

Optional Kannada

I Semester

- A brief survey of Kannada literary history
- Introduces eminent poets and their works, who belongs to different stages of Kannada literature
- Helps in understanding important poets along with their literary contributions

II Semester

- Helps in analysing modern Kannada play
- Introduces the importance of meters in modern Kannada drama
- Prefers to bring out the acting capability of students.

III Semester

- Familiarizes ancient epic book on grammar Shabdamanidarpanam by Keshiraja
- Importance of study of grammar along with understanding literature is made clear to students

IV Semester

- Introduces ancient Kannada poet Pampa along with his magnum opus 'Pampa Bharata'
- Traces the origin and growth of Kannada language along with its different stages

V Semester

- Acquaints the students with ancient Indian Poetics
- The first major Kannada prose 'Vaddaradane' by Shivakotyacharya is introduced
- Helps in understanding and appreciating ancient poetics

VI Semester

- Introduces the study of *Desi* literature
- Helps in understanding the Vachana literature of the twelfth century
Appreciates the key concepts of criticism

Subject: Economics

I – Semester

Core Economics I: Principles of Microeconomics-I

- To expose the student to the basic principles in Microeconomic theory and their applications.
- It helps the students to gain the knowledge of consumer behaviour
- Students will get the knowledge of elasticity of demand and supply, production analysis and different market structure.

II – Semester

Core Economics II: Principles of Micro economics-II

- It gives students a thorough understanding of the principles of economics that apply to the decisions of individuals-both consumers and producers- with the large economic system.
- Study both product and resource markets and how they operate.
- It helps in gaining the knowledge of income distribution and how the factors of production are prized.
- It helps to concentrate on theories of international trade, tariffs and quotas

III – Semester

Core Economics III: Principles of Macroeconomics-I

- It helps the students to learn the basic concepts in Macroeconomics with the aggregate economy.
- A student will be able to: make decisions using marginal analysis and opportunity costs.
- It helps the students to know how the price and output are determined by changes in demand and supply in market.
- It helps in determining the GDP.

IV – Semester

Core Economics IV: Principles of Macroeconomics-II

- Students learn modern macro economics.
- Knowledge of IS-LM model.
- It helps in analyses of various theories of determination of National Income in greater detail.
- It helps students to concept of Inflation, its relationship with unemployment and some basic concepts in an open economy.

V Semester

Discipline Specific Elective (DSE) 1: Economics of Development

- It helps students in understanding major trends in aggregate economic indicators of economic development.
- It helps in learning demographic trends and institutional factors.
- They learn the theories of economic development and growth.
- They gain the knowledge of occupational structure in organized and unorganized sector.

V Semester

Discipline Specific Elective(DSE) 2: Money and Banking

- It exposes students to the theory and functioning of the monetary and financial sectors of the economy.
- They learn on structure and role of financial markets and institutions.
- They will gain the knowledge of interest rates, monetary management and instruments of monetary control.
- Students get information on major financial and banking sector reforms with special reference to India.

V Semester

Discipline Specific Elective(DSE) 3: Environmental Economics

- It helps students to learn the concepts, methods and policy options in managing the environment using tools of economic analysis.
- It gives knowledge on analytical mind and familiarity with basic concepts of economics.
- It helps students to know about environmental problems caused by economic activities.
- It helps in gaining knowledge of different approaches to adjusting behaviour through economic institution such as markets and incentives as well as through regulation, etc.

VI Semester

Discipline Specific Elective (DSE) 4 : Economic Development Policy In India

- The learner/students will gain knowledge of building on the more aggregative analysis of trends in the Indian Economy offered in Economic Development and Policy-I,
- It helps the learner/students to understand the sector-specific trends in key indicators and their implications in the post-Independence period.

VI Semester

Discipline Specific Elective (DSE) 5:Economic History of India 1857-1947

- It helps in understanding the key aspects of Indian economic development during second half of British colonial rule.
- The paper helps the investigator the place of Indian economy in the wider colonial context, and the mechanisms that linked economic development in India to the compulsions of colonial rule.
- It helps to know economy and state in the imperial context.

VI Semester

Discipline Specific Elective (DSE) 6:Public Finance

- It helps the students to know the non-technical overview of government finances with special reference to India.

- It helps to know the knowledge of efficiency and equity aspects of Taxation of the centre, states and the local governments and the issues of fiscal federalism and decentralization in India.
- It helps the students in aiming towards careers in the government sector, policy analysis, business and journalism.

Generic Elective-1
Introduction to Economics

- It helps the non economic students to learn the basic concept of micro and macro economics.
- Students gain knowledge on concepts of national income and GDP.
- The student learns measurement of NI, Methods of measuring NI, Importance and Difficulties.

Generic Elective-2
Money and Public Finance

- The students are exposed to money and capital market.
- The paper helps to understand the concept of Public Finance.

Subject : Geography

I Semester

Physical Geography

- Acquaint students with the concept of Physical Geography. Exposes students to different components of earth system
- Familiarizes students with different theories on the origin of earth
- Introduces students to tides and ocean currents

II Semester

Human Geography

- Introduces Human geography, highlighting the distribution and types of race, religion and language
- Acquaint students with the Demographic Transition Theory.
- Highlights Human Settlements, concentrating on distribution of population on rural and urban space.

III Semester

General Cartography

- Acquaint students with the meaning of Cartography by describing types and elements of cartography along with description of their uses.
- Introduces the types and application of Map scale by physical demonstration
- A pragmatic approach to reading data, symbols and interpretation of Thematic maps.

IV Semester

Environmental Geography

- Brings out the importance of Human – environment relationship required for better human existence
- Highlights the problems of environment and their management for better Human survival
- Familiarizes different programmes and policies for conservation of environment followed by developed and developing countries, world wide
- A thumb nail sketch of environmental policies adopted by the Government to safeguard the interest of environment.

V Semester

Geography of India

- The paper discusses the demographic settlement of India with special thrust on physical setting like location and structure.
- The paper highlights population explosion in India since 1901 and discusses the reasons for the same.
- Acquaint students with rural & urban distribution of population
- Discusses agrarian economy based on agricultural crops and agri-based industries like cotton textile and others

VI Semester

Geography of Tourism

- The paper discusses inter – relationship between geography and tourism
- Describes different types of tourism
- Introduces recent trends in the field of tourism
- Analyses the impact of tourism on economy, environment and society
- The paper discusses the present day status of tourism in India with a thrust on evolving a new tourism policy for the promotion of tourism in India.