

**Academic Session-2024-25**  
**Subject- Sociology**  
**Class-XI**  
**Syllabus**

<b>1</b>	<p><b>Unit I- origin and Emergence</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Emergence of Sociology: Historical Background Meaning, Nature and Scope of Sociology.</li> <li>2. Relationship of Sociology with other Social Sciences: Political Science, History, Economics, Psychology and Anthropology.</li> </ol>
<b>2</b>	<p><b>Unit II- Basic Concepts in Sociology</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. Society, Community and Association: Society – Meaning and Features, Relationship between individual and society; Community – Meaning and features; Association – Meaning and Features, Difference between Society, Community and Association.</li> <li>4. Social Groups: Meaning and Features, Types – Primary and Secondary group, In-group and Out-group.</li> </ol>
<b>3</b>	<p><b>Unit III- Culture , Socialisation and Social Institutions</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5. Culture: Meaning and features, Material and Non-Material culture.</li> <li>6. Socialisation: Meaning, Socialisation as a process of learning, Agencies of Socialisation: Formal and Informal Agencies.</li> <li>7. Marriage, Family and Kinship.</li> <li>8. Polity, Religion, Economy and Education.</li> </ol>
<b>4</b>	<p><b>Unit IV- Social Structure, Social Stratification, Social Change and Founding Fathers of Sociology</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9. Social Structure: Meaning, features and Elements – Status and Role.</li> <li>10. Social Stratification: Concept, Forms, Caste and Class, Features and Differences.</li> <li>11. Social Change: Meaning, Features and Factors – Demographic, Educational and Technological.</li> <li>12. Western Sociological Thinkers: Auguste Comte – Positivism, Law of Three Stages, Karl Marx – Class and Class conflict, Emile Durkheim –Social Facts, Division of Labour, Max Weber – Social Action, Types of Authority, Sociology of Religion.</li> </ol>