



Dr. N.G.P. ARTS AND SCIENCE COLLEGE

(An Autonomous Institution, Affiliated to Bharathiar University, Coimbatore)

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REGULATIONS 2025-26 for Post Graduate Programme

(Outcome Based Education model with Choice Based Credit System)

Master of Social Work (MSW)

(For the students admitted during the academic year 2025-26 and onwards)

Programme: Master of Social Work (MSW)

Eligibility

Candidates for admission to the first year of the Master of Social Work full time degree course shall be required to possess a pass in "Bachelor's Degree" of any University and as per the norms set by the Government of Tamil Nadu or an Examination accepted as equivalent hereto by the Academic Council, subject to such conditions as may be described there to are permitted to appear and qualify for the MSW Post Graduate Degree Examination of this College after a course of study of two academic years.

Programme Educational Objectives

The Curriculum is designed to attain the following learning goals which students shall accomplish by the time of their graduation:

1. Gain knowledge on the utilization of Social Work practice theories and methods with individuals, families and groups
2. Apply ethics, values, methods, professional skills, approaches and techniques in Social Work Practice with diverse and vulnerable populations.
3. Acquire specialization based proficiency and will suitably translate the Principles and Methods of Social Work in their respective settings
4. Impart professional training through Field Work in order to provide manpower in various fields and capable of working at various levels of micro, meso and macro systems
5. Understand the forms and mechanisms of oppression and discrimination and advocate for human rights and social and economic justice.
6. Enhance knowledge, skills and competencies to meet the requirements of industries, psychiatric and community welfare settings.

7. Train professional social worker to be independent and lifelong learning in the broadest context of socio-cultural, economic, environmental, political and psychological changes in the society.

PROGRAMME OUTCOMES:

On the successful completion of the program, the following are the expected outcomes.

PO Number	PO Statement
PO1	To facilitate the students to learn the concepts, history, philosophy, fields of Social Work, and Social Work education.
PO2	To inculcate Social Work knowledge, Professional Ethics, Principles and methods to guide professional practice.
PO3	Provide training in applying skills in social work practice and social work research in different fields for achieving desirable changes and development
PO4	Apply critical thinking to inform and communicate professional judgment in Social Work Practice
PO5	Apply knowledge of social systems and human behaviour to promote social change, problem solving in human relationships.

MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK

Credit Distribution

Subjects	No. of Papers	Credit	Semester No.
Core	15	60	I to IV
EDC	1	1x4 = 4	II
Elective	4	4 x 4 =16	II to IV
Internship / Block Placement	2	2 x 2 = 4	III & IV
Project Work	1	1 x 8 = 8	IV
Total	23	92	

PG CURRICULUM

MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK
ACADEMIC YEAR 25-26

Course Code	Course Category	Course Name	L	T	P	Instruction Hours		Exam (h)	Max Marks			Credits
						Week	Total		CIA	ESE	Total	
First Semester												
25SWP1CA	Core - I	Introduction to Professional Social Work	4	-	-	4	48	3	25	75	100	4
25SWP1CB	Core - II	Psychology for Social Work	3	1	-	4	48	3	25	75	100	4
25SWP1CC	Core - III	Sociology for Social Work	4	-	-	4	48	3	25	75	100	4
25SWP1CD	Core - IV	Social Case Work	4	-	-	4	48	3	25	75	100	4
25SWP1CE	Core - V	Social Group Work	3	1	-	4	48	3	25	75	100	4
25SWP1FW	Core - VI	Concurrent Field Work - I and Group Project	-	-	10	10	120	3	40	60	100	4
Total			18	2	10	30	360	-	-	-	600	24

Course Code	Course Category	Course Name	L	T	P	Instruction Hours		Exam (h)	Max Marks			Credits
						Week	Total		CIA	ESE	Total	
Second Semester												
25SWP2CA	Core - VII	Community Organization and Social Action	4	-	-	4	48	3	25	75	100	4
25SWP2CB	Core - VIII	Social Work Research and Statistics	3	1	-	4	48	3	25	75	100	4
25SWP2CC	Core - IX	Social Welfare Administration and Social Policy	4	-	-	4	48	3	25	75	100	4
25SWP2EA	EDC	Corporate Social Responsibility	4	-	-	4	48	3	25	75	100	4
25SWP2DA	DSE - I	Human Resource Management	3	1	-	4	48	3	25	75	100	4
25SWP2DB		Medical Social Work										
25SWP2DC		Rural Community Development										
25SWP2FW	Core - X	Concurrent Field Work - II and Rural / Tribal Camp	-	-	10	10	120	3	40	60	100	4
Total			18	2	10	30	360	-	-	-	600	24

Course Code	Course Category	Course Name	L	T	P	Instruction Hours		Exam (h)	Max Marks			Credits	
						Week	Total		CIA	ESE	Total		
Third Semester													
25SWP3CA	Core - XI	Social Work for Persons with Disabilities	4	-	-	4	48	3	25	75	100	4	
25SWP3CB	Core - XII	Legal System and Social Legislations in India	4	-	-	4	48	3	25	75	100	4	
25SWP3CC	Core - XIII	Advanced Counselling and Guidance	4	-	-	4	48	3	25	75	100	4	
25SWP3DA	DSE-II	Employee Welfare and Industrial Relations	3	1	-	4	48	3	25	75	100	4	
25SWP3DB		Mental Health and Community Health											
25SWP3DC		Urban Community Development											
25SWP3DD	DSE-III	Labour Legislations	3	1	-	4	48	3	25	75	100	4	
25SWP3DE		Psychiatric Social Work											
25SWP3DF		Tribal Community Development											
25SWP3FW	Core - XIV	Concurrent Field Work - III	-	-	10	10	120	3	40	60	100	4	
25SWP3CT	IT	Internship	-	-	-	-	-	3	40	60	100	2	
Total			18	2	10	30	360	-	-	-	700	26	

Course Code	Course Category	Course Name	L	T	P	Instruction Hours		Exam (h)	Max Marks			Credits
						Week	Total		CIA	ESE	Total	
Fourth Semester												
25SWP4DA	DSE-IV	Organizational Behaviour	3	1	-	4	48	3	25	75	100	4
25SWP4DB		Therapeutic Interventions in Social Work										
25SWP4DC		NGO Management										
25SWP4FW	Core - XV	Concurrent Field Work - IV	-	-	10	10	120	3	40	60	100	4
25SWP4CV	Core - XVI	Project Work and Viva-Voce	-	-	16	16	192	3	80	120	200	8
25SWP4CT	IT	Block Placement	-	-	-	-	-	3	40	60	100	2
Total			3	1	26	30	360	-	-	-	500	18
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DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE

Students shall select the desired course of their choice in the listed elective course during Semesters II, III, IV.

Semester II (Elective I)

List of Elective Courses

S. No.	Course Code	Course Name
1	25SWP2DA	Human Resource Management
2	25SWP2DB	Medical Social Work
3	25SWP2DC	Rural Community Development

Semester III (Elective II)

List of Elective Courses

S. No.	Course Code	Course Name
1	25SWP3DA	Employee Welfare and Industrial Relations
2	25SWP3DB	Mental Health and Community Health
3	25SWP3DC	Urban Community Development

Semester III (Elective III)

List of Elective Courses

S. No.	Course Code	Course Name
1	25SWP3DD	Labour Legislations
2	25SWP3DE	Psychiatric Social Work
3	25SWP3DF	Tribal Community Development

Semester IV (Elective IV)

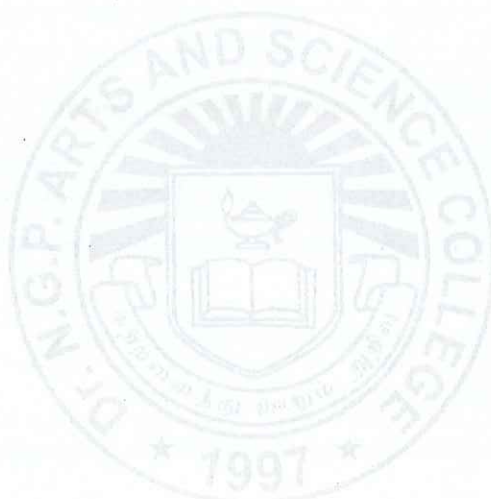
List of Elective Courses

S. No.	Course Code	Course Name
1	25SWP4DA	Organizational Behaviour
2	25SWP4DB	Therapeutic Interventions in Social Work
3	25SWP4DC	NGO Management

EXTRA CREDITS

The following are the courses offered under self study to earn extra credits:

S. No.	Course Code	Course Name
1	25SWPSSA	Disaster Management
2	25SWPSSB	Life skills for Social Work
3	25SWPSSC	Green Social Work



Semester – I							
CORE I: INTRODUCTION TO PROFESSIONAL SOCIAL WORK							
Semester	Course Code	Course Name	Category	L	T	P	Credits
I	25SWP1CA	INTRODUCTION TO PROFESSIONAL SOCIAL WORK	CORE	48	-	-	4

Preamble	<p>This course has been designed for students to learn and understand</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The importance of Social Work methods and techniques. • The need for field work and identifying solution to various social problems. • Knowledge on various fields of Social Work and Social Work at International level.
Prerequisite	Basic understanding about Social Work and Social Service.

Course Outcomes (Cos)		
CO Number	Course Outcomes (COs) Statement	Bloom's Taxonomy Knowledge Level
CO1	Understand the concepts and basics of Social Work.	K2
CO2	Enrich their knowledge about principles and Scope of Social Work.	K2
CO3	Gains Knowledge on major fields of social work.	K3
CO4	Absorb the professionalism in Social Work.	K3
CO5	Evaluate the implication of Social Work Education and Field Work.	K4

Mapping with Program Outcomes:					
Cos/ POs	PO1	PO2	PO3	PO4	PO5
CO1	✓	✓			
CO2		✓	✓		
CO3			✓		✓
CO4		✓		✓	
CO5	✓		✓		✓

25SWP1CA	INTRODUCTION TO PROFESSIONAL SOCIAL WORK
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Unit	Content	Hrs	Resources
I	Introduction to Social Work Social Work - Definition, Meaning, Objectives, History, Philosophy. Concept related to social work: Social Welfare, Social Service, Social Reform, Social Security, Social Justice, Social Defence. Methods of Social Work. Need for Social Science knowledge for Professional Social Workers.	8	Text Book
II	Principles and Scope of Social Work Principles and scope of Social Work. Scope of International Social work practice. Social Development Perspective; Strength Based Social Work; Spirituality Based Social Work. Social Work for Sustainable Development.	10	Text Book
III	Major Fields of Social Work Fields of Social Work: Family and child welfare, Correctional social work, Industrial Social Work, Medical and Psychiatric social work, youth welfare, Community development (Rural, Urban and Tribal). School Social Work, Social Work with Elderly, Youth, Disaster Management, Corporate Social Responsibility, Working with Marginalized Groups, LGBTQIA+	10	Text Book
IV	Models of Social Work Profession Social Work Profession: Values, Ethics and Goals. Ecological Theory, Communication Theory, Existential Approach, Marxist perspectives of Social Work. Eclectic/Integrated Approach to Social Work Practice, preventive model. Models of Social Work: Clinical model, Systems model, Radical model, and Developmental model; National and International Professional Organizations in Social Work: NASW, IASW, IFSW, ISPSW and NAPSWS.	10	Text Book
V	Social Work Education and Field Work Development of Social Work Education in India- Evolution, Nature and content of social work education. Field work and Profession: Importance of Field Work and Supervision. Prospects and problems of Social Work Profession in India.	10	Text Book
Total		48	

Note: Case studies related to the above topics to be discussed (Examined Internal only)

Text book	1.	Sanjay Bhattacharya, 2020, "Social Work: An Integrated Approach", Deep & Deep Publications Pvt Ltd, New Delhi.
	2.	P.D. Misra & Beena Misra, 2015. "Social Work Profession in India", New Royal Book Company, Lucknow.
Reference Books	1.	Neil Thompson, 2022, "Understanding Social Work: Preparing for Practice", Bloomsbury Academic - London.
	2.	Acharya, BC, 2012, "A handbook of Social Work", Wisdom Press, New Delhi.
	3.	Elizabeth A. Segal, 2013. "An Introduction to the Profession of Social Work", Cengage Publications.
	4.	Sanjay Bhattacharya, 2008, "Introduction to Social Work", Deep & Deep Publications Pvt Ltd, New Delhi.

Journal and Magazines	https://journals.tiss.edu/ijsw/index.php/ijsw
E-Resources and Website	https://icssr.org/e-resources-available-nassdoc
	https://egyankosh.ac.in/bitstream/123456789/17105/1/Unit-2.pdf

Learning Method	Lecture method using PPT, Blended learning, Gamification, Field Exposure, Group Discussion, Seminars.
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Focus of the Course	Skill development and Employability.
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Semester - I CORE II: PSYCHOLOGY FOR SOCIAL WORK							
Semester	Course Code	Course Name	Category	L	T	P	Credits
I	25SWP1CB	PSYCHOLOGY FOR SOCIAL WORK	CORE	36	12	-	4

Preamble	<p>This course has been designed for students to learn and understand</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basic insight on human behavior and life stages. • Knowledge on the theories of personality and its influence on human behavior. • To apply theory into practice in the field of Social Work.
Prerequisite	Understanding on the basics of Psychology.

Course Outcomes (Cos)		
CO Number	Course Outcomes (COs) Statement	Bloom's Taxonomy Knowledge Level
CO1	Develop an understanding on the relevance of Psychology in Social Work Practice.	K2
CO2	Demonstrate knowledge of various stages of human growth and development.	K3
CO3	Understand the psychology of Human Behaviour.	K3
CO4	Value human beings and their emotions.	K4
CO5	Apply coping skills and role of social workers in problem solving.	K5

Mapping with Program Outcomes:					
Cos/POs	PO1	PO2	PO3	PO4	PO5
CO1	✓	✓	✓		
CO2	✓	✓	✓		
CO3	✓		✓		
CO4			✓	✓	
CO5		✓		✓	

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Syllabus

Unit	Content	Hrs	Resources
I	Basics of Psychology Psychology: Meaning, Concept and Definition; Various Schools of Psychology: Structural, Functional and Behavioural schools. Scope of application of Psychology in various fields. Current Relevance of psychology for Social Workers.	10	Text Book
II	Human Growth and Development Physical and psychological aspects of various stages of Human growth and development: Birth, Infancy, Babyhood, Childhood, Puberty, Adolescence, Adulthood, Middle Age and Old Age.	10	Text Book & e-Resources
III	Personality, Learning & Motivation Personality: concepts and Factors influencing personality Development - Heredity and Environment; Theories of personality - a brief overview of Psychodynamic and Humanistic theories. Intelligence: - Concept, Theories and Assessment. Learning: Concept, types, theories of Learning; Motivation: Concept, nature and types of Motives with special reference to Social Motives; Basic Theories of Motivation.	10	Text Book & Reference Books
IV	Perception, Emotions & Attitude Perception: Meaning, Types and Principles- Errors in Perception; Emotion: Meaning, function and types; Development of emotions: Individual and Group Emotions. Attitudes: Concept and nature, formation of Attitudes and Attitudes Change in Individuals and Groups, Collective / Crowd Behavior.	10	Text Book & e-Resources
V	Stress, Conflict & Mental Illness Stress, Eustress and Distress: Meaning, causes and effects; Conflict: Meaning, types, coping drives, Emotional Intelligence, Defense Mechanism; Mental Illness / Health: Concept and definition, types - Role of Social Workers in promoting mental health and well-being.	8	Reference Books & e-Resources
Total		48	

Note: Case studies related to the above topics to be discussed (Examined Internal only)

Text book	1.	Hans Raj Bhatia, 2017, "General Psychology", CBS Publishers - New Delhi.
	2.	Elizabeth B Hurlock, 2017, "Developmental Psychology: A Life Span Approach", 5th Edition, McGraw Hill Education.
Reference Books	1.	Clifford T Morgan, 2008, "Introduction to Psychology", TMH -New Delhi.
	2.	Robert S. Feldman, 2022, "Understanding Psychology", McGraw Hill Education.
	3.	Sharma, A. S. 2023, "Counselling Psychology", Common Wealth Publication.

Journal and Magazines	https://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/journal/1464066X https://www.apa.org/pubs/journals/apl
E-Resources and Website	https://www.psychologs.com/the-psychology-of-human-development/ https://archive.mu.ac.in/myweb_test/SYBA%20Study%20Material/edu-II%20psycho.pdf

Learning Method	Lecture method using PPT / Case Study analysis / Field Exposure / Brain Storming / Assignment / Seminar.
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Focus of the Course	Skill Development / Employability
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Semester – I CORE III: SOCIOLOGY FOR SOCIAL WORK							
Semester	Course Code	Course Name	Category	L	T	P	Credits
I	25SWP1CC	SOCIOLOGY FOR SOCIAL WORK	CORE	48	-	-	4

Preamble	<p>This course has been designed for students to learn and understand</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowledge and culture of Indian Society and learn about various social institutions in our country. • The Social problems that are prevalent in our society and various agencies of social control. • With a strong conceptual grounding that helps in laying a strong understanding.
Prerequisite	Understanding about Indian Society.

Course Outcomes (Cos)		
CO Number	Course Outcomes (COs) Statement	Bloom's Taxonomy Knowledge Level
CO1	Learn about Indian Society, Communities and relevance of Sociology knowledge for Social Work.	K2
CO2	Understand the concepts Socialization, Social Control and Social groups.	K2
CO3	Learn about various Institutions like Family and Marriage.	K3
CO4	Acquire knowledge about Social stratification, Caste system and Social Change.	K4
CO5	Analyze various social problems and apply suitable social work methods to address the issues.	K4

Mapping with Program Outcomes:					
Cos / POs	PO1	PO2	PO3	PO4	PO5
CO1	✓		✓		
CO2	✓	✓			
CO3	✓		✓		
CO4	✓		✓		
CO5		✓		✓	✓

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Syllabus

Unit	Content	Hrs	Resources
I	Society Definition, concept, characteristics-structure and functions of society-Relationship between individual and society. Meaning of sociology, Association, institution. Community: concept, definition; Characteristics of rural, urban and tribal communities. Relevance of Sociology for Social Work Profession. Difference between sociology and social work.	10	Text Book
II	Socialization Concept, importance and functions, agencies of socialization-Social control: meaning, mechanisms of social control; Culture: concept, influence on individuals; Cultural change; Social Groups: concept-definition, characteristics and classification of social groups. Social Networking.	10	Text Book
III	Social Institutions Marriage: Functions, forms, Family system in India: Types, functions, forms, and contemporary changes, conflict, break down and adjustments; Recent trends in family relationships (gay, lesbians, dating, live relationship, Surrogacy).	10	Text Book
IV	Social Stratification and Social Change Definition and characteristics, caste and class; Caste system: traditional Varna system, theories on the origin and development, modern trends of caste system in India Social change: concept, definition and factors leading to social change. Globalization, Modernization.	10	Text Book
V	Social problems Nature and extent of social problems and issues in India; Role of social workers in Poverty, Corruption, Delinquency, Alcoholism and Drug Addiction, Illiteracy, Terrorism, Crime, Suicide. Issues related to Women, Children, Transgender, Aged, Disabled Environmental Pollution, Cyber Crime, Digital Addiction, Social Media Problems, Human rights.	8	Text Book
Total		48	

Note: Case studies related to the above topics to be discussed (Examined Internal only)

Text book	1.	Vidyabhushan, 2022, "An Introduction to Sociology", Kitab Mahal, New Delhi.
	2.	Shankar Rao C.N, 2006. "Sociology", S.Chand, New Delhi.
Reference Books	1.	Ram Ahuja, 2012, "Social Problems in India", Rawat Publications.
	2.	B.K. Nagla, 2022, "Indian Sociological Thought", Third Edition, Rawat Publications.
	3.	Bitasta Das, 2018, "Social Problems, Women Empowerment, Population Issues and Diversity of India For Civil Services Main Examination", Gk - New Delhi.

Journal and Magazines	https://journals.sagepub.com/home/jos https://iaeme.com/Home/journal/INDIS#
E-Resources and Website	https://ccsuniversity.ac.in/bridge-library/pdf/Social%20Problems%20Ram%20Ahuja.pdf http://vidyamitra.inflibnet.ac.in/index.php/search

Learning Method	Lecture method using PPT, Participatory Rural Appraisal, Group Projects, Seminars.
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Focus of the Course	Skill Development/ Employability
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Semester – I CORE IV: SOCIAL CASE WORK							
Semester	Course Code	Course Name	Category	L	T	P	Credits
I	25SWP1CD	SOCIAL CASE WORK	CORE	48	-	-	4

Preamble	<p>This course has been designed for students to learn and understand</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The concept and meaning of Social Case Work. • The components and process of Social Case Work. • The approaches and intervention in Social Case Work.
Prerequisite	Basic knowledge on the Social Work Concept and Methods.

Course Outcomes (Cos)		
CO Number	Course Outcomes (COs) Statement	Bloom's Taxonomy Knowledge Level
CO1	Understand values and principles of social case work	K2
CO2	Apply the knowledge of Social Case Work to solve the problems of individuals.	K3
CO3	Identify the approaches and interventions of case work and its application in the Indian context.	K4
CO4	Analyze problem of individuals and role of workers in different settings.	K5
CO5	Develop appropriate skills and attitudes to work with individuals.	K5

Mapping with Program Outcomes:					
Cos / POs	PO1	PO2	PO3	PO4	PO5
CO1		✓	✓		
CO2	✓	✓	✓		
CO3	✓		✓		
CO4			✓	✓	
CO5			✓		✓

25SWP1CD	SOCIAL CASE WORK
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Syllabus

Unit	Content	Hrs	Resources
I	Fundamentals of Social Case Work Meaning, Definition, Nature and Scope of social Case Work. Types of problems faced by Individuals. Principles of case work, Relationship of Social Case Work with other methods of Social Work, Historical Development of Social Case Work in West and India.	9	Text Book
II	Components, Phases and Tools Components: Person, Problem, Place and Process. Phases of case work: Intake, Case Study, Diagnosis (Process, Types and Data for Diagnosis), Treatment, Evaluation, Termination and Follow up. Tools of SCW: Listening, observation, interview, relationship and home visit.	10	Text Book
III	Approaches & Interventions Psychosocial Approach, Psychoanalytical Approach, Functional Approach, Problem Solving Approach, Task centered approach, Client centered therapy, Crisis intervention and Family Therapy - application of these approaches in Indian contexts, Counselling and Psychotherapy - Similarities and Differences -Social Case Work Recording: Need, Structure & content of Case Work records and Types of Recording.	10	Text Book
IV	Social Case Work in Different Settings Primary settings: family, and child welfare. Secondary settings: Welfare Settings, Marriage counselling centers, School Settings, Medical and Psychiatric Settings, Correctional Institutions, and Industry.	9	Text Book
V	Skills & trends in Social Case Work Problems and limitations of Social Case Work practice in India; Skills of Social Case Worker; Impact of Social, Cultural factors on individual and families; Practice and Research in Social Case Work; Use of single case evaluation and Ethnography as Research methods in Social Case Work.	10	Text Book
Total		48	

Note: Case studies related to the above topics to be discussed (Examined Internal only)

Text book	1.	Upadhyay, R. K, 2022, "Social Casework: A Therapeutic Approach", Rawat Publications, India.
	2.	Hamilton, G., 2013, "Theory and Practice of Social Case Work", Rawat Publications, India.
Reference Books	1.	Neil Thompson, 2022, "Understanding Social Work: Preparing for practice", Bloomsbury Academic, London.
	2.	Trevor Lindsay, 2013, "Social Work intervention", Sage Publications, London.
	3.	Sanjay Bhattacharya, 2020, "Social Work: An Integrated Approach", Deep & Deep Publications Pvt Ltd, New Delhi.

Journal and Magazines	https://search.worldcat.org/title/social-casework-the-journal-of-contemporary-social-work/oclc/781577172
E-Resources and Website	https://www.yourarticlelibrary.com/sociology/social-casework-processes-study-and-diagnosis/36564 https://www.slideshare.net/surendrashah6/complete-note-of-casework

Learning Method	Lecture method using PPT, Case Study analysis, Field Exposure, One-on-One Counselling, Single Case Evaluation.
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Focus of the Course	Entrepreneurship, Skill Development/ Employability
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Semester – I CORE V: SOCIAL GROUP WORK							
Semester	Course Code	Course Name	Category	L	T	P	Credits
I	25SWP1CE	SOCIAL GROUP WORK	CORE	36	12	-	4

Preamble	<p>This course has been designed for students to learn and understand</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowledge about the concept of Social Group Work. • The group work process & theories. • Competencies to use Social Group Work method in different settings.
Prerequisite	Basic knowledge on the Social Work Concept and Methods.

Course Outcomes (Cos)		
CO Number	Course Outcomes (COs) Statement	Bloom's Taxonomy Knowledge Level
CO1	Understand the values and principle of group work.	K2
CO2	To apply suitable theories and models to resolve the problems of Groups.	K3
CO3	Identify the process of group work and factors of group formation.	K4
CO4	To analyze and implement empirical-based group interventions and evaluate group effectiveness.	K5
CO5	Develop appropriate skills and attitudes to work with groups.	K5

Mapping with Program Outcomes:					
Cos / POs	PO1	PO2	PO3	PO4	PO5
CO1	✓	✓			
CO2	✓	✓	✓		
CO3		✓	✓		
CO4		✓			✓
CO5	✓	✓			

25SWP1CE	SOCIAL GROUP WORK
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Unit	Content	Hrs	Resources
I	Basics in Social Group Work Social Group Work - Definition, characteristics, Nature and Objectives, Values, Principles, Scope, Historical Development and current application of Group Work as a method. Basic assumption and philosophy behind Social Group Work. Psychological Needs that are being met in Groups.	8	Text Book
II	Theories and Models in Social Group Work Models of Social Group Work, Knowledge base for Group Work: Psycho-analytic theory, Learning theory, Field theory, Social exchange theory and Systems theory; Group dynamics: Definition, Functions and basic assumptions; Types of Group Work; Communication with Groups.	10	Text Book
III	Process of Social Group Work Planning stage, Beginning stage, Middle stage, and Ending stage; Group Process - Bond, Group Cohesion, Acceptance, Isolation, Rejection, Sub-groups scapegoats, Conflict and Control; Leadership Development and Team building; Factors of Group formation.	10	Text Book
IV	Techniques of Social Group Work Social Group Work Recording: Use of Social Group Work records, Principles and Problems of Group Work Recording; Group therapy: Significance of Group therapy, Programme planning and its principles in Social Group Work, Use of Psychodrama and Socio-drama; Different Therapeutic approaches and Therapeutic Intervention in Social Group; Transactional analysis, T-groups, Gestalt, Role play, Buzz group and Brain storming.	10	Text Book
V	Fields of Social Group Work Group work in various setting: correctional, family, health, educational, old age homes and communities. Use of socio-metry for group work. Skills of the Social Group Worker. Scope and limitations of group work in different fields of social work.	10	Text Book
Total		48	

Note: Case studies related to the above topics to be discussed (Examined Internal only)

Text book	1.	Charles D. Garvin, 2007, "Handbook of Social Work with Groups", Rawat Publications, Jaipur.
	2.	Sanjay Bhattacharya, 2020, "Social Work: An Integrated Approach", Deep & Deep Publications Pvt Ltd, New Delhi.
Reference Books	1.	P.D.Misra, 2023, "Social Group Work : Theory And Practice", New Royal Book Company - Lucknow.
	2.	Charles D.Garvin, 2012, "A Handbook Of Social Work", Wisdom Press - New Delhi.
	3.	Sanjeev Sarkar, 2011, "Direct social Work Practice Theory and Skills", Yking Books, Jaipur.

Journal and Magazines	https://link.springer.com/chapter/10.1007/978-981-33-6342-7_2 https://academic.oup.com/sw/article-abstract/5/4/53/1869636
E-Resources and Website	https://www.slideshare.net/srengasamy/understanding-social-group-work http://www.ignou.ac.in/upload/bswe-02-block1-unit-9-small%20size.pdf

Learning Method	Lecture method using PPT, Field Exposure, Group Counselling, Group Project.
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Focus of the Course	Entrepreneurship, Skill Development and Employability
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Semester – I							
CORE VI: CONCURRENT FIELD WORK – I AND GROUP PROJECT							
Semester	Course Code	Course Name	Category	L	T	P	Credits
I	25SWP1FW	CONCURRENT FIELD WORK – I AND GROUP PROJECT	CORE	-	-	120	4

Preamble	<p>This course has been designed for students to learn and understand</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Various fields of Social Work through different social welfare agencies. • To assess the applicability of Social Work techniques in the field work agencies. • To work in teams and learn the implementation of a programme by coordinating with various stake holders.
Prerequisite	Basic Understanding about Social Work Profession

Course Outcomes (Cos)		
CO Number	Course Outcomes (COs) Statement	Bloom's Taxonomy Knowledge Level
CO1	Understand Nature of setting, objectives, services, programmes, structure, and general environment.	K2
CO2	Analyze the regional social system, the approaches, and the strategies/ interventions used by the government and non-government organizations.	K3
CO3	Develop the capacity to critique the interventions of both the voluntary organizations and the government agencies in relation to the specific group	K4
CO4	Acquire skills in planning, organizing, implementing through the group project	K4
CO5	Gain experience in interpersonal relationships, sense of organization, management and taking on responsibility	K5

Mapping with Program Outcomes:					
Cos / POs	PO1	PO2	PO3	PO4	PO5
CO1	✓		✓	✓	
CO2		✓			✓
CO3			✓	✓	✓
CO4		✓		✓	✓
CO5		✓		✓	

25SWP1FW	CONCURRENT FIELD WORK - I AND GROUP PROJECT
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S.No	List of Programs
1	Field Work practicum is a learning opportunity designed to provide a variety of opportunities to develop and enhance professional Social Work skills. Learning is aided through Observations, Analysis of Social Realities and Experience of Participating in Designing and Implementation of Social Work Intervention.
2	Objectives of Concurrent Field Work - I <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop knowledge of the Socio-Economic and Cultural Realities, and their impact on the Social/Client system with specific focus on marginalized groups. • Develop basic skills to analyze the impact of the wider social system on individuals, families, groups, communities and organizations. • Develop skills in documenting. • Develop ability to work as a member of a team. • Make conscious use of Professional Values and Ethics. • Develop Critical understanding of the application of Social Legislation, Legal Process and Social Policy. • Develop the capacity to integrate knowledge and practice-theory by participating in Intervention.
3	Mandatory Field Orientation <p>In the first semester social work students will be given an opportunity to visit different Industries, hospitals, and NGO's in order to orient about its nature vision, functions. Through this orientation visit students will have a knowledge on different organizations in and around Coimbatore. Students will be able to relate the need and importance of social work profession in the organizations which are mainly concern for the needy people in our society It will widen their awareness on scope of social work in different settings.</p> <p>Students can able to find out their interest area of specialization since they were observing various activities through this orientation visit. Students will also improve their writing skills by preparing reports for every visit they do in their field work. This will increase their confidence level when they prepare themselves and present it in the VIVA VOCE examination.</p>

4	Observation Visits: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For the I M.S.W. (Semester I) 15 agency visits related to all the fields of social work will be conducted. • Soon after the beginning of orientation/observation visits, a student workshop on - Field Work Practice and Training for social workers" will be conducted to orient and share the orientation visit experiences and learning. • Social Work agency exposures will be arranged for the I MSW students. The various Agencies functioning will be explained to the students. The scope and Role of Social Workers will be highlighted. • Students should submit observation visit report to the concerned faculty supervisor.
5	Group Project: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The students will be divided into small groups. • Each group has to select any social issue for their project and has to organize Seminar / Campaign / awareness program. • The group has to mobilize the resources and to execute the event/program with the guidance of the faculty supervisor. • After completion of the programs/activities, the group has to submit a detailed report to the Department. • The students will be evaluated on the basis of the record submitted in relation to observation visits and group projects by a viva-voce examination

Text Books	1.	Verma, R.B.S., & Atul Pratap Singh, 2013. Standard Manual for Field Work Practicum in Social Work, New Royal Book Company, Rajasthan.
	2.	Manual https://egyankosh.ac.in/bitstream/123456789/50426/1/Block-1.pdf .

Learning Method	Field Work, Observation Visits, Individual Conference, Group Project/ Hands on Experience
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Focus of the Course	Skill Development/ Employability/ Entrepreneurship
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