

# **Department of Psychology**

## **B.Sc. (Hons.) Psychology Curriculum**

*(Applicable to the students admitted from AY: 2024 onwards)*



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## ABBREVIATIONS

|      |  |                                                                         |
|------|--|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| AEC  |  | Ability Enhancement Courses                                             |
| VAC  |  | Value Added Courses                                                     |
| SEC  |  | Skill Enhancement Courses                                               |
| FIC  |  | Foundation & Interdisciplinary Courses                                  |
| OE   |  | Open Elective                                                           |
| RDIP |  | Research / Design / Industrial Practice / Project / Thesis / Internship |
| CE   |  | Core Elective                                                           |
| CC   |  | Core Course                                                             |
| SE   |  | Stream Elective                                                         |
| TE   |  | Technical Elective                                                      |

| SEMESTER - I   |          |              |                                                        |    |     |      |    |
|----------------|----------|--------------|--------------------------------------------------------|----|-----|------|----|
| S. No          | Category | Sub-Category | Course Title                                           | L  | T/D | P/Pr | C  |
| 1              | AEC      | U AEC        | Art of Listening, Speaking and Reading Skills          | 1  | 0   | 1    | 2  |
| 2              | VAC      | U VAC        | Environmental Science                                  | 2  | 0   | 0    | 2  |
| 3              | SEC      | S SEC        | Digital Literacy                                       | 1  | 1   | 0    | 2  |
| 4              | FIC      | S FIC        | Emerging Technologies                                  | 2  | 0   | 0    | 2  |
| 5              | FIC      | S FIC        | Understanding Human Minds                              | 3  | 0   | 1    | 4  |
| 6              | FIC      | S FIC        | Understanding the Indian Constitution                  | 3  | 0   | 1    | 4  |
| 7              | FIC      | S FIC        | Understanding Indian Society(ies): Myths and Realities | 3  | 1   | 0    | 4  |
| Semester Total |          |              |                                                        | 15 | 2   | 3    | 20 |

| SEMESTER - II  |          |              |                                           |    |     |      |    |
|----------------|----------|--------------|-------------------------------------------|----|-----|------|----|
| S. No          | Category | Sub-Category | Course Title                              | L  | T/D | P/Pr | C  |
| 1              | AEC      | U AEC        | Effective Writing and Presentation Skills | 1  | 0   | 1    | 2  |
| 2              | VAC      | U VAC        | Universal Human Values and Ethics         | 2  | 0   | 0    | 2  |
| 3              | SEC      | S SEC        | Entrepreneurial Mindset                   | 2  | 0   | 0    | 2  |
| 4              | FIC      | S FIC        | Economics in Everyday Life                | 4  | 0   | 0    | 4  |
| 5              | Core     | CC           | Social Psychology                         | 3  | 1   | 0    | 4  |
| 6              | Core     | CC           | Developmental Psychology - I              | 3  | 1   | 0    | 4  |
| 7              | Elective | OE           | Open Elective                             | 3  | 0   | 0    | 3  |
| Semester Total |          |              |                                           | 18 | 2   | 1    | 21 |

| SEMESTER – III |          |              |                                                  |    |     |      |    |
|----------------|----------|--------------|--------------------------------------------------|----|-----|------|----|
| S. No          | Category | Sub-Category | Course Title                                     | L  | T/D | P/Pr | C  |
| 1              | AEC      | U AEC        | Creativity and Critical thinking Skills          | 1  | 0   | 1    | 2  |
| 2              | VAC      | U VAC        | Co-Curricular Activities                         | 0  | 0   | 2    | 2* |
| 3              | VAC      | U VAC        | Community Service and Social Responsibility      | 0  | 0   | 2    | 2* |
| 4              | SEC      | D SEC        | Analytical Reasoning and Aptitude Skills- Basics | 0  | 2   | 1    | 3  |
| 5              | Core     | CC           | Theories of Personality                          | 3  | 0   | 1    | 4  |
| 6              | Core     | CC           | Developmental Psychology – II                    | 3  | 1   | 0    | 4  |
| 7              | Core     | CC           | Foundations of Clinical Psychology               | 3  | 1   | 0    | 4  |
| 8              | Core     | CC           | Cognitive Psychology                             | 3  | 1   | 0    | 4  |
| 9              | RDIP     | RDIP         | Summer Immersion                                 | 0  | 0   | 2    | 2  |
| 10             | Elective | OE           | Open Elective / Minor                            | 3  | 0   | 0    | 3  |
| Semester Total |          |              |                                                  | 17 | 4   | 5    | 26 |

| SEMESTER - IV  |          |              |                                |    |     |      |    |
|----------------|----------|--------------|--------------------------------|----|-----|------|----|
| S. No          | Category | Sub-Category | Course Title                   | L  | T/D | P/Pr | C  |
| 1              | AEC      | S AEC        | LEADERSHIP AND TEAMWORK        | 2  | 0   | 0    | 2  |
| 2              | VAC      | U VAC        | Co-Curricular Activities       | 0  | 0   | 2    | 2* |
| 3              | SEC      | D SEC        | Leadership Communication       | 2  | 0   | 0    | 2  |
| 4              | Core     | CC           | Psychology Practical's         | 0  | 0   | 4    | 4  |
| 5              | Core     | CC           | Statistics for Social Sciences | 3  | 1   | 0    | 4  |
| 6              | Core     | CC           | Research Methodology           | 3  | 1   | 0    | 4  |
| 7              | Core     | CC           | Psychological Assessment       | 2  | 0   | 2    | 4  |
| 8              | Elective | OE           | Open Elective / Minor          | 3  | 0   | 0    | 3  |
| Semester Total |          |              |                                | 15 | 2   | 6    | 23 |

| SEMESTER - V   |          |              |                          |    |     |      |    |
|----------------|----------|--------------|--------------------------|----|-----|------|----|
| S. No          | Category | Sub-Category | Course Title             | L  | T/D | P/Pr | C  |
| 1              | VAC      | U VAC        | Co-Curricular Activities | 0  | 0   | 2    | 2* |
| 2              | SEC      | E SEC        | Career Skills - I        | 3  | 0   | 0    | 3  |
| 3              | Elective | CE           | Core Elective            | 3  | 1   | 0    | 4  |
| 4              | Elective | CE           | Core Elective            | 3  | 1   | 0    | 4  |
| 5              | Elective | CE           | Core Elective            | 3  | 1   | 0    | 4  |
| 6              | Elective | OE           | Open Elective / Minor    | 3  | 0   | 0    | 3  |
| 7              | RDIP     | RDIP         | Field Internship         | 0  | 0   | 4    | 4  |
| Semester Total |          |              |                          | 15 | 3   | 8    | 22 |

| SEMESTER - VI  |          |              |                          |    |     |      |    |
|----------------|----------|--------------|--------------------------|----|-----|------|----|
| S. No          | Category | Sub-Category | Course Title             | L  | T/D | P/Pr | C  |
| 1              | VAC      | U VAC        | Co-Curricular activities | 0  | 0   | 2    | 2  |
| 2              | SEC      | E SEC        | Career Skill - II        | 3  | 0   | 0    | 3  |
| 3              | Elective | CE           | Core Elective            | 3  | 1   | 0    | 4  |
| 4              | Elective | CE           | Core Elective            | 3  | 1   | 0    | 4  |
| 5              | Elective | OE           | Open Elective / Minor    | 3  | 0   | 0    | 3  |
| 6              | RDIP     | RDIP         | Research Project         | 0  | 0   | 4    | 4  |
| Semester Total |          |              |                          | 12 | 2   | 6    | 20 |

| SEMESTER – VII(B.sc Hons) |          |              |                                            |    |     |      |    |
|---------------------------|----------|--------------|--------------------------------------------|----|-----|------|----|
| S. No                     | Category | Sub-Category | Course Title                               | L  | T/D | P/Pr | C  |
| 1                         | Core     | CC           | Advanced Quantitative Research Methodology | 3  | 1   | 0    | 4  |
| 2                         | Core     | CC           | Advanced Qualitative Research Methodology  | 3  | 1   | 0    | 4  |
| 3                         | Core     | CC           | Academic Writing for Psychology            | 3  | 1   | 0    | 4  |
| 4                         | Core     | CC           | Psychological Interventions                | 3  | 1   | 0    | 4  |
| Semester Total            |          |              |                                            | 12 | 4   | 0    | 16 |

| SEMESTER – VII(B.sc Hons with Research) |          |              |                                            |    |     |      |    |
|-----------------------------------------|----------|--------------|--------------------------------------------|----|-----|------|----|
| S. No                                   | Category | Sub-Category | Course Title                               | L  | T/D | P/Pr | C  |
| 1                                       | Core     | CC           | Advanced Quantitative Research Methodology | 3  | 1   | 0    | 4  |
| 2                                       | Core     | CC           | Advanced Qualitative Research Methodology  | 3  | 1   | 0    | 4  |
| 3                                       | Core     | CC           | Academic Writing for Psychology            | 3  | 1   | 0    | 4  |
| 4                                       | Core     | CC           | Psychological Interventions                | 3  | 1   | 0    | 4  |
| Semester Total                          |          |              |                                            | 12 | 4   | 0    | 16 |

| SEMESTER - VIII(B.sc Hons) |          |              |                               |   |     |      |    |
|----------------------------|----------|--------------|-------------------------------|---|-----|------|----|
| S. No                      | Category | Sub-Category | Course Title                  | L | T/D | P/Pr | C  |
| 1                          | RDIP     | RDIP         | Applied Psychology Internship | 0 | 0   | 14   | 14 |
| Semester Total             |          |              |                               | 0 | 0   | 14   | 14 |

| SEMESTER - VIII(B.sc Hons with Research) |          |              |              |   |     |      |    |
|------------------------------------------|----------|--------------|--------------|---|-----|------|----|
| S. No                                    | Category | Sub-Category | Course Title | L | T/D | P/Pr | C  |
| 1                                        | RDIP     | RDIP         | Dissertation | 0 | 0   | 14   | 14 |
| Semester Total                           |          |              |              | 0 | 0   | 14   | 14 |

| Minors |          |              |                                            |   |     |      |   |
|--------|----------|--------------|--------------------------------------------|---|-----|------|---|
| S. No  | Category | Sub-Category | Course Title                               | L | T/D | P/Pr | C |
| 1      | Elective | OE           | Psychology for Everyday Living             | 3 | 0   | 0    | 3 |
| 2      | Elective | OE           | Psychology for Interpersonal Relationships | 3 | 0   | 0    | 3 |
| 3      | Elective | OE           | Stress Management and Strategies           | 3 | 0   | 0    | 3 |
| 4      | Elective | OE           | Positive Psychology                        | 3 | 0   | 0    | 3 |
| 5      | Elective | OE           | Sports Psychology                          | 3 | 0   | 0    | 3 |
| 6      | Elective | OE           | Health Psychology                          | 3 | 0   | 0    | 3 |

| Core Electives |          |              |                          |   |     |      |   |
|----------------|----------|--------------|--------------------------|---|-----|------|---|
| S. No          | Category | Sub-Category | Course Title             | L | T/D | P/Pr | C |
| 1              | Elective | CE           | Positive Psychology      | 3 | 1   | 0    | 4 |
| 2              | Elective | CE           | Guidance and Counselling | 3 | 1   | 0    | 4 |
| 3              | Elective | CE           | Organizational Behaviour | 3 | 1   | 0    | 4 |
| 4              | Elective | CE           | Forensic Psychology      | 3 | 1   | 0    | 4 |
| 5              | Elective | CE           | Sports Psychology        | 3 | 1   | 0    | 4 |
| 6              | Elective | CE           | Health Psychology        | 3 | 1   | 0    | 4 |
| 7              | Elective | CE           | Educational Psychology   | 3 | 1   | 0    | 4 |

| Career Skill Courses |          |              |                                        |   |     |      |   |
|----------------------|----------|--------------|----------------------------------------|---|-----|------|---|
| S. No                | Category | Sub-Category | Course Title                           | L | T/D | P/Pr | C |
| 1                    | SEC      | E SEC        | Soft Skills for Psychologists          | 3 | 0   | 0    | 3 |
| 2                    | SEC      | E SEC        | PUBLIC COMMUNICATION FOR PSYCHOLOGISTS | 3 | 0   | 0    | 3 |
| Semester Total       |          |              |                                        | 6 | 0   | 0    | 6 |