

Vidyasagar University

Curriculum for B.A. (General) in Military Science

[Choice Based Credit System]

Semester-V

Course	Course Code	Name of the Subjects	Course Type/ Nature	Teaching Scheme in hour per week			Credit	Marks
				L	T	P		
DSE-1A		DSE1AT: India's National Security Policies	Core Course	4	0	0	6	75
		DSE1AP: Practical (Area Studies)		0	0	4		
DSE-2A	TBD	Other Discipline (Any one from Discipline 2)/ TBD	Core Course	5	1	0	6	75
GE-1		GE1T: Contemporary Issues to India's National Security	Generic Elective	4	0	0	6	75
		GE1P: Practical		0	0	4		
SEC-3		SEC3: Indian Armed Forces and Disaster Management Or Consumer Protection Rights	Skill Enhancement Course	1	1	0	2	50
Semester Total							20	275

L=Lecture, **T**=Tutorial, **P**=Practical, **DSE**= Discipline Specific Electives, **GE**= Generic Elective, **SEC**= Skill Enhancement Course, **TBD** = To be decided.

Semester-V

Discipline specific Elective (DSE)

DSE-1A:India's National Security Policies

Skill Enhancement Course (SEC)

SEC-3:Indian Armed Forces and Disaster Management

Or

SEC-3:Consumer Protection Right

Generic Elective(GE)

GE- 1: Contemporary Issues to India's National Security

Discipline Specific Elective (DSE)

DSE-1A:India's National Security Policies

Credits06

DSE1AT: India's National Security Policies

Credits 04

Course Contents:

Unit-I: National Security

- i. Meaning and concept
- ii. Importance of National security
- iii. Scope of National Security
- iv. Concept of India's National Security

Unit-II: India's Foreign Policy

- i. Meaning and Objectives
- ii. Basic Principles of India's Foreign Policy
- iii. Determinants of India's Foreign Policy
- iv. Evolution of India's Foreign Policy

Unit-III: India's Defence Policy

- i. Aims and Objectives
- ii. Evolution of India's Defence Policy
- iii. Linkages between Foreign and Defence Policy

Unit-IV: India's Nuclear Policy

- i. Aims and Objectives
- ii. Peaceful uses of Nuclear Power
- iii. 1947 P.N.E. (Peaceful Nuclear Explosions)
- iv. 1998 Nuclear Test (Operation Shakti).
- v. India's Nuclear Doctrine
- vi. Evaluation of India's Nuclear Policy

Unit-V: India's Maritime Policy

- i. Strategic Environment of Indian Ocean
- ii. Strategic Importance of Indian Ocean
- iii. Presence of super power in Indian Ocean
- iv. India's Navel Strategy and Maritime Policy

List of Practical

Unit-I Map Reading

- i) Disputed Land areas with bordering states
a) Pakistan, b) China, c) Nepal d) Bangladesh

- ii) Disputed Sea areas with bordering states
a) Pakistan, b) Bangladesh

Unit-II Conflict zones of South Asia

- a) India; b) Pakistan c) China; d) Nepal
- e) Bangladesh, f) Srilanka
- g) Bhutan, h) Afghanistan

Unit-III Group Discussion and Seminar

For conflict issue in South Asia

Suggested Books/ Reading

- India's Defence Policy – Gautum Sen
- Foreign Policy of India – K.P. Mishra
- National Security Problems in India – L.R. Singh
- India-China border dispute – Dr.M.L. Sali
- Ethnic Conflict in Srilanka – Dr. P.A. Ghosh.
- Defence security Alert Journal- Pawan Agrawal
- Strategy Issues in South Asia- Arun Kumar Banerji
- India-China Borderlands- Nimmi Kurian
- India-China Relations in the Contemporary Era- C. Mahapatra
- India-Bangladesh Relations- Jayanta Kumar Ray, MuntassirMamoon
- The Triangle India-Nepal-China-S.C.Bhatt
- India and South Asia- David Ludden
- India, Europe and Conflict Resolution in South Asia- Rajendra k. Jain
- Neighbours, Major Powers and Indian Foreign Policy- Aneek Chatterjee
- Afghanistan A Role for India- ArunSahgal

Skill Enhancement Course (SEC)

SEC- 3: Indian Armed Forces and Disaster Management

Credits 02

SEC3T: Indian Armed Forces and Disaster Management

Course Contents:

Unit- I: Disaster Management

- i) Meaning
- ii) Definition
- iii) Nature & Scope
- iv) Disaster Management and National Security

Unit - II: Types of Disasters

A) Natural Disasters

- i) Earthquake
- ii) Volcano
- iii) Tsunami
- iv) Storms
- v) Flood
- vi) Heavy Rain

B) Human Disasters

- i) Terrorism
- ii) Accidents
- iii) Riots and Strikes

Unit - III: Indian Armed Forces and Disaster Management

- i) Role of Indian Armed Forces in Disaster Management
- ii) Project Work - Submission of Practical Record Book on Disaster Management (including Newspaper cuttings & photographs)

Suggested Books/ Reading:

- Mishra Bijaylaxmi, United Nations and Security Challenges In New Millennium, Kilaasobooks, NewDelhi 2004.
- Morgenthau Hans. J., Politics Among Nations. Scientific book Agency Culcutta 1963.
- Sing Jasjit, United Nations Peace Keeping Operation, The challenges of change in ReganMS Ed. UN
- 50 and beyond, lancer Books Delhi, 1996.
- Shastri M N, Introduction to Environment, Himalaya Publishing house, Mumbai 2005.
- Human Development Reports (Various Years).
- Landmine Monitor Reports.
- Geneva Small Arms Survey Report.
- Report of Third UN Conference of The Exploration and Peaceful use of the Outer Space.

- International Narco Control Report.
- UN Annual Reports (Various)
- Patil V T, Trivedi P R Migration, Refugees and Security in 21st Century, Delhi 2005

Or

SEC-3:Consumer Protection Rights

Credits02

SEC3T: Consumer Protection

Course Contents:

Unit -1: Consumer – legal and general notion

Unit- 2: Consumer Rights

Unit -3: Redressal of violation of consumer rights

- District Redressal Forum, State Forum
- National Council

Unit - 4: Consumer Safety

- Consumer and Food Safety
- Banking and Insurance problems
- Misleading Advertisement

Generic Elective(GE)

GE- 1:Contemporary Issues to India's National Security

Credits 06

GE1T:Contemporary Issues to India's National Security

Credits 04

Course contents:

Unit -1: National Security

- i) Meaning
- ii) Definition
- iii) Concept
- iv) Nature & Scope

Unit -2: Challenges to Indian Armed Forces

- i) Aspects of India's National Security Problems
- ii) Various types of challenges and its application to Indian Armed Forces
- iii) Role of awareness about the role of Indian Armed Forces

Unit- 3: Contemporary Issues – case studies

- i) Kashmir Issue
- ii) McMahon Line
- iii) Terrorism
- iv) Indian Ocean
- v) Naxalism
- vi) Siyachin
- vii) Tamil Problem.

GE1P: Practical**Credits 02****Course contents:****Project Work:**

- i) Project submission related to contemporary issues.
- ii) Interview with Indian Armed Forces Serviceman/Ex-Serviceman

Suggested Books/ Reading:

- 1) Indian Army – E.H.E. Choen.
- 2) Ministry of Defence – Annual Reports
- 3) Organisation and Administration in the Indian Army – Brigadier Rajendra Singh.
