## SES's L.S.RAHEJA COLLEGE OF ARTS AND COMMERCE (AUTONOMOUS)



Syllabus of Introduction to Behavioral Science under NEP 2020 Vertical -SEC with effect from 2024-25 Department of Commerce & Management

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Programme: Bachelor of Commerce (Management Studies)		Semester: I			
Course: INTRODUCTION TO BEHAVIOURAL SCEINCE Academic Year: 2024-2025 Batch: 2024-2027		Code: UGBMSISEC224			
Teaching Scheme	Evaluation Scheme				
Lectures	Practical	Tutorials	Credits	Internal Continuous Assessment (ICA) (weightage)	Term End Examinations (TEE) (weightage)
30	Nil	Nil	2	20 marks/40% of the total marks	30 marks/60% of the total marks

Particulars	Marks	
Presentation/Viva Voce	10	
Assignment/Project	10	
Total	20	

Learning Objectives :	Understanding the fundamental concepts, theories and principles in behavioural science.
Learning Outcomes :	<ol> <li>To understand the concepts of behavioural science and its framework to propose solutions to practical problems in the professional world.</li> <li>To apply behavioural sciences concepts to analyse real-life situations or case studies.</li> </ol>
Pedagogy:	Interactive discussions, Case studies, Project work, Video based interactions and Group Assignments

Module	Module Content	Module Wise Pedagogy Used	Module Wise Duration/ Lectures
	<b>Orientation of Behavioural Sciences</b> Definition, Nature, Branches, Schools of Psychology - (a)		
Ι	Structuralism, (b) Functionalism, (c) Gestalt	Interactive	
	School, (d) Psychodynamic, (e) Behaviouristic School, (e) Cognitive School,	discussion	
	Understanding Self: Fundamental Concepts of development	Case studies	15
	Characteristics, milestones and hazards, nature nurture, prenatal development; Motivation and Reasoning	Video based	
	Definition; Theories of Motivation – Maslow, McClelland, Murray. : Learning - Theories: Trial & Error	interactions	
	Conditioning – Classical & Operant; Insight, Social Learning Theory, Programmed learning.		
	<b>Introduction to Aptitude, Ability &amp; Interest</b> - Definition, Nature, interconnection Perception		
Π	Perception and its Determinants; Attitude, Prejudice, Discrimination, Stereotype	Case studies	
	Definition, Formation of Attitude	Project work	
	Theories, Measurement, Change of Attitude. Concept and Origin or Prejudice and Stereotype,	Group	15
	Reduction of prejudice	assignment	
	<b>Stress Management</b> : Stress, types of stress, Causes and consequences of job stress, Ways for coping up with job stress		

Each lecture session would be of one hour duration (30 sessions).

# **REFERENCE BOOKS**

- 1. Berry, J. W., Mishra, R. C., & Tripathi, R. C. (2003). Psychology in human and social development: Lessons from diverse cultures: A festschrift for Durganand Sinha. (*No Title*).
- 2. Stephen P. Robbins and Timothy A. Judge (12th Edition) 'Organizational Behaviour'
- 3. "Organizational Behavior: Text and Cases" by K. Aswathappa, 2001.
- 4. Davis, K. (1989). Human behavior at work: Organizational behavior. McGraw-Hill Inc..

## **QUESTION PAPER PATTERN**

### Internal Continuous Assessment (ICA) Pattern

Particulars	Marks
Presentation/Viva Voce	10
Assignment/Project	10
Total	20

#### Term End Examinations (TEE) Question Paper Pattern

Maximum Marks: 30 Duration: 1 Hour All questions are compulsory.

Question No.	Description	<b>Total Marks</b>
1	A. Full Length Theory Question <b>OR</b>	12
	B. Full Length Theory Question	
2	A. Full Length Theory Question <b>OR</b>	12
	B. Full Length Theory Question	
3	Short Notes (Any 2 out of 3)	6

The Full length theory questions of 12 marks each may be split up into two smaller questions carrying 6 marks each.