

LIST OF 15 CORE PAPERS [PHILOSOPHY]

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CORE [PHILOSOPHY] - I

- Four-year Undergraduate Programme
- Subject: Philosophy
- Semester: FIRST
- Course Name: **ANCIENT INDIAN THOUGHT**
- Existing Base Syllabus: NA
- Course Level: 100-199
- Syllabus showing each unit against class numbers and marks :

Unit no.	Unit content	No. of classes	Marks
I: Vedic Thought	-Samhita: Meaning, Theology, Cosmology, Ethics -Brāhmaṇas: Meaning, General Character, Theory of Sacrifice, Ethics -Āraṇyakas and Upaniṣads: Meaning, Doctrines of Upaniṣads	15	25
II: Non-Vedic Thought	-Bauddha: Four Noble Truths, Impermanence and Momentariness, No-soul -Jaina: Anekāntvāda, Syādvāda, Bondage and Liberation -Cārvaka: Theory of Knowledge, Rejection of Transcendental Entities, Ethics	15	25
III: Smṛiti and Epics	-Manusamhita: Dharma -Mahābhārata: Religion, Dharma -Rāmāyaṇa: Idea of Perfect Life	15	25
IV : Pūrāṇas	-Pūrāṇa: Meaning, Origin -Pūrāṇa: Content -Pūrāṇa: Ethics	15	25

h. Reading list:

Chatterjee, S. and D. Dutta : *An Introduction to Indian Philosophy*

Dasgupta, S. A : *History of Indian Philosophy. Volume I*

De, S.K., U. N. Ghosal, A. D. Pusalker, R.C. Hazra (eds) : *The Cultural Heritage of India.*

Volume III

Keith, A. B : *The Religion and Philosophy of the Veda and Upanisads. Volume II*

Radhakrishnan, S : *Indian Philosophy. Volume I*