

PH.D COURSEWORK SYLLABUS

IN PHILOSOPHY

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Syllabus for Ph.D. Coursework in Philosophy

(Internal Assignment: 10 marks and Written Examination: 40 marks)

Paper	Name of the course	Crerdit	Marks
1	<p><u>Unit -I</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Fundamentals of Research 2. Research Methods 3. Research Methodology <p><u>Unit - II</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. One Term Paper related to same topic of the research is to be submitted for presentation in the Departmental Seminar 5. Use of Microsoft Office and Internet Surfing 	4	<p>50+30+20=100</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 50 2. 20 (Written) + 10 (Viva) = 30 3. 20
2	<p><u>Unit-I</u></p> <p>(Any four of the following as decided by the Departmental Committee in each academic session)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>tarka</i> 2. <i>vāda</i> 3. <i>jalpa</i> 4. <i>vitandā</i> 5. <i>chala</i> 6. <i>jāti</i> 7. <i>nīgrahasthāna</i> 8. <i>saṃśaya</i> 9. <i>vyaptigrahopāya (Nyāya & Bauddha)</i> 10. <i>śaktigrahopāya</i> <p><u>Unit- II</u></p> <p>(Any two of the following as decided by the Departmental Committee in each academic session)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Socratic Method 2. Sceptical Method 3. Critical Method 4. Deductive Method 5. Inductive Method 	4	<p>50+50=100</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 50 2. 50

Paper 1

Unit -I

Suggested Readings:

1. Norman Balaikie: Approaches to Social Enquiry, Cambridge: Polity Press, 1993
2. Chris Daly: An Introduction to Philosophical Methods, Broadview Press, 2010
3. C.R. Kothari: Research Methodology: Methods and Techniques 3rd Ed.

Paper 1

Unit -I

Suggested Readings:

1. Gautama: *Nyāyasūtra* with *Vātsyāyanabhāṣya*, Ed. By Phaṇibhuṣaṇa Tarkavāgīśa, Paschim Banga Rajya Pustak Parsad
2. Gautama: *Nyāyasūtra* with *Vātsyāyanabhāṣya*, Ed. By Gaṅgānāth Jha, Motilal Banarsidass
3. Th. Stcherbatsky: Buddhist Logic, Vol. 2
4. B. K. Matilal: Epistemology, Logic and Grammar in Indian Philosophy
5. Viśvanātha: *Bhāṣāpariccheda* with *Siddhāntamuktāvali*

Unit -II

Suggested Readings:

1. Plato: Theatetus Trd. And annotated by Conford or John McDowell
2. Plato: The Republic Tr. By Lee
3. R. Ackerman : Modern Deductive Logic
4. Bason & O'Connor: Introduction to Symbolic Logic
5. Carl Hempel: Philosophy of Natural Science
6. I.M. Copi: An Introduction to Logic
