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Department of Economics

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The above link will remain active till 27th September 2020 (SUNDAY). The Course Code and Title are as follows:

ECO-O-505: Basic Issues of Indian Economy

A copy of the Syllabus is hereby attached.

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SYLLABUS FOR ECONOMICS OPEN ELECTIVE UNDER CBCS

ECO-O-505: BASIC ISSUES OF INDIAN ECONOMY

Objective: The objective of the paper is to acquaint the students to the basic components of the Indian economy.

Module I: Concept of National Income and Issues of Indian Economy

GDP, GNP, NNP, Per Capita Income, measurement of National Income, Sustainable development and Green GNP, HDI.

Planning – Objectives and achievements, growth of national Income, population, poverty, unemployment and inflation, rural development programmes – MGNREGA, PMGSY and Indira Awas Yojna - evaluation.

Module II: Indian Agriculture

Importance of agriculture, trends in agricultural production and productivity, Green revolution and its impact, land reforms, PDS and food security, National Agricultural policy, APCI, Remunerative prices, Farm subsidies, Water resources.

Module III: Public Finance

Sources of public revenue and types of expenditure; problems in mobilization of Revenue, Revenue deficit and Fiscal deficit; causes of persistent deficits Trends in revenue and expenditure of Government of India, Finance Commission of India, NITI Aayog, Centre-State financial relations.

Module IV: Economic Reforms in India and Balance of Payment

Concept of globalisation, Rationale for economic reforms, Banking and Financial sector reforms (Narasimham Committee Recommendations), Impact of reforms on economic growth, trend and growth of FDI in India, India's balance of payments position, WTO and India.

Recommended Readings:

1. Bardhan, P., *The Political Economy of Development in India*, Oxford University Press, New Delhi, 1999.
2. Jalan, B., *The Indian Economy—Problems and Prospects*, Viking, New Delhi, 1992.
3. Ahluwalia, I. J. and I. M. D. Little (eds.), *India's Economic Reforms and Development (Essays in Honour of Manmohan Singh)*, Oxford University Press, New Delhi, 1999.
4. Kapila, Uma (Ed.), *India's Economic Reforms*, Academic Foundation, New Delhi.
5. Government of India, *Economic Survey (Annual)*, Ministry of Finance, New Delhi.
6. Dutt and Sundaram, (Latest edition) *Indian Economy*, S.Chand and Company, New Delhi.
7. Mundle, S., *Public Finance: Policy Issues for India*, Oxford University Press, New Delhi, 1999.