

Silda Chandrasekhar College

Teaching Plan for the Academic Session 2023-24

Department: Philosophy

Name of the teacher: Dr. Sujata Tewari

Stream: BA

Paper code: Major/Minor

Teaching plan for 1 st semester students				
Syllabus allotted- India Philosophy			Paper - MJ1	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
September	8	MJ1	8	Categories - Definition and classification of Substance (Dravya) Paramanubad
October	5		5	Quality (Guna), Motion (Karma)- Definition and Classification
November	8		8	Generality(Samanya)- Definition and classification
December	6		6	Particularity (Visesa) Inherence (Samanya)- Definition
January	9		9	Classification of Samanya, Non-existence (Abhava)- Definition and
February	2		2	Classification of Abhava

Teaching plan for 5 th semester students				
Syllabus allotted - Applied Ethics			Paper - DSE 2	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
September	7		7	Nature and scope of applied ethics, killing, suicide, assisted suicide
October	10		10	Euthanasia, animal killing, poverty, affluence and morality
November	16		16	Terrorism and just war, Human Rights, Discrimination - caste gender and religion

December	12		12	The ethics of care, Animal welfare
January			14	Animal rights and perspectives, Ecological concern in Indian thoughts - Jain Views
February	3		3	Ecological concern in Indian thoughts - Buddha Views

Teaching plan for 6 th semester students				
Syllabus allotted - Nyayalogyand Epistemology (Tarka Sangraha)			Paper - CC 13	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
February	8		8	Saktigraha, Lakshana, varieties of lakshana
March	9		9	Analysis of Gounavritti, Vyanjanavritti analysed as a kind of Sakti or Lakshana
April	8		8	The concept of 'Yoga-rudhi', The condition of Sabdabodha, Akanksa, Jogyata and Sannidhi
May	8		8	Vaidik and Laukika statements, 'Arthapatti'- The views of Mimansakas and Naiyakikas
June	5		5	The theory of Pramanya, Swatah-pramanyavada and Paratah-pramanyavada, Upamiti, Jnapti, Akshyativada

Name of the teacher: DR. SAYANI BHATTACHARYA

Teaching plan for 1 st semester students				
Syllabus allotted			Paper – PHHMJ101	
Month	Expected number of	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered

	classes			
September 2023	2	MJ-1	2	Nyaya System: Prama and Aprama, Different kinds of Pramana
October 2023	4	MJ-1	3	Pratyaksa (Definition Sannikarsa
November 2023	4	MJ-1	4	Classification of Pratyaksa: Nirvikalpaka, Savikalpaka, Laukika, Alaukika
December 2023	4	MJ-1	4	Anumana (Definition), vyapti, parāmarša, kevalānvayi,
January 2024	5	MJ-1	5	Classification of Anumana: pūrvavat, šesavat, smānyatodęsta
February 2024	1	MJ-1	1	kevalavyatireki, anvayavyatireki, svārthānumāna, parārthānumana, Upamāna (definition), Šabda (definition)

Teaching plan for 1st semester students				
Syllabus allotted			Paper - PHISEC01	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
September 2023	2	SEC01	2	Meditation: 'OM' meditation and pranayama
October 2023	2	SEC01	2	Meditation: 'OM' meditation and pranayama
November 2023	3	SEC01	3	Integrate Yoga Module 1
December	3	SEC01	3	Integrate Yoga Module 1

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Teaching plan for 3rd semester students				
Syllabus allotted			Paper - CC-7	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
October 2023	3	CC-7	3	Nature and scope of Philosophy of Religion. Doctrine of karma and rebirth, doctrine of liberation, (Hindu, Bauddha and Jaina views.
November 2023	18	CC-7	17	The Philosophical teachings of the Holy Quran: God the ultimate Reality, His attributes, Hisrelation to the world and man. Some basic tenets of Christianity: The doctrine of Trinity. The theory of Redemption. Religious Pluralism, Inter-religious dialogue and Possibility of Universal Religion.
December 2023	18	CC-7	18	Arguments for the existence of God: Cosmological, Teleological and Ontological arguments, Nyāya arguments. Grounds for Disbelief in God: Sociological theory (Durkheim), Freudian theory, Cārvāka, Bauddha and

				Jaina views.
January 2024	15	CC-7	14	The Peculiarity of Religious Language: The doctrine of analogy, Religious statements as Symbolic, Religious language as Non-Cognitive (Randal's view), the language game theory (D.Z. Phillip).

Teaching plan for 3rd semester students				
Syllabus allotted			Paper -GE - 3	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
October 2023	2	GE - 3	3	Definition & classification of Anumiti.
November 2023	2	GE - 3	3	Definition & classification of Anumiti.
Decembar 2023	3	GE - 3	3	Importance of Pancabayabinyāya.
January 2024	2	GE - 3	3	Importance of Pancabayabinyāya.

Teaching plan for 5th semester students				
Syllabus allotted			Paper -DSE - 1	
Month	Expected number	Paper	Number of	Topics to be covered

	of classes		Lectures	
September 2023	10	DSE - 1	10	Definition and classification of pada
October 2023	10	DSE - 1	9	Introduction of concepts of asatti, yogyatā, tātparya, ākāmṣā
November 2023	9	DSE - 1	9	Different types of lakṣaṇā
December 2023	12	DSE - 1	11	śabdabodha
January 2024	5	DSE - 1	5	anvitābhidhānvāda and abhihitānvayavāda.

Teaching plan for 5 th semester students				
Syllabus allotted			Paper -SEC-3	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
September 2023	5	SEC-3	5	Meaning. Characteristics, significance and objectives of Value education.
October 2023	8	SEC-3	8	Values in different contexts: Individual, Social, Cultural, Moral and Global and Spiritual
November 2023	7	SEC-3	7	Meaning and Characteristics of Peace education
December 2023	7	SEC-3	6	Aims and Objectives of Peace Education Types of peace education
January 2024	6	SEC-3	6	Peace and Value education in Global Perspective

Stream: ARTS

Teaching plan for 2nd semester students				
Syllabus allotted			Paper – PHIHMJ102	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
March 2024	10	MJ02	10	Descartes: Cartesian method of doubt, Cogito ergo sum, Criterion of truth, Types of Ideas, Proofs for Existence of External World.
April 2024	10	MJ02	9	Spinoza: Method of Spinoza, Theory of Knowledge - three orders of knowing, Doctrine of Substance, Attributes and Modes, Pantheism, Freedom of will.
May 2024	10	MJ02	8	Leibniz: Theory of Substance- the Monadology, Truths of reason, Truth of Facts. Some Metaphysical Principles: Laws of identity of indiscernible
June 2024	8	MJ02	7	Law of sufficient reason, Law of continuity, The Doctrine of Pre-established Harmony

Teaching plan for 2nd semester students				
Syllabus allotted			Paper -PHISEC02	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
March 2024	2	SEC02	2	History of the relation between Man and Nature Contemporary Issues:Narmada Bnachao

				Andolan, Chipko movement
April 2024	3	SEC02	3	Teheri Dam movement, Silent Valley movement, Appico movement
May 2024	4	SEC02	4	Environment in contemporary philosophers: Rabindra Nath Tagore, Mahatma Gandhi, Vandana Shiva, Meera Baidur
June 2024	3	SEC02	3	Swachh Bharat Andolon, Observation of Aranya Saptaho, Namami Ganga Project

Teaching plan for 4th semester students				
Syllabus allotted			Paper – CC8	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
March 2024	5	CC – 8	5	Logic and Arguments, Deductive and Inductive Arguments, Argument forms and arguments, statement forms and statement, Truth and Validity.
April 2024	8	CC – 8	8	Categorical propositions and classes: quality, quantity and distribution of terms, Translating categorical propositions into standard form. Immediate inferences: Conversion, Obversion and Contraposition, Traditional square of opposition and Immediate Inferences based there on
May 2024	15	CC – 8	14	Existential Import, symbolism and Diagrams for categorical propositions. Categorical Syllogism: Standard Form categorical Syllogism; The Formal nature of Syllogistic Argument, Rules and Fallacies, General Rules; To test Syllogistic Arguments for validity (by applying general rules for syllogism); To solve problems and prove theorems concerning syllogism.

June 2024	17	CC – 8	16	Boolean Interpretation of categorical propositions; Review of the Traditional Laws of Logic concerning immediate inference and syllogism; Venn Diagram Technique for Testing Syllogisms, Hypothetical and Disjunctive Syllogisms, Enthymeme, The Dilemma.
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Teaching plan for 4th semester students

Syllabus allotted			Paper – SEC - 2	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
March 2024	3	SEC - 2	3	Deep ecology and its third world critique:Arne Naess on Deep Ecology.
April 2024	2	SEC - 2	2	Ramchandra Guha's critique of Deep Ecology.
May 2024	3	SEC - 2	3	Eco-feminism:Understanding nature and the feminine
June 2024	3	SEC - 2	3	Dualisms in Western tradition,Masculinity, humanity and nature.

Teaching plan for 6th semester students

Syllabus allotted			Paper – DSE – 4A	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
February 2024	15	DSE – 4A	14	Real nature of man.

March 2024	16	DSE – 4A	15	Nature of Religion.
April 2024	15	DSE – 4A	15	Nature of Religion.
May 2024	15	DSE – 4A	14	Ideal of Universal Religion.
June 2024	15	DSE – 4A	15	Concept of Practical Vedanta

Teaching plan for 6th semester students				
Syllabus allotted			Paper - DSE-2B	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
February 2024	10	DSE-2B	7	Saptapadārtha
March 2024	10	DSE-2B	9	Saptapadārtha
April 2024	10	DSE-2B	10	Saptapadārtha
May 2024	10	DSE-2B	10	Saptapadārtha
June 2024	10	DSE-2B	9	Saptapadārtha

Name of the teacher: JAYA MUKHERJEE

Teaching plan for 1 st semester students				
Syllabus allotted			Paper – PHIHMJ101	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
September 2023	8	MJ-1	8	Introduction: The basic Philosophy of Vedas and the Upaniṣads,
October 2023	6	MJ-1	6	Āstika and Nāstika
November 2023	6	MJ-1	6	Bauddha System: Four Noble Truths, Theory of Dependent Origination. Theory of no-soul (Nairātmyavāda), Four Schools of Buddhism (Basic tenets)
December 2023	12	MJ-1	12	(Pratītyasamutpādavāda), Definition of Reality (Arthakriyākāritva), Doctrine of
January 2024	12	MJ-1	22	Momentariness, (Kṣanabhangavāda),
February 2024	2	MJ-1	2	Theory of no-soul (Nairātmyavāda), Four Schools.

Teaching plan for 3 rd semester students				
Syllabus allotted			Paper - CC-6	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
October 2023	15	CC-6	15	Nature and Scope of i) Social Philosophy ii) Political Philosophy iii) Relation between social and Political Philosophy. b) Primary concepts: Society, community, association, institution, family: nature, different forms of family,

				role of family in the society.
November 2023	8	CC-6	8	Social Class and Caste: Principles of class and caste, Marxist conception of class, Var aśrama dharma. d) Theories regarding the relation between individual and society: I. Individualistic theoryII. Organic theoryIII. Idealistic theory
December 2023	14	CC-6	14	e) Secularism—its nature, Secularism in India. f) Social Change: Nature, Relation to Social progress, Marx-Engles on social change, Gandhi on social change.
January 2024	16	CC-6	16	g) Political Ideals: Nature of Democracy and its different forms, direct and indirect democracy, liberal democracy, democracy as a political ideal, Socialism: Utopian and Scientific, Anarchism

Teaching plan for 5 th semester students				
Syllabus allotted			Paper –CC11	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
September 2023	08	CC-11	08	Definition of buddhi or jñāna (cognition), its two kinds; Definition of sm ti; Two kinds of sm ti (memory); Definition of anubhava, its division into veridical (ha) and non-veridical ; Three kinds of nonveridical anubhava; Definitions clarified in Tarkasa graha Dīpikā.

October 2023	10	CC-11	10	Four-fold division of pramā and pramā a. Definition of “Kāra a” (special causalcondition) and “kāra a” (general causal condition). The concept of anyathāsiddhi(irrelevance) and its varieties.The definition of kārya (effect). Kinds of cause:smavāyi, a-samavāyi and nimitta kāra a (definitions and analysis).
November 2023	08	CC-11	08	Definition of pratyak a and its two-fold division: nirvikalpaka and savikalpakajñāna. Evidence for the actuality of nirvikalpaka.
December 2023	17	CC-11	17	Sannikarsa and its six varieties.
January 2024	05	CC-13	05	Problem of transmission of sound; the claim of “anupalabdhi” as a distinctive pramā a examined.

Teaching plan for 2 nd semester students				
Syllabus allotted			Paper-PHIHMJ102	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
March 2024	06	MJ02	06	a)PreSocraticPhilosophy
April 2024	12	MJ02	12	b) SocraticMethodofphilosophizing.
May 2024	15	MJ02	15	c)Plato:TheoryofKnowledge,Theory of Forms.
June 2024	04	MJ02	04	d)Aristotle:CritiqueofPlato’stheoryof Forms,Doctrineoffourcauses,Form andMatterSt.ThomasAquinas:

Teaching plan for 2 nd semester students				
Syllabus allotted			Paper-CC-4T	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
March 2024	10	CC-4	10	3. Hume: Impression and ideas, association of ideas, distinction between judgements concerning relations of ideas and judgments concerning matters of fact, theory of causality,

				theoryofselfandpersonalidentity,scepticism.
April 2024	09	CC-4	09	Kant: Conception of critical Philosophy, distinctionbetweenaprioriandposteriori judgements,
May 2024	06	CC-4	06	distinction between analytic and synthetic judgements. Synthetic a priori judgements,
June 2024	08	CC-4	08	CopernicanRevolutioninPhilosophy,Space&time

Teaching plan for 4 th semester students				
Syllabusa lotted			Paper-CC8	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
March 2024	15	CC-8	15	Probability: Alternative Conception of Probability; The Probability Calculus; Joint Occurrences;AlternativeOccurrences.
April 2024	04	CC-8	04	Induction:ArgumentbyAnalogy,Appraising Analogical Arguments, Refutationby Logical Analogy.
May 2024	14	CC-8	14	CausalConnections:CauseandEffect,the meaning of "Cause"; Induction by Simple
June 2024	14	CC-8	14	Joint Method of Agreement and Difference, Method of Residues, Method of Concomitant Variations; Criticism of Mills Methods, VindicationofMill'sMethods.Scienceand Hypothesis:

Teaching plan for 4 th semester students				
Syllabusa lotted			Paper-SEC -2	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
March 2024	3	SEC-2	3	ClassicalIndianattitudeto Environment
April 2024	2	SEC-2	2	Respectfornature
May 2024	3	SEC-2	3	IntrinsicValue of nature
June 2024	3	SEC-2	3	Eco-feminism

Teaching plan for 6 th semester students				
Syllabusallotted			Paper -CC13	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered

February 2024	10	CC-13	10	Definition of anumāna, anumiti and parāmarśa. Analysis of pakatā. Definition of vyāpti, Vyāptigraha.
March 2024	15	CC-13	15	Definition of pakadharmatā—svārthānumiti and parārthānumiti; Analysis of pañcāvayavī Nyāya. Necessity of parāmarśa. Three kinds of linga or hetu: kevalānvayī, kevalavyōtirikī and anvayavyōtirikī. Definition of paka, Sapaka and vipaka with illustrations. Marks of sadhetu.
April 2024	14	CC-13	14	Hetvābhāsa—two types of definition. Five kinds of hetvābhāsa: (1) “Savyābhicāra” and its three kinds—defined and illustrated; (2) “Viruddha” defined and illustrated; (3) “Satpratipaka” defined and illustrated; (4) Three kinds of “Asiddha” enumerated;
May 2024	10	CC-13	10	a) āśrayāsiddha (b) svarūpāsiddha and (c) vyāpyatvāsiddha. Vyāpyatvāsiddha defined as “sopādhika hetu”. Upādhi and its four kinds (definition and illustration)
June 2024	15	CC-13	15	5) Bādhita” (definition and illustration)

Paper code: Major

Teaching plan for 1 st semester students				
Syllabus allotted			Paper – PHIHMJ101	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
September 2023	06	MJ-1	06	Cārvāka System - Epistemology,

October 2023	04	MJ-1	04	Cārvāka System -Metaphysics
November 2023	04	MJ-1	04	Cārvāka System - Ethics.
December 2023	08	MJ-1	08	Jaina System - Basic concepts of Jaina Philosophy
January 2024	08	MJ-1	08	Anekāntavāda,
February 2024	07	MJ-1	07	Saptabhaṅginaya.

Teaching plan for 1 st semester students	
Syllabus allotted	Paper–PHIMI01

Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered
September 2023	06	MI-1	06	Buddhist Ethics: The Four Noble Truths and the Eight-Fold Path. [
October 2023	06	MI-1	06	Definition, Scope and Types of Ethics, Ethics and Morality, Moral and NonMoral

				Actions, Object of Moral Judgment
NOVEMBER 2023	10	MI-1	10	Teleological Ethics: Utilitarianism (Bentham and Mill
DECEMBER 2024	10	MI-1	10	Deontological Ethics: Kant's Moral Theory, Virtue ethics
JANUARY 2024	12	MI-1	12	Theories of Punishment.
FEBRUARY 2024	08	MI-1	08	Capital Punishment

Teaching plan for 3 rd semester students				
Syllabus allotted			Paper - CC-5	
Month	Expected number of classes	Paper	Number of Lectures	Topics to be covered

October 2023	15	CC-5	15	Psychology: Definition, Nature and Scopeb) Methods of Psychology: Introspection, Extrospection, Experimental Methods –variables - dependent & independent, controls in experiment, limitations of experimental method.
November 2023	8	CC-5	8	Sensation and Perception: Nature of sensation, nature of perception, relation between sensation and perception, Gestalt theory of perception. Illusion and Hallucination.
December 2023	14	CC-5	14	Learning: Theories of Learning - Trial and error theory, Thorndike's laws of learning, Gestalt Theory, Pavlov's theory of conditioned response, B.F. Skinner's theory of Operant Conditioning (reinforcement, extinction, punishment).e) Philosophical Theories of Mind: Interactionism, Double-aspect theory, Philosophical Behaviorism, Materialism mind - brain identity theory, The Person theory (Strawson).
January 2024	16	CC-5	16	Consciousness: Levels of mind— Conscious, Sub-conscious, Unconscious, proofs for the existence of Unconscious, Freud's theory of Dream.g) Personality: Types, Factors and Traits of Personality.Suggested Readings

Teaching plan for 5 th semester students				
Syllabus allotted			Paper –CC12T	
Month	Expected number of	Paper	Number of	Topics to be covered

	classes		Lectures	
September 2023	05	CC-12	05	.Introduction: Concerns and Presuppositions, Concept of Sthitaprañjna,) Karmayoga: (Gīta) Puruṣārthas and their inter-relations.
October 2023	10	CC-12	10	Meaning of Dharma, Concept of ṛṇa and ṛta. Classification of Dharma:d) Sādhāraṇadharmā and Asādhāraṇa Dharma,Varṇāśāṛama Dharma.vidhi and nisedha
November 2023	08	CC-12	08	e)BuddhistEthics:Astāngikamārga,Pañcaśīl a,Brahmavihārabhāvanā Jaina Ethics: anubrata, mahābrata, Ahimsā
December 2023	18	CC-12	18	Mimāṃsā Ethics: nitya karma, naimittika karma and kāmya karma,
January 2024	04	CC-12	04	Vidhi and Nisedha; Sreya and Preya