



QURTUBA UNIVERSITY

Of Science and Information Technology

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Course Name	Sociology
Course Code	SOC110
Semester	Second
Credit Hours	03
Total Weeks	16/18
Total Hours	48/54
Total Marks	100
Pre-requisite	None

Course Objectives

- This course is based upon exciting and challenging views of society by picking up material from everyday life.
- The students will be introduced to the basic concepts of sociology. It will enable students to understand the different sociological perspectives given by different schools of thought and an overall difference between all of these theories.
- It will also focus on different aspects of culture, agents of socialization and day to day interaction among individuals and groups. It also highlights the social foundation of deviance and stratification existing in the society.
- The course also grasps the functions of different social institutions i.e. education, family etc.

Grading Criteria

Distribution	Weight
Quizzes, Assignments, and class participation	10
Mid Term	20
Final Term	70
Total	100

Recommended Books

- Sociology by Paul B Horton and Chester F Hunt.
- A text book of General sociology By Iqbal Chaudhry

WEEK WISE BREAKDOWN

Week	Description
1	Sociology and Society <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Definition & Introduction• Scope and subject matter• Sociology as a social science_Relationship of sociology with other social science• Quiz
2	Evolution of Sociology <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Political /Enlightenment era• Industrial Revolution• Scientific Development / Methodology• Communication development and globalization
3&4	Social Perspective <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Definition• Evolutionary perspective• Functional perspective• Conflict perspective• Symbolic interaction perspective• Comparison• Quiz
5	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Social Problems• Social Research methodology
6	Culture & Society <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Structure of society• Culture as a system of norms and values• Ethnocentrism• Subculture and Counterculture
7&8	Social Organization <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Groups and group dynamics• Forms of Groups• Primary & secondary group• In – group, Out group• Stereotypes group• Education institution and their role• Quiz
Two Assignments + Two Test Mid Term Exam	
9&10	Personality & Socialization <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Factors in development of personality• Socialization and theories of self-importance• Importance of self – Image• Agents of socialization• Benefits of socialization• Quiz
11,12&13	Social stratification <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Social Class• Determinant of social Classes• Stratification under conflict & function theories.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social laws • Social mobility • Determinants of social Mobility • Race & ethnic relations • Quiz
14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Family • Types of family • Functions of family • Evolution
15&16	<p>Social & Cultural Change</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Theories f social Change • Process of social change • Factors in the rate of social change • Resistance to and acceptance of social change • The consequences of change
<p>Two Assignments + Two Test+ Presentation Final Term</p>	

Learning Outcomes:

After successfully completing the sociology, students should be able to:

- Apply sociological concepts and theories to contemporary social issues.
- Analyze how social institutions shape individual experiences and opportunities.
- Identify the causes and consequences of various forms of social inequality.
- Demonstrate mastery of ethical standards governing research with human subjects