Revised Draft Syllabus For

B.A.PART - I
SEM - I & II (SOCIOLOGY)

Syllabus to be implemented from June 2013 onwards.
Draft Syllabus

B.A. PART - I
SEM - I

(SOCIOLOGY) PAPER - I

INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY

1. **The Nature of Sociology**:
   A) Sociology: Definition and subject matter of sociology
   B) Origin and Development of Sociology: A Brief outline
   C) Importance of Sociology

2. **Some Basic Concepts**:
   A) Social Interaction: Meaning and Types (Focused and Unfocused Interaction)
   B) Society: Meaning and Characteristics of Human society
   C) Social Institution: Meaning and characteristics

3. **Major Social Institutions**:
   A) Family: Definition and Distinctive characteristics
   B) Religion: Definition and Functions
   C) Education: Meaning and Types

4. **Culture**
   A) Definition and Characteristics
   B) Components of culture
   C) Functions of culture

**Books Recommended**:

Brom, Leonard and Selznick Phillip: Sociology, Raw, Peterson and company, New York, 1957


Inkeles Alex: What is Sociology?: Intlewood Cliffs, Inc., prentice Hall, New Delhi 1964


Sangave, Vilas : Samajshastra (in Marathi), Popular Prakashan, Mumbai.
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1. Socialization
   A) Definition and stages of socialization
   B) Agencies of socialization
   C) Importance of Socialization

2. Social Groups
   A) Meaning and characteristics of Social Groups
   B) Bases of classification of Social Groups
   C) Primary and Secondary Groups

3. Social Deviance and Control
   A) Social Deviance : Meaning and causes
   B) Social Control : Meaning and Agencies
   C) Forms of Social Control

4. Social Change
   A) Social Change : Meaning and Nature
   B) Factors of Social Change
   C) Obstacles of Social Change

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