Ten Paper Scheme for M.A. Sociology

M.A. (Previous) Sociology – 2014-15

M.M. 100 for each paper

Paper - I Principles of Sociology (4681)

Paper – II Classical Sociological Tradition (4682)

Paper – III Methodology of Social Research (4683)

Paper- IV: Any ONE of the following

Paper IV A Environment and Society (4684 A)

or

Paper IV B Sociology of Mass Communication (4684 B)

or

Paper IV C Rural Society In India (4684 C)

or

Paper IV D Sociology of Religion (4684 D)

Paper V Any ONE of the following

Paper V A Sociology of Health (4685 A)

or

Paper V B Industry and Society in India (4685 B)

or

Paper V C Criminology (4685 C)

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Paper V Any one of the following

Paper- V (C): Criminology

M.M. 100

UNIT - A

- Conceptual Approaches to Crime: Legal, Behavioral and Sociological.
- Types of Crime Economic, Violent, White-Collar.
- Perspectives on Crime Causation : Classical, Positivist, Psychological, Sociological,
 Marxian, Geographical.
- Concept and Types of Deviance.

UNIT - B

- Changing Profile of Crime and Criminals: Organized Crimes, Crimes Against Women and Children, Cyber Crimes, Corruption.

UNIT - C

- Theories of Punishment: Retributive, Deterrent, Preventive and Reformative.
- Collective Crime : Gang, Terrorism, Communal Riots.

UNIT - D

- Prison: Concept, Aims, History of Prison in India, Prison Reforms, Self Image Model of Socialisation with in Prison Walls.
- Open Prison : Concept, Characteristics, Importance, Psychological Basis of Open
 Prison, Open Prison in India.

UNIT – E

Correction and its forms:

- Probation and Parole.
- Role of Police in Crime Prevention.
- Problems of Correctional Programmes.

Essential readings

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Pedagogy

The students should be provided an opportunity to observe the working of the police, judiciary and prisons of the region. They should be taken to modern jails, reformatories, Borstal Homes and Drug Addiction Centres to see for themselves the working of these institutions and to interact with both the staff and the inmates of these institutions. Special sessions may also be organized for interaction with some of the leading and knowledgeable functionaries of the criminal justice administration system. All this will go a long way to stimulate their interest in the study of the course.