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(SEMESTER - II)

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B.A (Prog.) with Human Development and Family Empowerment (HDFE) as Major Category-II

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE – DSC-3-HDFE: ADULTHOOD AND AGEING THROUGH A LIFE SPAN PERSPECTIVE

Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisite of the Course

Course title	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility	Pre-requisite
& Code		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice	criteria	of the course (If any)
Adulthood and Ageing through a Lifespan perspective	4	2		2		DSC-1-HDFE and DSC-2-HDFE (both as Major)

Learning Objectives:

- 1. To understand the developmental patterns in early, middle and late adulthood.
- 2. To understand the needs and challenges of the older adults.
- 3. To use research tools to investigate the ageing process and develop critical thinking skills, necessary to do research in the field of ageing.

Learning Outcomes:

After completion of the course, the students will be able to:

- 1. Understand the characteristics of Adulthood and old age.
- 2. Understand the challenges of adulthood and ageing and the coping strategies.
- 3. Students will develop awareness about the developmental patterns in adulthood.
- 4. Sensitizing students towards the concerns of adulthood and ageing.

THEORY (Credits: 2, Periods: 30)

Unit 1: Adulthood and Ageing

(10 hours)

- *Unit Description*: This unit will introduce the concept of adulthood and ageing
- Subtopics:
 - o Understand definition
 - o Concept and scope of ageing as a field of study
 - o Theoretical perspectives on ageing
 - o Developmental Tasks of Adulthood

Unit 2: Early & Middle Adulthood

(10 hours)

- *Unit Description*: This unit will introduce the concept of early and middle adulthood.
- Subtopics:
 - Characteristics
 - o Developmental milestones Physical, cognitive, social and emotional development

Unit 3: Late Adulthood

(10 hours)

- *Unit Description*: This unit will introduce the concept of Late adulthood.
- Subtopics:
 - o Definition
 - Characteristics
 - Developmental milestones
 - o Physical changes in males and females
 - Psychological implications of physical changes. Social Emotional Development.
 Cognitive Development

PRACTICAL (Credits: 2, Periods: 60)

- Unit 1: Conduct Case profile of a senior citizen (30 hours)
- Unit 2: Visit to a senior citizen home and /or Movie review (30 hours)

Essential / recommended readings:

- 1. Berk, L. E. (2017). *Development through the lifespan* (7rd edition). US: Pearson Education.
- 2. Rice, F.P. (1998). *Human Development: A Life-span Approach* (3rd edition). US: Prentice Hall.
- 3. Santrock, J. W. (2011). Life-span development (13th ed.). McGraw-Hill Education.
- 4. Verma, P., Srivastava D. N. and Singh, A. (1996). *Bal manovigyan and bal vikas*. Agra: Agrawal Publication

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Patrick, J.H., Hayslip Jr. B., Sawyer, L.H. (2000). *Adult Development and aging: Growth, longevity and challenges* (1st edition). Sage Publications
- 2. Singh, A. (2015). Foundation of Human development: A lifespan approach. Hyderabad: Orient Blackswan Pvt.
- 3. Singh, V. (2007). Bal vikas avam bal manovigyan. Jaipur: Panchsheel Prakashan

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE – DSC-4-HDFE: INTRODUCTION TO HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisite of the Course

Course title	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility	Pre-requisite
& Code		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice	criteria	of the course (if any)
Introduction to Human Development	4	2	-	2	Class XII Pass	DSC-1-HDFE and DSC-2-HDFE (both as Major)

Learning Objectives:

- 1. To create an understanding of various stages of lifespan development.
- 2. To understand developmental changes occurring during infancy, childhood, adolescence.
- 3. To understand the conflicts during various stages of lifespan development and ways to deal with it.

Learning Outcomes:

After completion of the course, the students will be able to:

- 1. Understand developmental changes occurring during the lifespan with respect to infancy, childhood, adolescence
- 2. Understand various stages of lifespan development with respect to conflicts and ways to deal with it.
- 3. Learn the basic skills of research and documentation and apply the knowledge of methods of data collection in real life situations.

THEORY

(Credits: 2; Periods: 30)

Unit 1: Development in early years: The new-born and stage of infancy (10 Hours)

- *Unit Description:* This unit will discuss about the development in early years
- Subtopics:
 - New-born: Characteristics.
 - o Reflexes
 - o Infant developmental milestones

Unit 2: Childhood- Early & Middle

(10 Hours)

- *Unit Description:* This unit will introduce all domains of development with regard to early and middle childhood period.
- Subtopics:
 - o Physical Development.
 - o Socio-emotional Development.
 - o Cognitive and Language Development

Unit 3: Adolescence (10 Hours)

- Unit Description: This unit will introduce regarding adolescent age group
- Subtopics:
 - o Definition.
 - o Characteristics.
 - o Developmental milestones.
 - o Physical changes in males and females.
 - o Psychological implications of physical changes.
 - o Social Emotional Development.
 - o Cognitive Development.

PRACTICAL (Credit: 2, Periods: 60)

Unit 1: Understand Methods and techniques of child study. (15 hours)

Unit 2: Conduct any 2 interviews. (30 hours)

Unit 3: Conduct any 1 observation. (15 hours)

Essential / recommended readings:

- 1. Bee, H. L (2011). *The developing child*. London: Pearson.
- 2. Berk, L. E. (2017). Development through the lifespan (7rd edition). US: Pearson Education.
- 3. Santrock, J. W. (1996). Child development. New York: Tata McGraw Hill
- 4. Verma, P., Srivastava D. N. and Singh, A. (1996). *Bal manovigyan and bal vikas*. Agra: Agrawal Publication.

Suggestive readings:

- 1. Papilla, D.E., Olds, S. W. and Feldman, R. D (2004). *Human development*. New York: Mcgraw Hill.
- 2. Singh, A. (2015). Foundation of Human development: A lifespan approach. London: Orient Longman.
- 3. Singh, V. (2007). Bal vikas avam bal manovigyan. Jaipur: Panchsheel Prakashan.
- 4. Sapra, R. (2007). *Manav vikas: Ek parichaya*. New Delhi: Vishwa Bharti Publications. Chapter 1, pg 1-6

B.A (Prog.) with Human Development and Family Empowerment (HDFE) as Non-Major Category-III

DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE – DSC-4-HDFE: INTRODUCTION TO HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Credit distribution, Eligibility and Pre-requisite of the Course

Course title	Credits	Credit distribution of the course			Eligibility	Pre-requisite
& Code		Lecture	Tutorial	Practical/ Practice	criteria	of the course (if any)
Introduction to Human Development	4	2	-	2	Class XII Pass	DSC-2-HDFE (Non-Major)

Learning Objectives:

- 1. To create an understanding of various stages of lifespan development.
- 2. To understand developmental changes occurring during infancy, childhood, adolescence.
- 3. To understand the conflicts during various stages of lifespan development and ways to deal with it.

Learning Outcomes:

After completion of the course, the students will be able to:

- 1. Understand developmental changes occurring during the lifespan with respect to infancy, childhood, adolescence
- 2. Understand various stages of lifespan development with respect to conflicts and ways to deal with it
- 3. Learn the basic skills of research and documentation and apply the knowledge of methods of data collection in real life situations.

THEORY

(Credits: 2; Periods: 30)

Unit 1: Development in early years: The new-born and stage of infancy (10 Hours)

- *Unit Description:* This unit will discuss about the development in early years
- Subtopics:
 - o New-born: Characteristics.
 - o Reflexes
 - Infant developmental milestones

Unit 2: Childhood- Early & Middle

(10 Hours)

- *Unit Description:* This unit will introduce all domains of development with regard to early and middle childhood period.
- Subtopics:
 - o Physical Development.
 - o Socio-emotional Development.
 - o Cognitive and Language Development

Unit 3: Adolescence (10 Hours)

- *Unit Description:* This unit will introduce regarding adolescent age group
- Subtopics:
 - o Definition.
 - o Characteristics.
 - o Developmental milestones.
 - o Physical changes in males and females.
 - o Psychological implications of physical changes.
 - o Social Emotional Development.
 - o Cognitive Development.

PRACTICAL (Credit: 2, Periods:60)

Unit 1: Understand Methods and techniques of child study.

(15 hours)

Unit 2: Conduct any 2 interviews.

(30 hours)

Unit 3: Conduct any 1 observation.

(15 hours)

Essential / recommended readings:

- 1. Bee, H. L (2011). *The developing child*. London: Pearson.
- 2. Berk, L. E. (2017). Development through the lifespan (7rd edition). US: Pearson Education.
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