

***SRR & CVR GOVERNMENT  
DEGREE COLLEGE (A)  
VIJAYAWADA***

***BOARD OF STUDIES***



***DEPARTMENT OF PHILOSOPHY***

***I II III V SEMESTERS***

***2020-2021***

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**VIJAYAWADA-520004**

**Minutes of the meeting of the UG Board of Studies in the Subject of Philosophy**

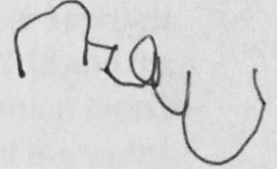
The meeting of the UG Board of Studies in the Subject of philosophy held on 11-12-2020 at 10.30 a.m., in Room No.104 at SRR & CVR Govt. Degree College (Autonomous), Vijayawada-520004.

The following members attended the meeting.

**1. M. PADMANABHAM (In-charge of the Department & Chairman, BoS)**

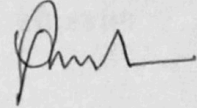
Lecturer in Public Administration,

SRR & CVR Govt. Degree College (A), Vijayawada.



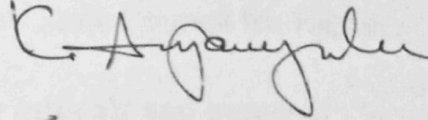
**2. Prof. L. Udaya Kumar, (University Nominee)**

Dept. of Philosophy & Buddhist Studies, Acharya Nagarjuna University,  
Guntur.



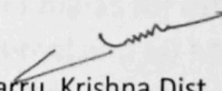
**3. Sri. K. Anjaneyulu, (Subject Expert)**

Faculty in Philosophy, Arts Govt. Degree College,  
Rajahmundry



**4. Sri. G. Lumumba, (Subject Expert)**

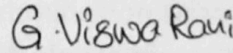
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**5. Kum. G. Viswarani, (Faculty Member)**

Faculty in Philosophy,

SRR & CVR Govt. Degree College, Vijayawada.



**6. M. Sunil Naik (Student Nominee)**

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### Agenda:

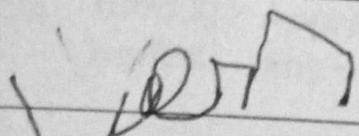
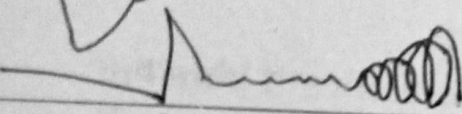
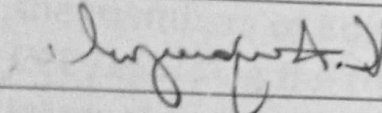
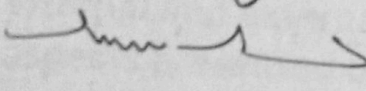
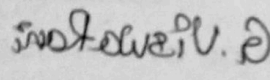
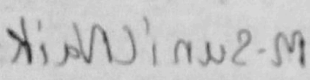
- Item 1: Approval of syllabus for Semester I, II, III & V for the academic year 2020-2021
- Item 2: Approval of Question paper blue print and model question paper
- Item 3: Approval of the list of paper setters and examiners
- Item 4: Any other item with the approval of the chair.

The Chairman, Board of Studies welcomed the members and initiated the discussion on the syllabus for I, II, III and V semesters. He apprised the members of Board of Studies and the guidelines of the UGC, APSHE and the CCE regarding the framing of syllabus, and the recommended evaluation ratio for internal and external examinations. The members discussed in detail the various aspects presented before them and unanimously resolved the following:

### Resolutions:

1. Resolved to approve the present CBCS Revamped syllabus for semester 3rd, & 5th.
2. Resolved to adopt the proceedings of Board of Studies held in April 2019 as it is with regard to CBCS Syllabus for semester I and II as the new Syllabus was not designed by Andhra Pradesh State Council for Higher Education.
3. Resolved to approve the division of marks for internal and external examinations i.e 40 Marks for internal and 60 Marks for external along with the suggested blue print and model question paper.
4. Resolved to enhance the theory examination time from two & half Hours to three Hours as majority of the Students requested.
5. Resolved to conduct the external examinations either in offline, online or blended in view of Pandemic situation.
6. Resolved to approve the list of paper setters and external examiners submitted by the department.
7. Resolved to approve the division of internal marks i.e.
  - a) 10Marks for Internal Exams (Two).
  - b) 10 Marks for Assignments (Two).
  - c) 10 Marks for Project.
  - d) 5 Marks for Attendance.
  - e) 5Marks for Seminar.

Signatures of the members of the Board of Studies:

<u>Signature</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>
	SRI.M. PADMANABHAM	Chairman
	PROF.L.UDAY KUMAR	University Nominee
	SRI.K.ANJANEYULU	External Expert
	SRI.G.LUMUMBA	Subject Expert
	KUM.G.VISWARANI	Member
	M.SUNIL NAIK	Student Nominee

**SRR & CVR Govt Degree College (A), Vijayawada**  
**1st B.A. PROGRAMME – PHILOSOPHY**  
**SEMESTER – I: PAPER-I : INDIAN PHILOSOPHY**  
**1st CORE – SYLLABUS – 2020-2021**

**Credits:4**

**Unit-I:** (A) Definition of Philosophy – Branches of Philosophy, Importance of Philosophy in Indian Society.

(B) The Nature and characteristics of Indian Philosophy, Categorization of Astik and Nastik.

**Unit-II :** (A) Philosophical Speculations of Vedas and Upanishads.

Polytheism, Henotheism, Monotheism and Monism

(B) The concept of Rita, Liberation, Brahman Atman and Rebirth

**Unit-III :** The Central Doctrines of Heterodox systems

(A) Carvaka School – Epistemology and Metaphysics.

Jainism – Nature and Destiny of Jiva (Soul) Syadvada.

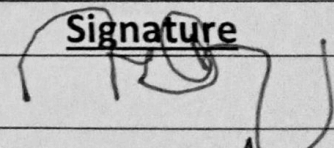
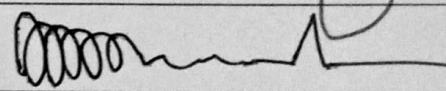
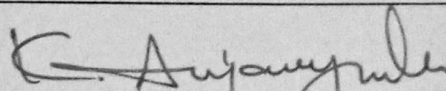
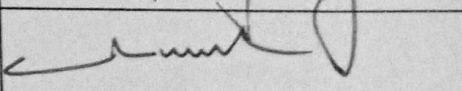
**Unit-IV** (A) Buddhism : Four Noble Truths, Nairatma \_ Vada, Pratitya Samutpada.

**Unit-V :** (B) Arya Astanga Marga Liberation Branches of Buddhism

**Books for study:**

1. Hiriyanna M. Outlines of Indian Philosophy
2. Radhakrishnan, S. Indian Philosophy, Vol. I & II.  
Indian Philosophy, Telugu Akademy, Hyderabad.

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5. Student Nominee	M.SUNIL NAIK	M.Sunil Naik

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MODEL QUESTION PAPER

Class IBA

Semester No I

Subject PHILOSOPHY

Paper No I

Title of the Paper: INDIAN PHILOSOPHY-1<sup>st</sup> Core

Time: 3Hours

Max Marks: 60

PART - A

I. Answer any **FIVE** from the following questions

5X4=20 Marks

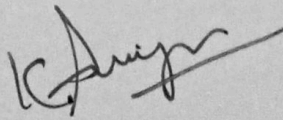
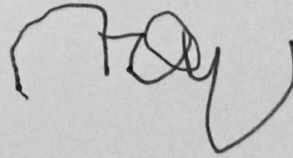
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5. } Two questions from  
    } Unit -5

PART - B

II. Answer all the following questions

5X8=40 Marks

6. Internal Choice from Unit 1  
    Question A or Question B
7. Internal Choice from Unit 2  
    Question A or Question B
8. Internal Choice from Unit 3  
    Question A or Question B
9. Internal Choice from Unit 4  
    Question A or Question B
10. Internal Choice from Unit 5  
    Question A or Question B



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Time: 3hrs

Marks: 60

Unit No	No. of essay question 8 marks	No. of essay question 4 marks	Toatal no. of question with choice	Total marks allotted to the units
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Unit-IV	2	2	4	24
Unit-V	2	2	4	24
Total no. of questions with choice				20
Total no. of marks with choice				120

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**II B.A PROGRAMME – PHILOSOPHY-SEMESTER II**

**PAPER – I INDIAN PHILOSOPHY**

**2rd CORE – SYLLABUS – 2020-2021**

**Credits:4**

**Unit –I (a) Nyaya – Pramanas and Concept of God.**

**(b) Vaisesika Theory of seven categories.**

**Unit-II (a) Sankhya – Prakrithi and Purusa – Satkaryavada and Theory of Evolution.**

**(b) Yoga – Patanjali's Astanga Yoga.**

**Unit-III (a) Mimamsa – Concept of Karma, Aporva & Dharma.**

**(b) Dvaita - Nature and classification of Jaiva, concept of Bondage.**

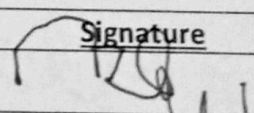
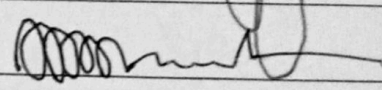
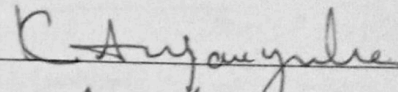
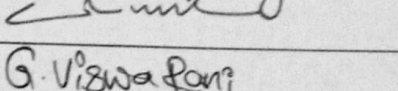
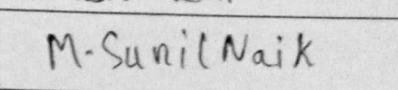
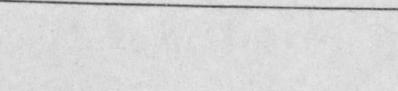
**Unit-IV Advaita – Nirguna Brahman – Relation between Brahman and Atman – Mayavada and Moksha**

**Unit-V Visistadvaita – Saguna Brahman – Relation between Brahman, Atman and world, Bakti and Prapartti as means of Moksha.**

**BOOKS FOR STUDY:**

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3. Indian Philosophy, Telugu Academy, Hyderabad.

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MODEL QUESTION PAPER

Class I BA

Semester No II

Subject PHILOSOPHY

Paper No II

Title of the Paper: INDIAN PHILOSOPHY-2<sup>nd</sup> Core

Time: 3Hours

Max Marks: 60

PART - A

I. Answer any FIVE from the following questions

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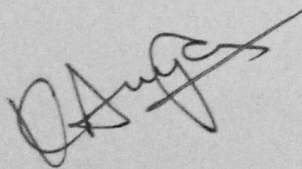
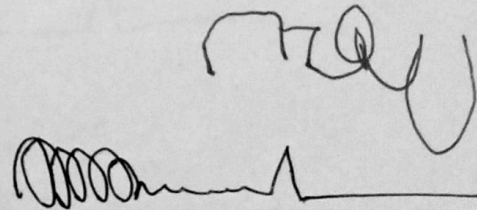
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**II B.A PHILOSOPHY SYLLABUS :2020-21**  
**SEMESTER-III PAPER:II-WESTER PHILOSOPHY**

**Credits:4**

**Learning Outcomes:**

1. After going through this unit, the student will be able to understand the Sophists Socrates his problem and method.
2. After going through this unit, the student will be able to understand the Aristotle: Criticism of Plato's doctrine of ideas & Classical Logic, matter and forms.
3. After going through this unit, the student will be able to understand the epistemology (Cogito Ergo Sum)
4. After going through this unit, the student will be able to understand the Spinoza :Concept of substance-Mind-Body relation.
5. After going through this unit, the student will be able to understand the Leibniz: Pre-established Harmony- Doctrines of Monology.

**UNIT-I:**

1. The problems of substance and change in pre Socratic Philosophy. The age of Sophists Socrates his problem and method.
2. Plato: Doctrine of Ideas-Concept of immortality of Soul

**UNIT-II:**

1. Aristotle: Criticism of Plato's doctrine of ideas- His theory of Causation.
2. Classical Logic, matter and forms.

**UNIT-III:**

1. Rationalism : Descartes problem of Philosophy and epistemology (Cogito Ergo Sum)
2. Body –Mind problem and proof for the existence of God.

**UNIT-IV:**

1. Spinoza :Concept of substance-Mind-Body relation.

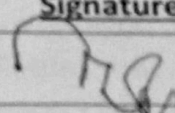
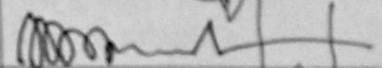
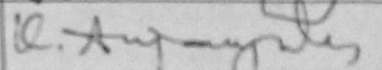
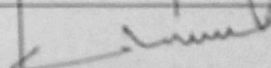
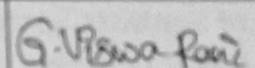
**UNIT-V:**

1. Leibniz: Pre-established Harmony- Doctrines of Monology.

**REFERENCE BOOKS:**

1. Western Philosophy –published by Telugu Academy.
2. Viswa Darasanam by N.Rammohan Rao.
3. Stace W.T.A critical survey of Greek Philosophy.
4. Betrand Russel: History of western Philosophy.
5. Frank Thilly: History of Western Philosophy.

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III -B.A.PHILOSOPHY SYLLABUS:2020-21

SEMESTER-V PAPER:V –ETHICS

Credits:4

Learning Outcomes:

1. After going through this unit, the student will able to understand the Nature of Ethics and basic moral concepts.
2. After going through this unit, the student will able to understand the four cardinal Virtues of Plato.
3. After going through this unit, the student will able to understand the Theories of Punishment & Kant's theories of categorical imperative.
4. After going through this unit, the student will able to understand the Hedonism, psychological and Ethical & Ethical theory's- Bentham and J.S.Mill
5. After going through this unit, the student will able to understand the G.E.Moore's Ethical Theory of Intuitionism.

UNIT-I:

1. Nature and scope of Ethics.
2. Basic Moral Concepts: Good and Bad, Right and Wrong.

UNIT-II:

1. Freedom and responsibility, Duty and Conscience.
2. What is Virtue and the four cardinal Virtues of Plato

UNIT-III

1. Theories of Punishment, Retributive, Deterrent and Reformative.
2. Kant's theories of categorical imperative.

UNIT-IV

1. Hedonism, psychological and Ethical
2. Utilitarianism, Ethical theory's- Bentham and J.S.Mill.

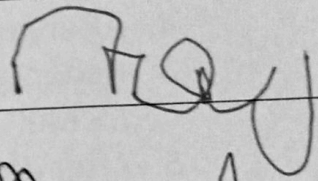
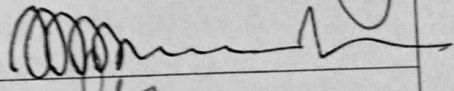
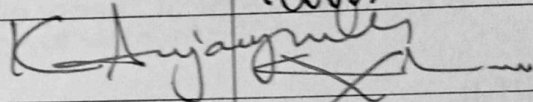
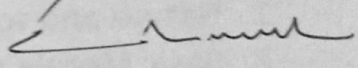
UNIT V:

1. G.E.Moore's Ethical Theory of Intuitionism.
2. Emotivism of A.J.Ayer.

**REFERENCE BOOKS:**

1. John, S.Mackenzie: A Manual of Ethics.
2. Harold H.Titus: Ethics for Today.
3. Mairra, S.K:Hindu Ethics
4. Willam Lilly: Introduction to Ethics
5. Ethics: Telugu Academy.

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MODEL QUESTION PAPER

Class III BA

Semester No V

Subject PHILOSOPHY

Paper No V

Title of the Paper: ETHICS

Time: 3Hours

Max Marks: 60

PART - A

I. Answer any FIVE from the following questions

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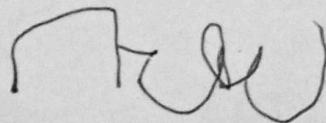
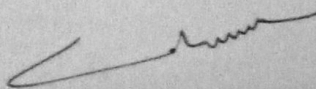
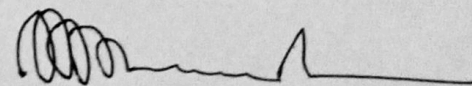
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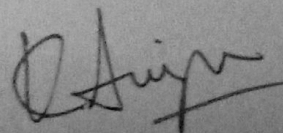
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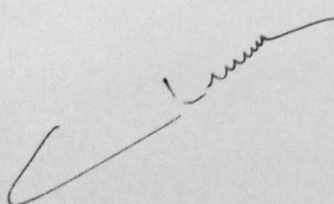
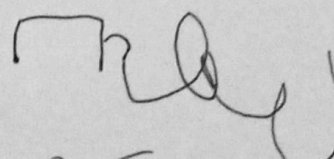
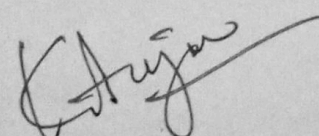
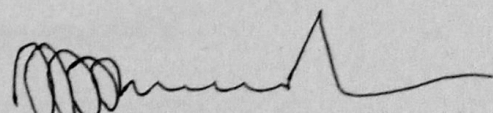
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Marks: 60

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Unit-IV	2	2	4	24
Unit-V	2	2	4	24
Total no. of questions with choice				20
Total no. of marks with choice				120

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**Learning Outcomes:**

1. After going through this unit, the student will be able to understand the importance of logic & fundamental laws of thought.
2. After going through this unit, the student will be able to understand the Aritotelian classification of Categorical Propositions
3. After going through this unit, the student will be able to understand the Categorical syllogism
4. After going through this unit, the student will be able to understand the venn diagrams & figures and moods of categorical syllogism.
5. After going through this unit, the student will be able to understand the basic truth tables and symbolic logic

**Unit: I:**

- A.Traditional Logic: The definition , Nature and Scope of Logic subject  
Matter of logic , importance of logic.
- B.The fundamental Laws of Thought, Law of Identity  
Law of non contradiction,  
Law of excluded middle, and Law of Sufficient reason.

**Unit: II**

- (A) Aritotelian classification of Categorical Propositions.  
(B)The question of existential import Conversion, contraposition and inversion.

**Unit: III**

- (A)Categorical syllogism, Rules of Validity.  
(B)Fallacies, Square of Opposition.

**Unit: IV**

- (A) Boolean interpretation of propositions: Venn diagrams.  
(B) Figures and moods of Categorical syllogism.

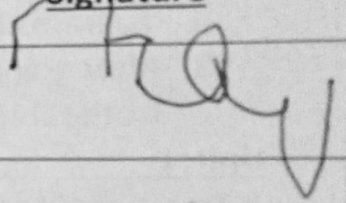
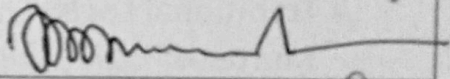
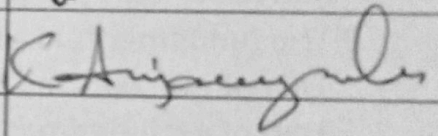
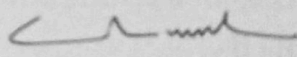
**Unit: V**

- (A) Basic Truth Tables, Negation, Conjunction, Disjunction. Implication  
Equivalence.
- (B)Symbolic Logic, Distinction between Traditional and Symbolic Logic.

**BOOKS FOR STUDY:**

1. Stebbing L.S.A Modern Introduction to logic.
2. Morris R cohen and E. N. S. Nagel; An introduction to logic and scientific method.
3. Irving M. Copi: An introduction to logic.
4. Balasubramanian, P. Symbolic Logic and Its Decision Procedures.
5. Bassan, A.H., and Conner, D.J.O., Introduction to Symbolic logic.
6. N. Subramanyam, Introduction to computers, Prentice Hall Publication.

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Class III BA

Semester No V

Subject PHILOSOPHY

Paper No VI

Title of the Paper: LOGIC AND SCIENTIFIC METHOD

Time: 3Hours

Max Marks: 60

PART - A

I. Answer any FIVE from the following questions

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PART - B

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