



Code	Subject Title	Cr. Hrs	Semester
SOC-306	Sociology of Education	3	V
Year	Discipline		
3	Sociology & Sociocultural Studies		

Objective:

The course provides students with the sociological insight of education. Core concepts, levels, educational institutions, theories, educational policies and reforms will be studied. Relationship of education with socio-economic development will also be discussed.

1. Introduction

- a. The Concept of Education
- b. Origin and Development of Education
- c. Forms of Education, Formal, Non-formal
- d. Contemporary Education System.

2. Sociological Theory and Education

- a. Education and Socialization
- b. Social Stratification and Education

3. Roles of Education

- a. Education and Social Mobility
- b. Functions of Education
- c. Education and Democracy
- d. Education for Leadership

4. School as an Organization

- a. Definitions and Theoretical Models
- b. Bureaucratization and Professionalization of Schooling

5. The Sociology of School as an Agent of Change

- a. The Social Construction of Curriculum
- b. Education and Development

6. Relationship between Education and the Economy

- a. Reconstructions Views of Education and Economic Development
- b. Manpower Planning
- c. Demand and Supply of Educational Institutions in Developing Countries.

7. Education and other social institutions.

- a. Education Policy and Reforms
- b. Private and Public Sectors of Education
- c. Education Problems
- d. Quality of Education
- e. Investment in Education
- f. Status of Education in Pakistan



Recommended Books:

1. Ballantine, Jeanne H. (1993). The Sociology of Education: A Systematic Analysis. New Jersey: Prentice Hall.
 2. Banks, Olive (1971). The Sociology of Education. London: B. T. Batsford Ltd.
 3. Best, John W. (1992). Research in Education. New Delhi: Prentice Hall.
 4. Brubacher, L.S. (1970). Modern Philosophies of Education. New Delhi: MacGraw-Hill Publishing Co. Ltd.
 5. Cosin, B.R. and others (2000). School and Society: A Sociological Reader. London: Routledge and Kegan Paul.
 6. Dale, R.G. Eland and M. MacDonald. (1976). Schooling and Capitalism. London: Routledge and Kegan Paul.
 7. David Levinson, Peter W. Cookson, Alan R. Sadovnik.(2002). Education and Sociology: An Encyclopedia. New York: Pearson Ltd.
 8. Evetts, J. (2004). The Sociology of Educational Ideas. London: Routledge and Kegan Paul.
 9. Hirst, P.H. and R.S. Peter. (1970). The Logic of Education. London: Routledge and Kegan Paul.
 10. Singh, Achyut Kumar. (1992.) Education and National Character. New Delhi: Ashish Publishing House.
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