

**ETHIRAJ COLLEGE FOR WOMEN
(AUTONOMOUS)
CHENNAI -8.**

DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY



ALLIED AND NME SYLLABUS

2015– 2018

I BA HISTORY AND I BA ECONOMICS - Allied

I BA, B.Com, B.Sc., - NME

COURSE PROFILE

I B.A.HISTORY AND I B.A. ECONOMICS

(For students Admitted from the year 2015..)

SEM	COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	HRS/WK	CREDIT	CA MARKS	END SEM MARKS	TOTAL
I	GE15/1A/GEI	GEOGRAPHY OF INDIA	6	5	40	60	100
II	GE15/2A/GET	GEOGRAPHY OF TOURISM	6	5	40	60	100

NON MAJOR ELECTIVE

FOR BA, B.Sc., B.Com etc.,

SEM	COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	HRS/ WK	CREDIT	CA MARKS	END SEM MARKS	TOTAL
I	GE15/1N/SIT	SPATIAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	2	2	-	50	50
II	GE15/2N/PMM	PRINCIPLES OF MAP MAKING	2	2	-	50	50

EVALUATION PATTERN

SEM	COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	ASSIGNMENT		PRESENTATION		TEST		C.A TOTAL	END SEM MARKS	TOTAL
I	GE15/1A/GEI	GEOGRAPHY OF INDIA	1	10	1	10	2	20	40	60	100
II	GE15/2A/GET	GEOGRAPHY OF TOURISM	1	10	1	10	2	20	40	60	100

SEMESTER – I

SYLLABUS

GEOGRAPHY OF INDIA

Teaching Hours:90, LTP : 5 1 0

Credits: 5

Course Code:GE15/1A/ GEI

Unit I :

India Location – Neighbouring Countries-Physiography –Himalayas-Western Ghats-Eastern Ghats-Plateaus-Indo-Gangetic Plain-Coastal Plain-Islands-River Systems.

Unit II :

Climate of India – Agro climatic zones- Seasons-Temperature-Rainfall-South West Monsoon , North East monsoon and Cyclonic Rainfall-Soils- Natural vegetation and animals

Unit III :

Agriculture – Food Crops: Paddy, Wheat – Non Food Crops : Cotton, Jute – Minerals – Metallic : Iron Ore, Manganese- Non Metallic- Mica, Limestone-Energy Resources-Hydro, Nuclear

Unit IV :

Industries- Iron and Steel Industry- Cotton and Jute

UnitV :

Population-Distribution and Density- Growth rate - Birth Rate- Death Rate-Migration.

Unit VI :

Transport – Roadways, National Highways – Railways – Trade: Major exports and Imports – Ports and Harbours.

Reference :

1. Asha Kullar - India: A Synthesis 2010
2. Majid Hussain - India: Geographic Perspectives-2010
3. Suvindra Singh - Geography of India-2011

TEMPLATE FOR THE QUESTION PAPER

Title of the Paper: Geography of India

Paper Code: GE15/1A/GEI

SECTION – A (10X2=20) (Ten out of 12 - 2 marks each, 30 words)

Question number 1 to 10

- Definitions and explain the following – Plateaus, Islands, Crops, Rivers, Forests and species

SECTION – B (5X8=40) (Five out of seven – 8 marks each, 300 words)

Question number 11 to 18

- Topography of Himalayas
- Western Ghats
- Rivers of India
- significance of Indian Monsoons
- Factors influencing food crop
- Agriculture and its economy
- Factors influencing population density
- Problems of over Population
- National Highways
- Railway zones
- Agro climatic zones

SECTION – C (2X20=40) (Two out of four – 20 marks each, 1000 words)

Question number 19 to 21

- India 's Physical Wealth
- Rivers of India
- Climatic Seasons
- Population distribution and densities
- Energy resources
- Importance of roadways and railways
- Transport system

SEMESTER – II

GEOGRAPHY OF TOURISM

Teaching Hours: 90 , LTP : 5 1 0

Course Code: GE15/2A/ GET

Credits : 5

Unit I :

Tourism – Definition – Basic components of Tourism, Geographical Components of Tourism -Motivational Factors-Types-Religious ,Eco, Leisure, Medical,, Cultural, adventure, Coastal Tourism-A3 concept(Attraction, Accommodation, Accessibility)

Unit II :

Travel Accommodation- Regular –Star Hotels(Five and other Stars) International, Resort Hotels, budget hotels, Service apartments, Floating , Supplementary –Motel, Youth Hostel, Caravan and Camping Sites, Bed and Breakfast establishment.

Unit III :

Tourism Organisation – WTO – IATA – ITDC – TTDC- Tourists centres of India

Unit IV :

Travel Agencies - Origin of Travel Agency - functions –Types of Travel Agency - Tour Operators – Types – Tour Guides.

Unit V :

Tourism Promotion – Marketing and Advertising –Media Selection, Sales Support ,Sales Support Technique.

Unit VI :

Impact of Modern Technology in Tourism-Videotex, Teletex, Computer reservation system

Reference :

1. A.K. Bhatia - Tourism Development, Principles and Practice
2. Manoj Dal - India a Tourist Paradise
3. Prannath Seth - Tourism Management

TEMPLATE FOR THE QUESTION PAPER

Title of the Paper: Geography of Tourism

Paper Code: GE15/2A/GET

SECTION – A (10X2=20) (Ten out of 12 - 2 marks each, 30 words)

Question number 1 to 10

- Definitions and explain the following – Any one great traveler or tourist centre, Terms like tourism, Health tourism, Medical tourism.

SECTION – B (5X8=40) (Five out of seven – 8 marks each,300 words)

Question number 11 to 18

- Types of Tourism
- Basic Components of Tourism
- Geographical components of Tourism
- Any tourist centre
- Functions of travel agency
- Tour operator
- History of accommodation
- Role of advertising in tourism
- Modern technology in tourism

SECTION – C (2X20=40) (Two out of four – 20 marks each,1000 words)

Question number 19 to 21

- Motivation for tourism
- A3 components
- Types of Accommodation
- Tourist centres of India
- Tourism promotion

NON MAJOR ELECTIVE SYLLABUS:

Under Graduate (B.A, B.Sc., B.Com)

SEMESTER –I

SPATIAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Teaching Hours: 30
Course Code: GE15/1N/SIT
Credits : 2

Unit I :

Introduction –

Concepts of Spatial Data – GIS – Raster and Vector data –

Unit II : Basics of Remote Sensing – Application of GIS and GPS - Web mapping – google earth – bhuvan

Reference :

1. James B. Cambell - Introduction to Remote sensing
2. P.A.Burrough - Principles of GIS
3. George B. Kartee - The GIS
4. Aronff - GIS : A Management Perspective

SEMESTER –II

PRINCIPLES OF MAP MAKING

Teaching Hours:	30
Course Code:	GE15/2N/PMM
Credits	2

Unit I :

Introduction– Map as a communication tool - Map types – large – medium – small.

Unit II :

Map Scales – Conventional signs – symbols – lettering – map design – layout – direction – legend – colours in map

Reference :

1. Rampal K.K. - Mapping and Compilation methods and Techniques
2. Misra R.P. and Rames A. – Fundamentals of Cartography

TEMPLATE FOR THE QUESTION PAPER NME

- ❖ **Title of the Paper: Spatial Information Technology**
Paper Code: GE15/1N/SIT.

- ❖ **Title of the Paper: Principles Map Making**
Paper Code: GE15/2N/PMM.

Ten out of twelve questions, 5 marks each for both the paper.