As Per NEP 2020

University of Mumbai



Syllabus for			
Basket of Minor			
Board of Studies in Education			
UG First Year Programme			
Semester	II		
Title of Paper	Credits		
Historical Perspective of Education	2		
From the Academic Year	2024-25		

Name of the course: Historical Perspective of Education			
Sr. No.	Heading	Particulars	
1	Description the course :	This course provides a comprehensive overview of	
	Including but Not	the evolution of education in India, tracing its journey	
	limited to	from ancient times to the present day.	
		The first module delves into historical periods like the	
		Vedic, Buddhist, and Islamic eras, examining the	
		aims, curriculum, and teaching methods that shaped	
		education in each period. It then explores the impact	
		of British rule through key documents like the	
		Charter's Act (1813), Macaulay's Minute (1835), and	
		Wood's Despatch (1854). We further analyze the	
		recommendations of various commissions like the Indian Education Commission (1882), Calcutta	
		University Commission (1917), and Hartog	
		Committee (1929)	
		The second module focuses on the current	
		educational landscape by examining various national	
		educational policies and the most recent National	
		Education Policy (2020), constitutional provisions that	
		provide foundation for educational rights and	
		legislative frame work for inclusive and accessible	
		education.	
2	Vertical:	Minor	
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3	Type:	Theory/Practical	
4	Credit:	2 credits (1 credit = 15 Hours for Theory)	
5	Hours Allotted:	30 Hrs.	
6	Marks allotted:	50 Marks	
7	Course Objectives:		
_ ′	Course Objectives: 1. To enable the learner to understand education in India during ancient and		
	To enable the learner to understand education in India during ancient and medieval period		
	To enable learner critically evaluate the impact of colonial policies		
	To enable learner examine Key Education Policies in India To enable learner understand legal framework for education		
8	Course Outcomes:		
	After studying the course students will be able to		
	1. Understand the evolution of Ancient Indian Education.		
	2. Critically evaluate the impact of colonial policies		
	3. Analyse Modern Education Policies		
	4. Explore the legal frame work for education		

9 Module:-1 Evolution of Education in India: From Ancient Times to Colonial Era (15 Hrs)

- a. Vedic Period, Buddhist Period, & Islamic Period (Aim, Curriculum, teaching method)
- b. Charter's Act (1813), Macaulay's Minute (1835) Wood's Despatch (1854) (Salient Features & impact on Indian society and education)
- Indian Education Commission (1882), Calcutta University Commission (1917), Hartog committee (1929) (Salient Features & impact on Indian society and education)

Module :-2 Educational Policies and Constitutional Framework in India (15 Hrs)

- a. Education Commission 1964-66, National Policy on Education 1986, National Education Policy 2020 (Salient Features)
- b. Constitutional Provisions for education (Article 15, 21 A, 29,30 45, 51(A)), The right of children to free and compulsory education act, 2009 (Section 3-5)
- c. The rights of persons with disabilities act, 2016 (Chapter III Education & Chapter IV Section 16-23)

10 **Text Books:- N.A.**

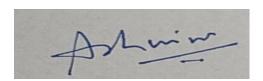
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- 6.Dash M. (2000), Education in India: Problems and Perspectives, Eastern Book Corporation
- 7. Ghosh S. C. (2007), History of Education in India, Eastern Book Corporation.
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- 9. Lall M. (2005) The Challenges for India's Education System, Chatham House: London
- 10.Mookerji R. K. (1990) Ancient Indian Education: Brahmanical and Buddhist Delhi,

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- 11.Ramchandra P. and Ramkumar V. (2005), Education in India. Eastern Book Corporation.
- 12. Rawat, P. L. (1956) History of Indian Education: Ancient to Modern, Delhi Bharat Publication.
- 13. Reyhner J. (2004) History of Indian Education, Vohra Publishers.
- 14. Sharma R (2006) History of Indian Education, Shubhi Publishers.
- 15. Vashist R. (2005), History of Education in India. Eastern Book Corporation.

12	Internal Continuous Assessment: 40%	Semester End Examination: 60%
13	Continuous Evaluation through: Quizzes, Class Tests, presentation, project, role play, creative writing, assignment etc.(at least 3)	 Class test: (10 Marks) Any one of the following activity: (10 Marks) Prepare a report on any one ancient scholar & its contribution to education. Seminar presentation on role of Indian Constitution in promoting education for all Write a Critical Analysis of Macaulay's Minute on Education.
14	Semester End Examination (60 Marks):	Question Paper Pattern 1. These examinations shall be of 2 Hours duration. Marks 60. 2. There shall be four questions each of 15 marks. From each module, there will be one question. 3. All questions shall be compulsory with internal choice within the questions. 4. Question may be subdivided into sub- questions a, b, c. and the allocation of marks depend on the weightage of the topic



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