

Semester	4
Course	BA in Humanities and Social Science (BA General)
Paper Code	C2BG230431T
Paper Title	Research Methods
No. of Credits	4
Theory / Practical / Composite	Theory
Minimum No. of preparatory hours per week a student has to devote	4
Number of Modules	2
Syllabus	<p>A</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Quantitative research (Survey) 2. The Research Process and Research Design 3. Sampling techniques <p>B</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Qualitative Research (Field Research) 2. Mixed-Methods 3. Ethics in Social Research
Learning Outcomes	<p>CO1 – Students will learn about the nature and types of Social Research</p> <p>CO2 – Students will be acquainted with the steps and design in social research</p> <p>CO3 – Students will learn about quantitative and qualitative research methods and modes of data collection. They will be introduced to sampling techniques.</p> <p>CO4 – Students will be sensitive to the ethical concerns that manifest in the research process.</p>
Reading/Reference Lists	<p>Babbie, Earl. 2004. <i>The Practice of Social Research</i>, 10th edition, Belmont: Wadsworth/Thomson</p> <p>Baker, Therese.1998. <i>Doing Social Research</i>, Boston, Madison, New York: Mc-Graw Hill.</p>

	Henn, Matt et al. 2006. <i>A Short Introduction to Social Research</i> . New Delhi: Vistar Publications.	
Evaluation	Theory CIA: 30 Semester Exam: 70	Practical (if applicable) CA: Semester Exam:
Paper Structure for Theory Semester Exam	<p>Total Marks – 70 Modules -2 (35 marks each)</p> <p>Module A 1 long question out of 2 : 1X 15=15 4 short answer type questions out of 6 : 4X5= 20</p> <p>Module B 1 long question out of 2 : 1X 15=15 4 short answer type questions out of 6 : 4X5= 20</p>	