

The Islamia University of Bahawalpur
Department of Social Work
SOCIETY AND SOCIAL INSTITUTIONS

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Course Outline

Course Objective:

The purpose of this course is to acquaint students with the structure and function of society as well as social institutions.

Course Contents:

Mid Term

- Session 1:** Introduction to Subject
- Session 2:** Definition and description of society
- Session 3:** Features of Society
- Session 4:** Characteristics of Society
- Session 5:** Characteristics of Society
- Session 6:** Evolution of Society
- Session 7:** Difference between society and community
- Session 8:** Forms of Society: Sedentary
- Session 9:** Nomadic Society
- Session 10:** Rural Society
- Session 11:** Urban Society
- Session 12:** Traditional Society
- Session 13:** Characteristics of Traditional Society
- Session 14:** Economic Institution (Assignment)
- Session 15:** Institution of Recreation (Assignment)

Final Term

- Session 17:** Modern Society
- Session 18:** Characteristics of modern society
- Session 19:** What is social institution
- Session 20:** Nature of social institutions
- Session 21:** Types of social institutions
- Session 22:** Characteristics of social institutions
- Session 23:** Family as Institution
- Session 24:** Types of family as social Institution
- Session 25:** Functions of family as social institution
- Session 26:** Functions of family institution
- Session 27:** Religious Institution
- Session 28:** Functions of Religious Institution
- Session 29:** Function of Education
- Session 30:** Problems in education
- Session 31:** Recreational institution(assignment)

Books Recommended:

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