

Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University, Amravati
As Per NEP 2020 Syllabus Session- 2025-26
Faculty: Humanities
Board of studies in **Economics**

Syllabus

UG - Semester III Level 5.0

Generic / Open Elective - OE- 5

(Other than faculty of Humanities i.e. B. Com and B.Sc.)

Course Code - 613275

Course Title- OE- 5 - Economics in Competitive Examination (Economics)

| Level | Semester | Course Code | Course Title | Credits | Teaching Hours | Exam Duration | Max Marks | Internal Marks | Total Marks |
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| 5.0 | UG III | 613275 | OE- 5 - Economics in Competitive Examination (Economics) | 2 | 2 | 2 Hours | 30 | 20 | 50 |

OE -5 - Economics in Competitive Examination

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| Course Objectives: | The objective of the Economics course in competitive examinations is to equip candidates with a comprehensive understanding of economic concepts, policies, and their real-world applications to analyze and interpret economic issues effectively. |
| Course Outcomes: | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Understanding Economic Structure and Policies – Develop a thorough knowledge of India's economic structure, key sectors, and government policies impacting economic growth and development. Analysing Social and Economic Issues – Gain the ability to critically analyse major social and economic challenges, including poverty, unemployment, inequality, and sustainable development. Evaluating Recent Economic Developments – Stay updated with recent economic trends, reforms, and policy changes to assess their implications on national and global economic scenarios. |

G/OE -5 - Economics in Competitive Examination

| Unit System | Contents | Workload Allotted | Weightage of Marks Allotted |
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| Unit I | Basic Economic Concepts | 7 Hrs | 7 Marks |
| | Introduction to Economics | | |
| | Microeconomics vs. Macroeconomics | | |
| | Basic Economic Problems | | |
| Unit II | Indian Economy | 7Hrs | 7 Marks |
| | Economic Planning in India: Five-Year Plans, NITI Aayog | | |
| | Agriculture Sector: Issues, and Policies | | |
| | Industrial & Services Sector | | |
| Unit III | Social Issues and Economic Policies | 8Hrs | 8 Marks |
| | Poverty, Unemployment, and Inequality | | |
| | Human Development Index (HDI) and Happiness Index | | |
| | Sustainable Development and Environmental Economics | | |
| Unit IV | Recent Economic Developments | 8 Hrs | 8 Marks |
| | Economic Surveys and Reports | | |
| | Structure of Union Budget | | |
| | Analysis of Budget | | |

- References:**
1. Singh Ramesh, Indian Economy
 2. Economic Survey of India (Recent)
 3. Reports from World Bank, IMF, and RBI (Recent)
 4. Datta & Sundaram Indian Economy

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Generic / Open Elective - OE- 6

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Course Code - 613276

Course Title- OE- 6 - Financial Institution (Economics)

| Level | Semester | Course Code | Course Name | Credits | Teaching Hours | Exam Duration | Max Marks | Internal Marks | Total Marks |
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| 5.0 | UG III | 613276 | OE- 6 - Financial Institution (Economics) | 2 | 2 | 2 Hours | 30 | 20 | 50 |

OE -6 - Financial Institution

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| Course Objectives: | The objective of this course is to provide a comprehensive understanding of financial institutions, their roles in the economy, regulatory frameworks, risk management practices, and their impact on financial markets and economic development. |
| Course Outcomes: | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Students will be able to understand the functions, types, and regulatory environment of financial institutions, as well as their role in financial markets and economic development. 2. Students will be able to identify and differentiate various types of financial institutions based on their functions, services, and regulatory frameworks. 3. Students will be able to understand the structure, functions, and significance of financial regulatory authorities in India, including the RBI, SEBI, IRDAI, and PFRDA, in maintaining financial stability and compliance. |

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| | 4. Students will be able to understand the evolution, impact, and regulatory aspects of fintech and digital financial institutions, along with their role in transforming financial services and inclusion. |
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G/OE -6 - Financial Institution

| Unit System | Contents | Workload Allotted | Weightage of Marks Allotted |
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| Unit I | Introduction to Financial Institutions | | |
| | Financial Institutions: Introduction and meaning | 7 Hrs | 7 Marks |
| | Importance of Financial Institutions | | |
| | Role of Financial Institutions in Economic Development | | |
| Unit II | Classification of Financial Institutions | | |
| | Classification of Banking Institutions | 7Hrs | 7 Marks |
| | Classification of Non-Banking Financial Institutions (NBFIs) | | |
| | Development Financial Institutions (DFIs) | | |
| Unit III | Financial Regulatory Authorities in India | | |
| | Functions of Reserve Bank of India (RBI) | 8Hrs | 8 Marks |
| | Function of Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) | | |
| | Functions of Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India (IRDAI) Functions of Pension Fund Regulatory and Development Authority –(PFRDA) | | |
| Unit IV | Fintech & Digital Financial Institutions | | |
| | Online Payment Systems | 8 Hrs | 8 Marks |
| | Digital Banks | | |
| | Cryptocurrency Exchanges | | |

References:

1. Bhole, L.M., & Mahakud, J. (2017). Financial Institutions and Markets. McGraw Hill Education.
2. Mishkin, F. S., & Eakins, S. G. (2018). Financial Markets and Institutions (9th ed.). Pearson.
3. Pathak, B. V. (2018). The Indian Financial System: Markets, Institutions, and Services (5th ed.). Pearson.
4. Paul, J., & Suresh, P. (2019). Management of Banking and Financial Services (4th ed.). Pearson.
5. Khan, M. Y. (2020). Financial Services (10th ed.). McGraw Hill.
6. Kidwell, D. S., Blackwell, D. W., Whidbee, D. A., & Peterson, R. L. (2016). Financial Institutions, Markets, and Money (12th ed.). Wiley.
7. Jayakumar, G., & Rajkumar, S. (2021). Principles of Banking and Financial Institutions. Wiley.

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Generic / Open Elective - OE-5

INSTRUCTION TO PAPER SETERS

| Total Mark of Theory Papers | Distribution of unit wise Long/Short answers type Questions |
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| 30 Marks | Long answers on any Two Unites out of Four Unites (Each question having 7 Marks) 2) Long answers Types questions should internal choice bases (i.e Solve any one question from following question) 3) Short answers on any Two Unites out of the Four (Each question having 04 Marks) 4) Short answers Types question should internal choice based (i.e Solve any Two question from following questions) |
| Total Mark of Internal Exam | Distribution of Marks |
| 20 Marks10+10 | 10 Marks Assignment, 10 Marks for MCQ Type Exam/ This MCQs should ask on all units |

