

Name of the course	Sociology
Course Code	BBA-205
Semester	III
Credit Hours	3
Prerequisite	-
Learning outcomes	<p>On completion of this course, the students will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Understand recent trends in sociological thought. 2. Serve as intellectual resource in this region 3. Enable the students to apply sociological knowledge for the economic and social betterment of Pakistan 4. Develop high quality professionals and social scientists that the committed to pursuit of excellence, and are endowed with vision, courage, and dedication.
Contents	<p>Unit-1 Introduction to Sociology</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.1 Meaning, Definition and Scope of Sociology 1.2 Utility/Importance of Sociology 1.3 Sociology as Science 1.4 Relationship of Sociology with other Social Sciences <p>Unit-2 Role of Sociologists</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2.1 As a research Scientist 2.2 As a Policy Consultant 2.3 As a Teacher 2.4 As a Business Person <p>Unit-3 Society</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3.1 Meaning and Definition of Society 3.2 Characteristics of Society

		3.3	Types of Society
		3.4	Basis of Society
	Unit-4		The Culture
		4.1	Definition of Culture
		4.2	Types of Culture
		4.3	Culture and Society
		4.4	Social and Cultural Change
		4.5	Characteristics of Culture
	Unit-5		Methods of Study in Sociology
		5.1	Cross Sectional Study
		5.2	Longitudinal Study
		5.3	Laboratory Study
		5.4	Field Study
		5.5	Observational Study
	Unit-6		Social Stratification
		6.1	Definition of Social Stratification
		6.2	Types of Social Stratification
		6.3	Classes: Definition of Class
		6.4	General Classification of Class
		6.5	Sociological Classification of Class
		6.6	Caste: Definition of Caste
		6.7	Characteristics of Caste
		6.8	Difference between Class and Caste
	Unit-7		Social Groups
		7.1	Definition and Functions
		7.2	Types of Groups
		7.3	In and out groups
		7.4	Primary and Secondary groups
		7.5	Reference Groups
		7.6	Formal and Informal Groups
		7.7	Pressure Groups
	Unit-8		Social Mobility
		8.1	Definition of Mobility
		8.2	Types of Mobility
		8.3	Horizontal Mobility
		8.4	Vertical Mobility
		8.5	Zero Mobility
		8.6	Territorial Mobility/ Geographical
		8.7	Different Factor Favorable to Social Mobility
	Unit-9		Social Institutions
		9.1	Definition of Social Institution
		9.2	Elements of Social Institution
		9.3	Functions of Social Institution
	Unit-10		Family Institution
		10.1	Definition of Family
		10.2	Characteristics of Family
		10.3	Types/Classification of Families
		10.4	Functions of Family Institution

	<p>Unit-11 Religious Institutions</p> <p>11.1 Definition, Components of Religion</p> <p>11.2 Beliefs, Symbols, Rituals</p> <p>11.3 Sacred Objects</p> <p>11.4 Functions of Religion</p> <p>11.5 Religion of the World</p> <p>11.6 Christianity, Judaism, Hinduism, Buddhism, Confucianism, Islam</p> <p>Unit-12 Economic Institution</p> <p>12.1 Definition of Economic Institution</p> <p>12.2 Structure of Economic Institution</p> <p>12.3 Characteristics of Economic Institution</p> <p>12.4 Functions of Economic Institution</p> <p>Unit-13 Political Institution</p> <p>13.1 Definition of Political Institution</p> <p>13.2 Structure of Political Institution</p> <p>13.3 Formal and Informal</p> <p>13.4 Main Branches of Govt, Judiciary, Executives</p> <p>13.5 Legislation</p> <p>Unit-14 Educational Institution</p> <p>14.1 Definition of Educational Institutions</p> <p>14.2 Structure of Educational Institutions</p> <p>14.3 Formal and Informal Education</p> <p>14.4 Educational System</p> <p>Unit-15 Sociology of Pakistan</p> <p>15.1 Characteristics</p> <p>15.2 Social Problems of Pakistan</p> <p>15.3 Poverty as social problem</p> <p>15.4 Crime as social problem</p> <p>15.5 Pollution as Social Problem</p> <p>15.6 Population Explosion as Social Problem</p> <p>15.7 Urbanization as Social Problem</p> <p>Unit-16 Presentation Session</p>
Teaching & Learning Strategies	A combination of lecturing, presentations, and discussions will be used to conduct the course. Students will be expected to read extensively ahead of each class session and actively participate in discussions and practical work.
Assignment	Written assignment (10 marks), presentation (5 marks) and Quiz (10 marks)
Suggested Readings	Giddens, A., Duneier, M., Appelbaum, R. P., & Carr, D. (2006). <i>Essentials of sociology</i> . Norton. Macionis J. (2019). <i>Sociology</i> (17 th ed.). Pearson. Taga, A. H. (2005). <i>Sociology and social problems</i> . Abdul Hameed & Sons.

Assessment and Examinations

Sr. #	Elements	Weightage	Details
1	Midterm Assessment	35%	Written test (at the mid-point of the semester)
2	Formative Assessment	25%	Assignment, presentation and quiz
3	Final Assessment	40%	Written test (at the end of the semester)