

BS (4 Years) for Affiliated Colleges



Code	Subject Title	Cr. Hrs	Semester
SOCW-406	Introduction to Criminology	3	VIII
Year	Discipline		
4	Social Work		

Objectives:

1. To help students to develop understanding of the dynamics, origins and cause of Social Deviation, Delinquency and Crime, especially among adolescents and youth.
2. To impart knowledge about the increasing incidence of crime with in the context of our socio-economic and cultural environment.

CONTENTS:

1. Introduction

- a. Definition, meaning and concept of Social Defence and correctional services.
- b. Difference between deviance and crime.
- c. Concept of Probation and Parole.
- d. Rehabilitation of offenders.

2. History and Organization:

- a. History and development of correctional institutions, welfare services and programmes.
- b. Organizational set up of correctional services, like Directorate of Reclamation and Probation etc.

3. Crime and Criminology

- a. Theories related to crime, delinquency and Socio-pathological Behaviour.
- b. Types of Crimes
- c. Causative factors of Crime
- d. Statistics regarding crimes in Pakistan.

4. **Programmes and Services:**

- a. Use of Welfare Services in correctional institutions like Probation, Parole, Juvenile courts, Remand homes etc.
- b. Role of Social institutions in prevention of crime like family, school, peer group and traditional forums like baradri, punchat and jirga systems

5. **Various Theories of Punishments**

- a. Retribution, Deterrence, Reformation and Social Solidarity.

Recommended Books:

- M.Y. John Wiley, The Sociology of Crime.
- Rust, Cysil, The Young Delinquent, N.Y. Applotin & Co.
- Ch. Iqbal, Pakistani Society Aziz Publishers, Lahore 1984.
- Abdullah O Naseef, Encyclopedi of Seerah Pak Book Corporation Aziz Chambers Lahore-3, 1982.
- P.P.C. Law Publication Pakistan – P.L.D. Publishers Nabha Road, Lahore.
- Crime and Criminology, by Sue Titus Reid, The Dryden Press, Hinsdale – Illinois – 1976.
- Community Punishment “A Critical Introduction”, Lan Brownlex, Langman, London and New York, 1998.
- Criminological Theories introduction and Evaluation, Rouald L. Akers, (2nd Edition Fitzroy Dearborn Publishers, Chicago – London – 1999.
- the Oxford Handbook of Criminology (2nd Edition, 1997), Edited by Mike Magnire Rode, Morgan, Robert Reiner.
- Principles Sentencing, Readings on Theory and Policy, Edited by Andrew Vn Hirsch & Andrew, 2nd Edition, Hart Publishing Oxford, 1998.
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