

Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University, Amravati

Syllabus Prescribed under Choice based Credit System 2022-23

**The Berar General Education Society's
Shri. Kisanlal Nathmal Goenka Arts & Commerce College,
Karanja Lad, Dist. Washim**

Programme : UG

B.A. I-Semester II

Code of the Course/Subject	Title of the Course/Subject	(Total Number of Periods)
1022 / Economics	Economy of Maharashtra	75 Periods

Unit	Contents	Periods
Unit 1	Introduction :Economy of Maharashtra	12 L
1.1	Geographical Features of Maharashtra: Location, administrative structure, land, forest, climate , rainfall and mineral resources	
1.2	Main features of Economy of Maharashtra	
1.3	Regional disparities in Maharashtra	
Unit 2	Demographic Features of Maharashtra	12 L
2.1	Population: Size and growth rate, Density ,Birth rate, Death rate. Urban and Rural population – Literacy rate – Sex ratio	
2.2	Migration of Rural Population	
2.3	Urbanization in Maharashtra	
Unit 3	Agriculture in Maharashtra	12 L
3.1	Cropping pattern&Irrigation in Maharashtra	
3.2	Productivity of Agriculture – Causesof Low Productivity and its Remedies.	
3.3	Special Issues in Vidarbha	
	Farmers' Suicides	
	Irrigation Backlog	
Unit 4	Industry and Infrastructure in Maharashtra	12 L
4.1	Main Features of Industrial Development in Maharashtra	
4.2	Small Scale Industries and Agro-based Industries in Maharashtra	
4.3	FDI in Maharashtra	
4.4	Development of Railways, Roads, Water &Air Transport in Maharashtra	

Unit V	Service Sector in Maharashtra		
5.1	The role & performance of service sector in Maharashtra.		12 L
5.2	Type, Importance & Problems of service sector in Maharashtra		
5.3	Tourism in Maharashtra		
Skill Enhancement Module(SEM): Agro-based Industries			
Cos	1. To introduce Argo-based Industries		
	2. To understand how to create new employment opportunities from Argo-based Industries		
Contents of Module	1. Scope & Importance of Argo-based Industries 2. Types of Argo-based Industries 3. Functioning of Argo-based Industries		
*Activities			15 L
	1	Field Visit	
	2	Group Discussion	
	3	Viva-Voce	

Course Material/Learning

Resources Reference Book:

- Bhattacharya Rakhee (Editor) (2022), Regional Development and Public Policy Challenges in India, Rawat Publications, Jaipur
- Government of Maharashtra :Economic Survey of Maharashtra, Various Issues.
- KambleGautam, ShreeniwasKhandewale, Khwaja G.S. (2021) Politics of Regional Development, , Rawat Publications, Jaipur
- Maharashtra Development Report 2007- Planning Commission, Govt. of India, New Delhi.
- Munagekar Bhalchandra (2003) :The Economy of Maharashtra – Changing Structure and Emerging Issues, Dr.Ambedkar Institute of Social and Economic Change, **Mumbai.**