CLASS-XII Sociology

SYLLABUS

PART-A

Unit: I Tribal, Rural and Urban Societies in India

- **1. Tribal Society:** Meaning ,Features; Classification of Tribes; Marriage System; Issues- Deforestation and Displacement; Changes in Tribal Society.
- **2. Rural Society :** Meaning, Features; Issues- Indebtedness, Impact of Green Revolution; Changes in Rural Society.
- **3. Urban Society:** Meaning Features; Issues Housing and Slums

Unit: II Inequalities in Indian Society

- **4. Caste Inequalities:** Concept, Features; Caste and Social Stratification, Theories of Origin of Caste, Caste Inequality and Indian Society
- **Class Inequalities:** Concept of class, Features of Class; Relations between caste, class, status Group and class Hierarchy, Views of Sociologists on class structure, Classes in Rural and Urban India.
- **6. Gender Inequalities:** Concept, Gender Inequality,
 Theories of Feminism, Gender; Gender Discrimination:
 Meaning and Nature; Problems of Women, Role of Gender relation in Societal Development

Unit: III Structural and Cultural Change in India

- **7. Westernisation and Sankritisation:** Westernisation: Meaning, Carrier of process, Features, Impact: Sanskritisation: Meaning, Sanskritisation preferred as against Brahminisation, Dominant Caste, Impact
- **8. Modernisation and Globalisation:** Modernisation: Meaning, Characteristic, Process of Modernisation, Causes, Impact: Globalisation: Meaning, Characteristics, Process of Globalization, Causes, impact
- **9. Social Movement:** Meaning Types, Stages Caste Based Movements, Class Based Movements, Women's movements, Environmental movements.

Unit: IV Social Problems in Indian Society

- 10. Social Problems: Alcoholism and Drug Addiction
- 11. Violence Against Women: Female Foeticide and Domestic Violence: Female Foeticide: Meaning, India Scenario, Causes, Consequences, Strategies to Combat Female Foeticide; Domestic Violence- Meaning, Forms, Factors, Causes, Effects, Remedies
- **12. Social Issues:** The Aged and Disability: The Aged: Theries, Problems, Remedial Measures: Disability-Definition, Magnitude of Disability, Types, Causes, Social Model, Problems, Measures