

**SYLLABUS FOR B.A. [ECONOMICS] UNDER CHOICE BASE
CREDIT SYSTEM UNDER VINOBA BHAVE UNIVERSITY
HAZARIBAGH.**

SYLLABUS OUTLINE FOR

B.A. ECONOMICS [HONS.]

<p><u>Semester I</u> ECN – CC1: Micro Economics I ECN – CC2: Money and Banking ECN – GE1: Elective Course ECN – AEC1: (Language Paper)</p>	<p><u>Semester II</u> ECN – CC3: Macro Economics I ECN – CC4 Indian Economics ECN – GE2: Elective Course ECN – AEC2: (Language Paper)</p>
<p><u>Semester III</u> ECN – CC5: Micro Economics II ECN – CC6: Statistical Methods in Economics ECN – CC7: Macro Economics II ECN – GE3: Elective Course ECN – SEC1: Financial Economics</p>	<p><u>Semester IV</u> ECN – CC8: Mathematical Methods for Economics ECN – CC9: International Economics ECN – CC10: Economic Dev.& Policies in India ECN – GE4: Elective Course ECN – SEC2: Data Analysis</p>
<p><u>Semester V</u> ECN – CC11: Growth and Development ECN – CC12: History of Economic Thought ECN – DSE1: Optional Paper I ECN – DSE2: Optional Paper II</p>	<p><u>Semester VI</u> ECN – CC13: Public Finance ECN – CC14: Environmental Economics ECN – DSE3: Optional Paper III ECN – DSE4: Optional Paper IV</p>

Students will opt for any one of the following groups as DSE Paper

(OPTIONAL PAPERS) Discipline Specific Elective (DSE)

GROUP A: Mathematical Economics (DSE – I & III) and Econometrics (DSE – II & IV).

GROUP B: Agricultural Economics (DSE – I & III) and Demography (DSE – II & IV).

GROUP C: Industrial Economics (DSE – I & III) and Financial Institutions (DSE – II & IV).

Outline of Choice Based Credit System:

1. **Core Course:** A course, which should compulsorily be studied by a candidate as a core requirement is termed as a Core course.

2. **Elective Course:** Generally a course which can be chosen from a pool of courses and which may be very specific or specialized or advanced or supportive to the discipline/ subject of study or which provides an extended scope or which enables an exposure to some other discipline/subject/domain or nurtures the candidate's proficiency/skill is called an Elective Course.

2.1 **Discipline Specific Elective (DSE) Course:** Elective courses may be offered by the main discipline/subject of study is referred to as Discipline Specific Elective. The University/Institute may also offer discipline related Elective courses of interdisciplinary nature (to be offered by main discipline/subject of study).

2.2 **Dissertation/Project:** An elective course designed to acquire special/advanced knowledge, such as supplement study/support study to a project work, and a candidate studies such a course on his own with an advisory support by a teacher/faculty member is called dissertation/project.

2.3 **Generic Elective (GE) Course:** An elective course chosen generally from an unrelated discipline/subject, with an intention to seek exposure is called a Generic Elective.

P.S.: A core course offered in a discipline/subject may be treated as an elective by other discipline/subject and vice versa and such electives may also be referred to as Generic Elective.

3. **Ability Enhancement Courses (AEC):** The Ability Enhancement (AE) Courses may be of two kinds: Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC) and Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC). "AECC" courses are the courses based upon the content that leads to Knowledge enhancement; i. Environmental Science and ii. English/MIL Communication.

These are mandatory for all disciplines. SEC courses are value-based and/or skillbased and are aimed at providing hands-on-training, competencies, skills, etc.

3.1 Ability Enhancement Compulsory Courses (AECC): Environmental Science, English Communication/MIL Communication.

3.2 Skill Enhancement Courses (SEC): These courses may be chosen from a pool of courses designed to provide value-based and/or skill-based knowledge.