# Government Degree College, Baramulla

### SEMESTER 2nd

Discipline: Major/Minor Course

Subject: Psychology Course Name: Introduction to Social Psychology

*Total Credits=6 (Theory=4 + Practicum=2)* 

Course Code: BPY22C201

**Objective:** To understand the basics of social psychology and to understand the individual in the social world.

**Unit 1:** Introduction: Brief History of Social Psychology (Special Emphasis on India), Scope of Social Psychology, Levels of Social Behaviour, Approaches towards Understanding Social Behaviour.

**Unit 2:** Individual Level Processes: Person Perception: Attribution-Theories, Biases and Errors Attitude: Formation, Change and Resistance to Change.

**Unit 3:** Interpersonal Processes: Interpersonal Attraction, Prosocial Behaviour; Altruism & Heroism, Aggression.

**Unit 4:** Group Dynamics: Types & Key Aspects of Groups, Cooperation and Conflict, Group Decision Making.

### Practicum: (Any Two)

- a) Any Practical On Attitude
- b) Attribution Error/Biases
- c) Pro-Social Behaviour/ Bystander Effect
- d) Group Decision Making
- e) Any Social Experiment on Stereotyping, Social Cognition Etc

### Readings:

- 1. Baron, R.A., Byrne, D. & Bhardwaj. G (2010). Social Psychology (12th Ed). New Delhi: Pearson.
- 2. Chadha, N.K. (2012). Social Psychology. MacMillan: New Delhi
- 3. Myers, D.G. (2008). Social psychology. New Delhi: Tata McGraw-Hill.
- 4. Gilovitch, Keltner & Nisbett (2012) Social Psychology. 3rd edition

## **Course Outcomes:**

- 1. Know the nuances of Social World in the context of Social Psychological research.
- 2. Differentiate between Social Psychological processes/behaviours.
- 3. Find logical solutions to social problems

## Semester 2nd

# Skill Enhancement Course (SEC)

Credits: Theory = 2 Tutorial = 2

# PSY222S: Psychological First Aid-II (PFA-II)

## Course Learning Objectives

Understanding psychological consequences of trauma
 Understanding disasters in the context of PFA
 Practicing PFA in different scenarios
 Total Credits: 04
Theory: 02
 Tutorial: 02

# Unit-1: Psychological Consequences of Trauma – (What You Will Encounter in the Field)

- Posttraumatic stress disorder
- Depression
- Generalized Anxiety
- Panic Disorder
- Substance Use

# Unit-2: Disasters – (The context for PFA)

- Natural Disasters
- Technological Disasters
- Human Made Disasters

# Tutorials (Practice What You Have Learned)

- 1) Case scenario 1: Natural Disaster
- 2) Case scenario 2: Violence and displacement
- 3) Case scenario 3: Accident

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- American Psychiatric Association, (1954). Psychological first aid in community disasters. Washington, DC: Author.
- 2. American Psychiatric Association. (2013). Diagnostic and statistical manual of mental disorders (5th ed.). Washington, DC: Author.
- 3. Cheung, Y. L. (2014). Psychological First Aid as a Public Health Disaster Response Preparedness Strategy for Responders in Critical Incidents and Disasters. The Chinese University of Hong Kong (Hong Kong) ProQuest Dissertations Publishing, 3707483.
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- Forbes D, Lewis V, Varker T, Phelps A, O'Donnell M, Wade DJ, Ruzek JI, Watson P, Bryant RA, Creamer M. Psychological first aid following trauma: implementation and evaluation framework for high-risk organizations. Psychiatry 2011; 74:224 - 39; PMID: 21916629
- 6. GA Jacobs 2016 -Community-based psychological first aid: A practical guide to helping individuals and communities during difficult times <a href="https://books.google.com/books?hl=en&lr=&id=HJr4CQAAQBAJ&oi=Ind&pg=PP1&dq=Psychological+First+Aid.+books+pdf&ots=DExUelgH8a&sig=Jzs4yrLGSguAoY7M8OEYyLMYkT8">https://books.google.com/books?hl=en&lr=&id=HJr4CQAAQBAJ&oi=Ind&pg=PP1&dq=Psychological+First+Aid.+books+pdf&ots=DExUelgH8a&sig=Jzs4yrLGSguAoY7M8OEYyLMYkT8</a>
- 7. Kliman, A. S. (1986). Crisis: Psychological first aid for recovery and growth. Jason Aronson,
- B. Ruzek, J. I., Brymer, M. J., Jacobs, A. K., Layne, C. M., Vernberg, E. M., & Watson, P. J. (2007). Psychological first aid. *Journal of Mental Health Gounseling*, 29, 14–49
- 9. Schafer, A. (2016), Psychological First Aid: Guide for Field Workers (English) Psychological, October.
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### **MULTIDISCIPLINARY COURSE**

**Subject: PSYCHOLOGY** 

**Title: INTRODUCING PSYCHOLOGY**CREDIT: 03

Code: BPY22M103
CONTACT HOURS: 48

**Objectives:** To acquaint the students with basic principles of psychology and their use in human life.

## **Learning Outcomes:**

- 1. New research in Psychological Science.
- 1. Differentiate psychological processes.
- 2. Find the solutions to day to day problems using psychological knowledge.

Unit 1: 16 Contact Hours

- A. Psychology as a Modern-Day Science.
- B. Origin and Development of Psychology.
- C. Perspectives (Cognitive, Biological, Behavioural, Psychoanalytic, Humanistic & Socio-Cultural).

Unit 2: 16 Contact Hours

- A. Perception: Nature of Perception, Laws of Perceptual Organization.
- B. Learning: Conditioning (Classical & Operant), Observational Learning.
- C. Memory-Processes: Information Processing Model, Techniques for Improving Memory.

Unit 3: 16 Contact Hours

- A. Motivation and Emotion: Motives: Biogenic and Psychogenic, Emotions: Aspects of Emotions, Key Emotions (Paul Ekman's Model).
- B. Intelligence: Nature & Theories (Gardner's Multiple Intelligences and Sternberg's Triarchic Theory).
- C. Personality: Nature and Theories (Freud's Psychoanalytic & Allport's Trait Theory).

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- 3. Ciccarelli, S. K & Meyer, G.E (2008). Psychology (South Asian Edition). New Delhi: Pearson
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- 5. Feldman. S. R. (2009). Essentials of understanding psychology (7th Ed.) New Delhi: Tata Mc Graw Hill.
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