905(T)		Course Title: Paper V Applied and Action Anthropology	
Course Outcomes: The students will learn about the Applied Anthropology : history ; Aims & Scope Applied and Action Anthropology, Anthropology and tourism sacred geography, Anthropology and SC/ST policy, Anthropology as a museum subject museums in India and World .			
Credits: 04		Max. Marks: 25+75	
Unit	Course Content	No. of lectures/ hrs (40)	
1	Applied Anthropology : history ; Aims & Scope Applied and Action Anthropology .	10	
2	Anthropology and tourism sacred geography.	10	
3	Anthropology and SC/ST policy: constitutional safeguards and implementations.	10	
4	Anthropology as a museum subject museums in India and World; Methodology of collection of Anthropological objects through field works; Documentation including visual documentation and use of computer storage and retrieval procedures ; methods of handling , restoration. Conservation and preservation . methods of display and Exhibition ; Role of Anthropological museums in Community life and national integration.	10	

Recommended Readings:

1. Applied and Action anthropology by L.P. vidiyarthi

Subject: Anthropology	
Year: I	Semester: I
Programme : Under Graduate in B.A/B.sc	

M.A/M. Sc II Year

- Recommended Readings:
- 1- Das B. M. & Rajan Deka. : Physical Anthropology Practical.
 - 2- Shukla B.R.K. and Rastogi: Laboratory Manual of Physical Anthropology.
 - 3- Agnihotri B. Practical Physical Anthropology.

Unit		Course Content	No. of lectures/ hrs (40)
1	Theory of Dermatoglyphic.		
2	Identification of finger print and Palm Print. Ridge Counting.		
Credits: 04		Max. Marks: 25+75	
Course Outcomes: The students will learn about the Theory of Dermatoglyphic. Identification of finger print and Palm Print. Ridge Counting.			
Course Code: ANTH-906(P)		Finger and palm print with Ridge Counting	
Course Title:		Paper VI (Practical)	
Subject: Anthropology			
Year: I		Semester: I	
Programme : Under Graduate in B.A/B.sc			

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2. B.M das – physical Anthropology

Programme : Post Graduate in M.A/M.Sc 1 st year	
Year: 1	Semester II

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- Recommended Readings:
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Course Code: ANTH-907(Pr.)	Course Title: Paper VII Research Project	Course Outcomes: The students will learn about the home remedies of Uttarakhand	
		Credits: 04.	Max. Marks: 25+75
Unit	Course Content	No. of lectures/ hrs (40)	1
			Prepared a Project Report on any disease.

Subject: Anthropology

Course Title:

Paper I

Indian Anthropology

Course Code: ANTH-1001(T)

Course Outcomes:
The students will learn about the Growth and Development of Indian Anthropology, Applied and Action Anthropology in India, Tribe and Cast a jury of Tribal community in India and Anthropological Approaches in National Character Studies.

Credits: 04

Max. Marks: 25+75

Unit	Course Content	No. of lectures/ hrs (40)
1	Growth and Development of Indian Anthropology there places formulating, Description and Anatopical.	10
2	Applied and Action Anthropology in India.	10
3	Applied and Action Anthropology, Tribe and Cast a Jury of Tribal community in India geography, languages, economy and social organization	10
4	Anthropological Approaches in National Character Studies.	10

Recommended Readings:

1. Nadeem hasnan – Indian Anthropology



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Year: I		Semester II	
Subject: Anthropology			
Course Code: ANTH-1002(T)		Ecological Anthropology	
Course Title:		Paper II	
<p>Course Outcomes: The students will learn about the Ecological Anthropology, History of Ecological Anthropology, and Environment and Habitat.</p>			
Credits: 04		Max. Marks: 25+75	
Unit	Course Content	No. of lectures/ hrs (40)	
1	Ecological Anthropology: Aims and scope.	10	
2	History of Ecological Anthropology: Contribution of Julian steward; Leslie white	10	
3	Environment and Habitat : Evolution of Dwelling Forms; major types of settlement patterns in India; house types and construction techniques.	10	
4	Environment and Habitat: Hunting - gathering , Horticulturist: pastoral; shifting cultivation, agro Pastoralism. Himalayan Ecosystem - Man Nature interaction , The symbolic relationship : man , Nature and spirit (Maler): man , Nature and animal .	10	

1. Birdsell, J.B.: Human Evolution: An Introduction to new Physical Anthropology.
 2. Bodemer & S Forza : Genetic Structure of Human Population

Books Recommended:

Year: I		Semester II	
Subject: Anthropology			
Optional-I		Paper III	
Course Code: ANTH-1003(T)		Human Growth and development	
(Physical Anthropology)		Course Title:	
<p>Course Outcomes: The students will learn about the Definition and Concept of growth, Stages of Growth, Factors affecting growth genetic and Importance of Age recording and Decimal Age in growth studies.</p>			
Credits: 04		Max. Marks: 25+75	
Unit	Course Content	No. of lectures/ hrs (40)	
1	Definition and Concept of growth, differentiation Maturation and Development .	10	
2	Stages of Growth – prenatal, Infancy; childhood ; Adolescence ; Maturity ; senescence; gerontology.	10	
3	Factors affecting growth genetic , Environmental Harmonal, socio-economic, secular trends .	10	
4	Importance of Age recording and Decimal Age in growth studies. Methods of studying human growth and development longitudinal, cross sectional and mixed longitudinal ; growth curves ; measurements employed in the study of human growth and development , analysis of human physique and body composition- Sheldon Parnell, Health- caste method of Somatotyping. Nutrition and type.	10	

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3. Hartal, Daniel : Human Genetics,
4. Li, C.C.: Human Genetics
5. Shukla, B.R.K., and Rastogi, S.: Physical Anthropology and Human Genetics
6. Stern, Curt : Principles of Human Genetics.
7. Dumont, Louis: Homo Hierarchicus.
8. B.R.K Shukla and Sudha Rastogi- physical Anthropology and Human genetics
9. Stern curt- Principles of Human genetics

Programme Post Graduate in M.A/M.Sc	
Year: I	Semester II
Subject: Anthropology	
Optional-2 (Social Anthropology) Course Code: ANTH-1004(T)	Course Title: Paper IV Theory of Social Anthropology
Course Outcomes: The students will learn about the Growth and Development of Social Anthropology, Evolutionism, Diffusionism and Functionalism and structural Functionalism.	
Functionalism and structural Functionalism Credits: 04 Max. Marks: 25+75	
Unit	Course Content
1	Growth and Development of Social Anthropology.
2	Evolutionism: Bachofen, McLennan, Maine; Morgan Taylor, Frazer.
3	Diffusionism : British Diffusionism Elliot Smith W.H.R. Rivers,
No. of lectures/ hrs (40)	10

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Programme : Post Graduate in M.A/M.Sc I year	
Year: I	Semester II
Subject: Anthropology	
Course Code: ANTH-1005(T)	Course Title: Paper V Anthropology of Development
Course Outcomes: The students will learn about the Growth and Development of Social Anthropology, Evolutionism, Diffusionism andn Functionalism and structural Functionalism.	
Credits: 04	Max. Marks: 25+75
Unit	Course Content
1	Development : Meaning and evolution of the concept , Approaches and Strategies of development in India.
2	Poverty and development , social justices and Equity , poverty alleviation programs, Human Resource Development (HRD).
10	No. of lectures/ hrs (40)
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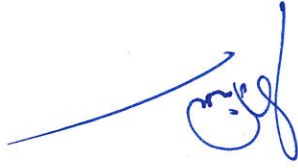
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- Recommended Books:**
1. W.J Goode and P.K Hart(1952) Methods in Social research. Me Graw Hill Co, New Delhi.
 2. Marvin Harris (2001) Rise of Anthropological Theory Altamira press , Walnut creek , C.A
 3. Makhan Jha : Anthropological theory
 4. Gaya pandey; Anthropological theory (Classical and modern)

4	German Diffusionism (Schmid; Graebner); American Diffusionism (Boas; Kroeber) ; culture area Approach.
10	Functionalism and structural Functionalism B.Malinowski; A.R. Radcliffe – brown.

Course Code: ANTH-1006(P)		Course Title:
Subject: Anthropology		
Year: I	Semester II	
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1. Chansarkar, B.A.: Models of planning in India
2. Cochran: Development Anthropology
3. Dey, Nish : overcoming under Development
4. Prasad , Kamta: planning for poverty Allivation
5. Spicer , E.H.:Human factor in Technological changes
6. Chan sharkar, B.A: Models of planning in India

Books Recommended:

3	Planning : concepts, policy and process Agencies for development : Government and Non-governmental people participation.	10
4	Rural Development : land reforms , C.D.P. Panchayati raj, tribal development , constitutional provisions for development of scheduled castes and scheduled tribes , administration of scheduled arias , socio cultural factors in development with case studies.	10

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Course Code: ANTH1007(Pr.)	Course Title:
Subject: Anthropology	
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1. Goode & Hatt. Method in Social Research
2. Young, P.V. Scientific Social Surveys and Research
3. Danda, Ajit, Methodology in Anthropology, Inter India, New Delhi
4. Anuja, R, Research Methods
5. Bartlett, F.C. The study of Society (selected chapter)

Books Recommended:

Paper VI	
Dissertation -	
Course Outcomes: The students will learn about the Short Research .	
Credits: 04	Max. Marks: 25/75
Unit	Course Content
No. of lectures/ hrs (40)	Field work is conducted for Twenty days in any tribal and backward area of India. under the supervision of One or Two faculty members of the department of Anthropology . Then the candidate will be eligible for presentation of the dissertation. A dissertation will be presented on the basis of the field work and a viva-voice examination will be conducted on

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