

**UNDER GRADUATE PROGRAMME UNDER NEP-2020
B.A. / B.A. (HONOURS)/ B.A. HONOURS WITH RESEARCH,
SEMESTER I&II
OF
DEFENCE AND STRATEGIC STUDIES**

SEMESTER -I

Course Type	Course Code	Course Title	Marks	Credit
Discipline Specific Core (DSC-1) Theory + Practical	DEF-DSC	Theory		

DEFENCE & STRATEGIC STUDIES

SEMESTER – I

Discipline Specific Core (MDSC-1)

(Theory + Practical) (Credit 03+01)

Paper (DEF -101)- National Security: Conceptual Aspects

(Instructions for the Paper Setter and the Students)

Maximum Marks: 75 marks

Theory: 65 marks

Internal Assessment: 10 marks

Time: 3 hours

Course Objectives:

The paper deals with the conceptual aspects of national security and its various attributes.

Course Outcome:

On successful completion of course the students will be able to conceptualize the various dimensions of National security and the attributes of National Power and National Interest. They will be able to identify the multifaceted challenges affecting the security perspective of India i.e., Internal or External.

Pedagogy of the Course Work

90% Lectures (including expert lectures)

10% Unit Tests, Snap Tests, assignments, attendance and class room participation

Note:

1. The Syllabus has been divided into Three (3) units.
2. There shall be 7 questions in all.
3. The first question shall be short answer type containing 15 short answer type questions spread over the whole syllabus and each to be answered in about 25 to 30 words. The candidate is required to attempt any 10 short answer type questions i.e. 2 marks of each. It shall carry 20 marks and shall be compulsory question.

4. Rest of the paper shall contain Three (3) units and each unit shall have two questions and the candidates shall be given internal choice i.e. the candidates shall attempt one question from each unit. All questions shall carry 15 marks.
5. For the private candidates, who have not been assessed earlier for internal assessment, the marks secured by them in theory paper will proportionately be increased to maximum marks of the paper in lieu of internal assessment.

The paper setter must put note (5) in the question paper

Unit-I

1. Definition of State, Nation and Nation-States.
2. National Security: Definition, Concept & Core Values.

Unit-II

3. Frontiers, Borders and Boundaries: Concepts and Evolution.
4. Elements of National Security: Geography, Mineral Resources, Economic Stability, Military preparedness, Socio-Political Factors, Science and Technology.

Unit-III

5. Concept of Power, National Power & Comprehensive National Power (CNP).
6. National Interest: Methods of Promoting National Interest.

Suggested Readings

1. Annual Reports of Ministry of Defence, Government of India.
2. ARTRAC (1999). National Security: Fundamentals, Doctrines and Concepts. Shimla, Himachal Pradesh. ARTRAC, Indian Army
3. Chadha, V. (2021). CDS and Beyond; Integration of the Indian Armed Forces. New Delhi, India. KW Publishers Pvt Ltd.
4. CPPR-Centre for Strategic Studies. (2014). National Security Management in Federal Structures: Perspective from India and the United States. Kochi, India. Centre for Public Policy Research.
5. Das, G. (2011). Securing India's Borders; Challenges and Policy Options. New Delhi, India. Pentagon Press.

6. Das, P. (2021). *India's Approach to Border Management; From Barriers to Bridges*. New Delhi, India. KW Publishers Pvt Ltd.
7. Donald, S. (2013). *National Security for the new Era*. New York, USA. Routledge
8. Gill, K. P. S. (Ed.). (2001). *Terror and Containment: Perspectives of India's Internal Security*. New Delhi, India. Gyan Publishing House.
9. Gupta, A. (2018). *How India Manages Its National Security*. Gurgaon, India. Penguin.
10. Ingersoll, R. S. & Frazier, D. (2012). *Regional Powers and Security Orders: A Theoretical Framework*. U.K. Routledge.
11. Kanti P. B. & Pant, H. V. (Eds.). (2013). *India's National Security: A Reader*. Oxford University Press.
12. Padukone, N. (2010). *Security in a Complex Era: Emerging Challenges Facing India*. New Delhi, India. KW Publishers.
13. Paranjpe, S. (2017). *India's Internal Security: Issues & Perspectives*. New Delhi, India. Kalinga Publications.
14. Rammohun, E. N.; Singh, A. P. & Agarwal, A. K. (2012). *Maoist Insurgency and India's Internal Security Architecture*. New Delhi, India. Vij Books India Pvt Ltd.
15. Sudhakar, M. S. (2012). *Human Rights and Internal Security*. Bangalore, India. Manglam Publications.

Practical

Practical Paper: Introduction to Map Reading

(Instructions for the Paper Setter and the Students)

Maximum Marks: 25 marks

Time: 1 hours

Note:

1. There will be 2 hours of Teaching per week for practical.
2. For practical classes, the number of students in one group shall not exceed fifteen.
3. Practical exercise should be carried out on drawing sheets with

4. Scale: Definition, Methods of Representing Scale: Inter-conversion of Scale into Representative Fraction, Construction of Simple Scale Line and the ComparStruc1

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SEMESTER – II

Discipline Specific Core (DSC-2)

(Theory + Practical) (Credit 3+1)

Paper (DEF-111)- National Security of India: An Overview

(Instructions for the Paper Setter and the Students)

Maximum Marks: 75 marks

Theory: 65 marks

Internal Assessment: 10

marks

Time: 3 hours

Course Objectives:

The paper deals with the conceptual aspects of national security and its various attributes.

Course Outcome:

On successful completion of course the students will be able to learn the importance national security facts about the history of India since 1947. They will be able to identify the multifaceted challenges affecting the security perspective of the country, Internally or Externally.

Pedagogy of the Course Work

90% Lectures (including expert lectures)

10% Unit Tests, Snap Tests, assignments, attendance and class room participation

Note:

1. The Syllabus has been divided into Three (3) units.
2. There shall be 7 questions in all.
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4. Rest of the paper shall contain Three (3) units and each unit shall have two questions and

Practical

Practical Paper: Understanding the India's Borders Through Maps/ Graphics (Instructions for the Paper Setter and the Students)

Maximum Marks: 25 marks

Time: 1 hours

Note:

1. There will be 2 hours of Teaching per week for practical.
2. For practical classes, the number of students in one group shall not exceed fifteen.
3. Practical exercise should be carried out on drawing sheets with explanatory notes or on computer.
4. Practical examination will be compulsory for regular and correspondence students.
5. The written and practical examination including viva-voce shall be conducted at the respective college itself.
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