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## Lecture Plan

<b>Name of Course:</b>	<b>Rural Planning and Development (MURP213)</b>
Programme & Sem:	<b>M.Plan (URP)-Sem Three- Odd Semester AY 2023-24</b>
Course Duration:	July 14, 2023, to October 22, 2023
Course Coordinator:	Dr. Adinarayanane R, Associate Professor, Department of Planning.
Number of Credits:	03
Subject Category:	Theory
Total Periods/Week:	3
Internal Assessment	50 (minimum pass marks 50%)
End Evaluation	50 (minimum pass marks 50%)
Total Marks	100 (to be converted to CGPA credit pattern as per regulations)

**Subject Objective:** To provide exposure to the concepts, initiatives, systems and trends of rural planning and development.

Week	Lecture / Session Topic (Teaching-Learning Objective aimed)	Session Mode (Optional)	References / Suggested Readings
Week 1 (starting July 17)	Introduction - Concepts - village as an organic entity- physical, social, economic, administrative structure of village.	Lecture & Discussions	1. Moseley, Malcolm J. (2003). Rural Development: Principles and Practice; SAGE Publications Pvt. Ltd, London. 2. Nick Gallent, Meri Juntti, Sue Kidd and Dave Shaw, (2008) Introduction to Rural Planning, Routledge Taylor & Francis group. 3. Macivier R .M and Page.C (1981), Society –An Introductory Analysis, Macmillan Pvt Ltd, India.
Week 2 (starting July 24)	Land use in rural areas- cultivated land, waste land, habitable areas. Social, economic and ecological constraints for rural development.	Lecture	1. Ruth McAreavey (2009)- Rural Development Theory and Practice, Routledge Taylor & Francis group. 2. Gary Paul Green (2013)- Handbook of Rural Development, Edward Elgar Publishing, Inc, MA, USA.
Week 3 (starting July 31)	Indian rural society, caste, class and gender structures.	Lecture	3. Dr. Ravinder Singh (2023)- Rural Society & Development In India: Through A Sociological Lens, © IJCIRAS   ISSN (O) - 2581-5334 January 2023   Vol. 5 Issue. 8.
Week 4 (starting from Aug 07)	Hierarchy of settlements in rural India, Rural development: concept, hierarchy and nature, approaches.	Lecture	1. Katar Singh, (2009)- Rural Development Principles, Policies and Management, third edition, Sage Publications.
Week 5 (starting Aug 14)	Land reform system, Gramin swaraj, Sarvodaya movement, Five Year Plans and Rural Development; Planning process at National, State, Regional and District levels;	Lecture	1. Ramesh Chand, S K Srivastava, Jaspal Singh (2017) -Review of Rural Affairs-Changes in Rural Economy of India, 1971 to 2012 Lessons for Job-led Growth, DECEMBER 30, 2017, Vol III no 52 Economic & Political Weekly.



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Week 6 (starting Aug 21)	Planning, development, implementing and monitoring organizations and agencies; Urban and rural interface – integrated approach and local plans.  <b><u>Internal Assessment I</u></b>	Lecture	2.Malcolm J. Moseley (2003)- Rural Development Principles and Practice, SAGE Publications Ltd.  3. W. James Jacob (2018)-Integrated rural development from a historical and global perspective, Asian Education and Development Studies © Emerald Publishing Limited.
Week 7 (starting Aug 28)	<b>Field work (Aug 19 to Sep 02)</b>		
Week 8 (starting Sep 04)	Development initiatives and their convergence; Special component plan and sub-plan for the weaker; Data base for local planning; Need for decentralized planning; Sustainable rural development and rural transformation.	Lecture	1.Andrew Shepherd (1998)- Sustainable Rural Development, Published by PALGRAVE Publishers Ltd, NY, USA.  2.Nick Gallent, Iqbal Hamiduddin, Meri Juntti, Sue Kidd and Dave Shaw (2015), Introduction to Rural Planning, 2nd Edition, Economies, communities and landscapes, by Routledge Taylor & Francis group.  3. Planning Commission -Faster, Sustainable, and more Inclusive Growth. An Approach Paper to the Twelfth Five Year Plan. Greening Rural Development in India-United Nations Development Programme, UNDP India 2012. Published in India.
Week 9 (starting Sep11)	Constitution (Amendment) Act – XI schedule, Devolution, Decentralization, Process of empowerment and consensus orientation, Panchayati Raj institutions – organizational linkages; Various committee and their suggestion for PRI.  <b><u>Mid-Semester Assessment Week</u></b>	Lecture	1. J M Erskine (2008)- Rural development: Putting theory into practice, by Routledge Taylor & Francis group.  2.Rural Area Development Plan Formulation and Implementation (RADPFI) Guidelines, 2021 (Revised), Ministry of Panchayati Raj Government of India.
Week 10 (starting Sep 18)	District Administration – Evolution of District Administration, structure and functions, accountability of District level development Departments.	Lecture	1.Dr W G Prasanna Kumar Dr. K N Rekha (2020)-Rural Management, Rural Society and Polity, First Edition, © Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Education (MGNCRE) Department of Higher Education Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India



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Week 11 (starting Sep 25)	Role of District Magistrate/District collector vis-à-vis various Departments' hierarchies. District planning and local planning.	Lecture	1.Keith Hoggart and Henry Buller (2016) - Rural Development a Geographical Perspective, first edition published in 2016 Routledge Taylor & Francis group.
Week 12 (starting Oct 02)	Agricultural Policy and Food Security, irrigation and Watershed Management, agro-based industries, tourism development.  <b>Internal Assessment-III</b>	Lecture	1. Social Change in Rural India, Kurukshetra, A Journal of Rural Development, Vol. 64 No. Pages 52 December 2015.  2.Tadele Zemedede Wubayehu (2020)- Conceptualizing Rural Development in the Twenty-First Century, International Journal of Agricultural Extension and Rural Development Studies Vol.7, No.4, pp.18-26, December 2020 Published by ECRTD-UK.
Week 13 (starting Oct 09)	Agro and eco-tourism; Climate change and its effects on the rural economy, features of rural-urban migration.	Lecture	3.A Strategy Report on National Strategy for Sustainable Tourism (2022), Ministry of Tourism, Government of India.
Week 14 (starting Oct 16)	Disasters and resilience in rural areas, Institutionalization; Resource mapping, resource mobilization including social mobilization.	Lecture	1.Jiaxing Cuia and Five others (2019)- Characterising the hierarchical structure of urban-rural system at county level using a method based on interconnection analysis, Journal of Rural Studies, 0743-0167/ © 2019 Elsevier Ltd. 2.Rural Module on Integration of Disaster Risk Reduction and Climate Change Adaptation into Rural Development Policies and Programmes, (2020) National Institute of Disaster Management (NIDM), Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India.
Week 15 (Ends by Oct 22)	Information Technology and rural planning, marginalized sections and rural planning, rural marketing, rural finance.	Lecture	1.Dr. Sangita Agrawal (2016)- Role of ICT In Rural Development of India, EPRA-International Journal of Economic and Business Review, Vol-4, Issue-5, May 2016.  2.Dr W G Prasanna Kumar Dr K N Rekha (2020)- Rural Management Rural Finance-First Edition G Ministry Rural Management Rural Finance t Edition, Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Education Department of Higher Education Ministry of Education, Government of India.
November 29	Finalisation of Internal Marks	--	--

### Note:

1. Any other closed holidays as declared by SPAV shall supercede the above lecture plan. Holidays shown above may alter as per Notice from time to time.
2. Assessment Sessions may be re-scheduled, with prior intimation.
3. Reading lists provided is not exhaustive and is subject to addition – students are advised to follow progression of class to keep abreast of the new reading lists, if any.