

NOTICE

Department of Political Science of VPM's Joshi-Bedekar College (Autonomous)Thane in collaboration with Mumbai Sarvodaya Mandal is organising a Online Add-on course on 'Democratic Skills through Gandhian Perspective'

Duration - 10 days

Date - 25th Feb,2022 to 5th March,2022.

Fees - Rs. 500/-

Time - 3pm to 5pm

The course comprises of special lectures on the theme by eminent Gandhian scholars and skill component on charkha spinning, film screening and discussions. Certificates shall be issued after the completion of this course.

Participants are requested to register latest by 18th February, 2022 by joining following whatsapp group.

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/DSBDBEICHup4PWCxvAZB1o>

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Add-On Course on ‘Democratic Skills through Gandhian Perspective’

Jointly organised by Department of Political Science,

Vidya Prasarak Mandal’s K.G. Joshi College of Arts and N.G. Bedekar College of

Commerce, (Autonomous) Thane (West)

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Mumbai Sarvodaya Mandal

Preamble

Gandhian thought has always been an integral component of political thought. Department of Political Science, VPM’s Joshi-Bedekar College, offers the subject of Gandhian Thought for SYBA students as Applied Component.

At societal level- whether at National or International, there has been number of violent conflicts and divides due to various factors. Mahatma Gandhi represents a figure of unique integrity, tolerance and humanity. Therefore, it has been need of hour to inculcate among students the Gandhian values and principles for making democracy dynamic as well as meaningful.

Course Objectives

- a) To acquaint students about Gandhian principles
- b) Utilizing different activities to expose students to Gandhian way of life
- c) To devise Gandhian solutions and skills to resolve contemporary problems

Syllabus

Module 1: Introduction to Gandhian Perspective

- a) Cursory view on history and concept of Swaraj
- b) Skills required towards conflict resolution
- c) Skills required towards Sarvodaya

Module 2: Gandhiji's contribution to the Independence Movement

- a) Non-cooperation movement
- b) Civil Disobedience movement
- c) Gandhiji's influence on freedom movements abroad

Module 3: Gandhi and social transformation

- a) Gandhi's ideas about untouchability
- b) Gandhi's ideas about Women's emancipation
- c) Gandhi's ideas about cleanliness

Module 4: Gandhi as Philosopher

- a) Gandhian concept of God and religion
- b) His idea of Education
- c) Gandhi's views on technology

Outcomes

- a. Enlightening participants with skill of empowerment through education
- b. To impart among participants the skill peaceful resistance and conflict resolution
- c. Familiarising students with Gandhian way of life
- d. Enlightening about Gandhian ideas and its relevance
- e. To acquaint participants with skill of Charkha Spinning

