

Department of Geography

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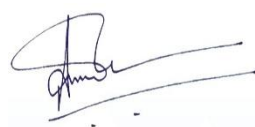
Shri Krishan Chander Government Degree College Poonch has been accredited with 'A' Grade by NAAC and has recently been awarded Autonomous status by UGC vide order No. F.2 10/2023(Ac-Policy) dated 20th February 2026. Consequently, the University of Jammu vide order No. CDC/2026/9724-26 dated 09/03/2026 has authorised the college to function as an Autonomous College with effect from the Academic Session 2026-2027.

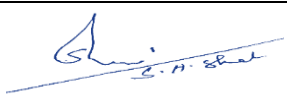
Keeping in view the guidelines of UGC, the Department of Geography has constituted its Board of Studies for developing, reviewing, and updating course content, syllabi, and academic programmes for FYUGP Semester-I&II for the examinations to be held in December 2026, 2027 & 2028 (Semester-I) and May 2027, 2028 & 2029 (Semester-II).

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES MEETING

The Department of Geography, SKC GDC Poonch, convened its first meeting of its newly constituted Board of Studies under the autonomous scheme on 29-05-2026 at 11:00 am in the Conference Hall (Blended Mode), SKC GDC Poonch. The Chairperson welcomed the members and briefed the agenda of the meeting, and the forum was opened for individual subject deliberations.

MEMBERS PRESENT

S. No.	Name	Nature	Signature
01	Dr. Nawaz Ahmed Head, Department of Geography SKC, GDC Poonch	Chairman	
02.	Dr. Sarfraz Asgar Associate Professor & Head Department of Geography, University of Jammu	Subject Expert	
03	Prof. Assadullah Khan, Dean Academic Affairs, SKC, GDC Poonch	Dean Academic Affairs	
04	Dr. Mashkoor Ahmed Associate Professor, Department of Geography, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh	Subject Expert	
05	Dr Anupreet Singh Tiwana Associate Professor Mata Gujri College (Autonomous) Fatehgarh Sahab, Punjab	Subject Expert	

06	Dr. Inderjeet Singh Associate Professor of Geography, University of Jammu	Subject Expert	
07	Dr. Yudhbir Singh Assistant Professor of Geology, University of Jammu	Subject Expert from the Allied Field	
08	Prof. Shabir Hussain Shah Associate Professor of Geography & Retired Principal	Alumni Member	
09	Dr. Taseem Ahmed Assistant Professor of Geography, Government Degree College Darhal	Member	
10	Dr. Gulshan Rashid Assistant Professor of Geography, Government Degree College Thanamandi	Member	
11	Dr. Mohd Tufail Assistant Professor of Geography, Government College for Women, Gandhi Nagar, Jammu	Member	
12	Zulafqar Ali Shah Assistant Professor of Geography, Government Degree College Rajouri	Alumni Member	
13	Miss Sonika Sudan Department of Geography, SKC GDC Poonch	Member	
14	Mr Arif Hussain War Department of Geography, SKC GDC Poonch	Member	
15	Miss Farhat Shabir Department of Geography, SKC GDC Poonch	Member	
16	Mr Zia Ur Rehman Department of Geography, SKC GDC Poonch	Member	

The following agenda items were discussed in the meeting and resolved unanimously:

Item No. 1. To discuss, adopt and approve the syllabus, credits, and Courses for FYUGP Semester-I & II

Resolution:

The Department of Geography presented a draft syllabus before the members of the Board of Studies in Geography. They thoroughly discussed and suggested minor changes. All the members of BOS approved the 80% adoption of the syllabus from the parent university (The University of Jammu), and the remaining 20% syllabus in all courses framed by the Department of Geography has been approved by the members of BOS after threadbare discussion. The syllabi and courses of study for

Semester I & II classes of Four-Year Undergraduate Programme (FYUGP) under NEP-2020 to be taught are:

Semester	Course Type	Course Code	Course Title	Credits
I	Major (Theory)	UMJGOTH-101	Physical Geography	4
	Major (Practical)	UMJGOPR-101	Basics of Cartography	2
	Minor (Theory)	UMIGOTH-121	Introduction to Physical Geography	4
	Minor (Practical)	UMIGOPR-121	Basics of Cartography	2
	Multidisciplinary	UMDGOTH-141	Basics of Physical Geography	3
	Skill Enhancement Course (SEC)	USEGOPR-151	Foundation of Tourism Geography	3
II	Major (Theory)	UMJGOTH-201	Human Geography	4
	Major (Practical)	UMJGOPR-201	Surveying Methods-I	2
	Minor (Theory)	UMIGOTH-221	Basics of Human Geography	4
	Minor (Practical)	UMIGOPR-221	Graphical Representation of Data	2
	Multidisciplinary	UMDGOTH-241	Introduction to Human Geography	3
	Skill Enhancement Course (SEC)	USEGOPR-251	Tourism Development and Impacts	3

The note for paper setting and evaluation strategy for the above courses is as per the guidelines notified by the college authorities. It was also resolved that the Syllabi of the above courses be notified after the approval of the competent authority.

Item No. 2. To review the course objectives and outcomes for FYUGP Semester-I &II

Resolution:

The members of the Board of Studies in Geography approved the course objectives and outcomes prepared by the department.

Item No. 3. To approve the procedure relevant to both internal and external examinations to be held in Dec. 2026, 2027 & 2028 (Semester-I) and May 2027, 2028 & 2029 (Semester-II).

Resolution: The members of the Board of Studies in Geography approved the procedure and scheme of internal and external examination patterns as prepared by the department for the examinations to be held in Dec. 2026, 2027 & 2028 (Semester-I) and May 2027, 2028 & 2029 (Semester-II).

Item No. 4. To discuss the pattern and model of question papers for FYUGP Semester-I &II

Resolution: The board unanimously agreed and approved the paper pattern and model question papers for all courses designed for FYUGP Semester-I &II.

Item No. 5. To prepare a panel of paper setters and evaluators to be sent to the Controller of Examination for FYUGP Semester-I &II.

Resolution: Resolved to prepare a panel of paper setters and evaluators from amongst teachers in Geography working in colleges affiliated/autonomous to the University of Jammu, teachers working in the constituent colleges of Cluster University of Jammu, teachers working in University of Jammu and teachers retired from colleges affiliated/autonomous to University of Jammu. However, the Chairperson, Board of Studies in Geography, SKC GDC Poonch was authorised to prepare a panel of paper setters and evaluators and the same may be communicated to the Controller of Examinations, SKC GDC Poonch.

Item No. 6. Departmental activities/events.

Resolution: The members of the Board of Studies in Geography suggested that the department organise developmental activities like Field study tours, seminars, workshops and FDPs for both faculty and students.

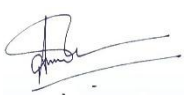
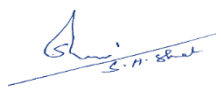
Item No. 7. Any other points.

The Board recommends a dynamic geography syllabus that blends modern technology with experiential learning. It urges teachers to integrate innovative digital tools, such as Geographic Information Systems (GIS), interactive 3D maps, and virtual reality, to help students visualise complex spatial patterns and environmental data. Alongside these digital resources, the board emphasizes the critical role of field study visits. By observing local ecosystems, urban landscapes, physical landscapes, and weather stations firsthand, students can connect classroom theory to real-world geographical phenomena, fostering deep analytical skills and environmental awareness.

The meeting concluded with a formal vote of thanks by Prof. Sonika Sudan. She individually thanked the worthy Principal, the Dean, Academic Affairs, of the college, and the subject experts for their committed participation in the discussions and for their valuable input to the course. She then thanked the Allied field expert and other members of the board for their valuable involvement in the syllabus discussions and approval. The details of all the above-mentioned courses with course structure, syllabus and evaluation pattern are enclosed herewith.



(Dr. Nawaz Ahmed)
Chairman

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Approved by

(Dr. Jasbir Singh)
Principal

SKC Govt. Degree College Poonch

Dated: 20/06/2026

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Department of Geography

SYLLABUS AND COURSES OF STUDY IN GEOGRAPHY

**For the Examination to be held in Dec. 2026, 2027 &
2028**

GEOGRAPHY COURSE

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Detailed Syllabus for the Examination to be held in Dec. 2026, 2027 & 2028

Semester-I

Course Title	Physical Geography
Course Type	Major (Theory)
Course Code	UMJGOTH-101
Course Credits	04
Total Duration	60 Hours
Internal Assessment	15 Marks (1.5 Hours)
Attendance	05 Marks
End Semester Examination	80 Marks (3 Hours)
Total Marks	100

Course Objectives

- Understand the fundamentals of Physical Geography and its scope, including the structure and components of the Earth system (lithosphere, atmosphere, hydrosphere, biosphere).
- Explain major geomorphic processes such as weathering, erosion, and deposition, and their role in shaping landforms.
- Analyse basic atmospheric processes including temperature, pressure, winds, and precipitation patterns.
- Develop foundational skills in interpreting physical maps, diagrams, and geographic data related to landforms and climate.

Course Outcomes

- Describe and explain the structure and functioning of Earth's physical systems and their interrelationships.
- Identify and interpret various landforms and explain the processes responsible for their formation.
- Demonstrate understanding of weather and climate elements and their spatial variations across the globe.
- Apply basic geographical skills such as map reading, diagram interpretation, and simple data analysis in physical geography.

SYLLABUS

Unit- I

- 1.1. Foundations of Geography: Definitions and Basic Concepts
- 1.2. Divisions of Geography
- 1.3. Components of Physical Geography.
- 1.4. Shape and Size of Earth, Time zones and the International Date Line.

Unit- II

- 2.1. Evolution of the solar system: Hot and Cold origin concepts
- 2.2. Theories of origin of the Solar System: Nebular Hypothesis, Planetesimal Hypothesis and Big Bang theory.
- 2.3. Basic Physical features of Earth (continents, oceans, and other geographical terminologies)
- 2.4. Theories of Continental Drift and Plate Tectonics.

Unit- III

- 3.1. Interior of Earth
- 3.2. Earthquakes: Causes, Effects and Distribution
- 3.3. Volcanoes: Causes, Effects, landforms, and Distribution
- 3.4. Rocks and their Types.

Unit- IV

- 4.1. Earth Movements
- 4.2. Weathering and its types.
- 4.3. Mass Wasting: Types, causes and landforms.
- 4.4. Landslides and Avalanches.

Examination and Evaluation Pattern:

1. 20 marks shall be earmarked for Internal Assessment
(05 Marks for Attendance and 15 Marks for Assessment Test).
2. **Scheme for award of marks for attendance:**

a.	Attendance of 75-80 %	01 Marks
b.	Attendance of 81-85 %	02 Marks
c.	Attendance of 86-90 %	03 Marks
d.	Attendance of 91-95 %	04 Marks
e.	Attendance of 96-100 %	05 Marks

Internal Assessment Examination:

There will be two sections in the Internal Assessment examination:

Section A shall consist of eight (8) short answer questions with four questions from each unit. Students are required to attempt any five questions. Each question shall carry two (2) marks.

Section B shall consist of two (2) long answer questions. Students are required to attempt one (1) question of 5 marks.

End Term Examination:

There will be two sections in the end examination:

Section A shall consist of four (4) short answer questions with one question from each unit. Students are required to attempt all the questions. Each question shall carry five (5) marks.

Section B shall consist of eight (8) long answer questions with two questions from each unit. Students are required to attempt four (4) questions, selecting one question from each unit. Each question shall carry 15 marks.

Paper Setting

Examination	Syllabus to be covered	Time Allotted	Marks
Internal Assessment	50%	1:30 Hours	15
End-Semester	100%	3 Hours	80

Books Recommended

1. Monkhouse, F.J.: Principles of Physical Geography, Hodder and Stoughton, London, 1960.
2. Singh, S.: Physical Geography, Prayag Pustak Bhawan, 1998.
3. Strahler, A.N.: Environmental Geoscience, Hamilton, Santa Barbara, 1973.
4. Strahler, A.N. and Strahler, A.H.: Modern Physical Geography, Wiley and Sons, Revised Edition, 1992.
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Detailed Syllabus for the Examination to be held in Dec. 2026, 2027 & 2028

Semester-I

Course Title	Basics of Cartography
Course Type	Practical
Course Code	UMJGOPR-101
Course Credits	02
Total Duration	60 Hours
Internal Practical	25 Marks (1.5 Hours)
External Practical	25 Marks (1.5 Hours)
Total Marks	50

Course Objectives

- To develop fundamental skills in Cartography, including map reading, scale interpretation, and representation of geographical data through conventional symbols.
- To train students in basic map-making techniques, such as preparation of thematic maps, diagrams, and simple cartographic representations using manual methods.

Course Outcomes

After completing the practical component, students will be able to:

- Interpret and analyse maps effectively, including topographical sheets, scales, directions, and symbols.
- Construct basic maps and diagrams, demonstrating essential cartographic skills.

SYLLABUS

Unit –I: Introduction to Cartography

1.1 Definition, Nature and Scope of Cartography

1.2 Map: definition, classification, and essentials of Maps

1.3 Scale: Definition, Types and Methods of Representation

Unit – II: Scales

2.1 Construction of Plain Scale

2.2 Construction of Comparative Scale

2.3 Construction of Diagonal Scale (Three exercises for each scale)

NOTE FOR PAPER SETTER:

Practical Examination/Evaluation

a. Internal Practical Exam.

- Written Test: 10
- Daily Performance: 05 Marks
- Attendance: 05 Marks
- Viva/Presentation: 05

Internal Practical will be conducted in one session. The question paper will be set from two units. Two questions from each unit will be asked, and students are required to attempt one question from each unit. Each question carries 05 marks

b. External Practical Exam.

- Written Test: 20 Marks
- File and Viva: 05 Marks

The external practical test will be conducted in one session. The question paper will be set from two units. Two questions from each unit will be asked, and students are required to attempt one question from each unit. Each question carries 10 marks.

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Detailed Syllabus for the Examination to be held in Dec. 2026, 2027 & 2028

Semester-I

Course Title	Introduction to Physical Geography
Course Type	Minor (Theory)
Course Code	UMIGOTH-121
Course Credits	04
Total Duration	60 Hours
Internal Assessment	15 Marks (1.5 Hours)
Attendance	05 Marks
End Semester Examination	80 Marks (3 Hours)
Total Marks	100

Course Objectives

- Understand the fundamentals of Physical Geography and its scope, including the structure and components of the Earth system (lithosphere, atmosphere, hydrosphere, biosphere).
- Explain major geomorphic processes such as weathering, erosion, and deposition, and their role in shaping landforms.
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Course Outcomes

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e.	Attendance of 96-100 %	05 Marks

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Section B shall consist of two (2) long answer questions. Students are required to attempt one (1) question of 5 marks

End Term Examination:

There will be two sections in the end examination:

Section A shall consist of four (4) short answer questions with one question from each unit. Students are required to attempt all the questions. Each question shall carry five (5) marks.

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Paper Setting

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Internal Assessment	50%	1:30 Hours	15
End-Semester	100%	3 Hours	80

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Semester-I

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Course Type	Practical
Course Code	UMIGOPR-121
Course Credits	02
Total Duration	60 Hours
Internal Practical	25 Marks (1.5 Hours)
External Practical	25 Marks (1.5 Hours)
Total Marks	50

Course Objectives

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a. Internal Practical Exam.

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- Daily Performance: 05 Marks
- Attendance: 05 Marks
- Viva/Presentation: 05

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b. External Practical Exam.

- Written Test: 20 Marks
- File and Viva: 05 Marks

The external practical test will be conducted in one session. The question paper will be set from two units. Two questions from each unit will be asked, and students are required to attempt one question from each unit. Each question carries 10 marks.

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Semester-I

Course Title	Basics of Physical Geography
Course Type	Multidisciplinary
Course Code	UMDGOTH-141
Course Credits	03
Total Duration	45 Hours
Internal Assessment	10 Marks (1 Hour)
Attendance	05 Marks
End Semester Examination	60 Marks (2.5 Hours)
Total Marks	75

Course Objectives

- Understand the fundamentals of Physical Geography and its scope, including the structure and components of the Earth system (lithosphere, atmosphere, hydrosphere, biosphere).
- Explain major geomorphic processes such as weathering, erosion, and deposition, and their role in shaping landforms.
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- Apply basic geographical skills such as map reading, diagram interpretation, and simple data analysis in physical geography.

SYLLABUS

Unit I:

- 1.1. Definitions and Significance of Geography.
- 1.2. Concept of Space, Place and Location.
- 1.3. Subdivisions of Geography.
- 1.4. Components of Physical Geography.

Unit- II

- 2.1. Earthquakes: Causes and Distribution

2.2. Volcanoes: Causes and Distribution.

2.3. Weathering and its types.

2.4. Rocks and their Types

Unit- III

3.1. Eclipse: Solar and Lunar

3.2. Tides: Types, causes and effects

3.3. Phases of the Moon.

3.4. Tsunami: Causes and Effects

Examination and Evaluation Pattern:

1. 15 marks shall be earmarked for Internal Assessment

(05 Marks for Attendance and 10 Marks for Assessment Test).

2. Scheme for award of marks for attendance:

a.	Attendance of 75-80 %	01 Marks
b.	Attendance of 81-85 %	02 Marks
c.	Attendance of 86-90 %	03 Marks
d.	Attendance of 91-95 %	04 Marks
e.	Attendance of 96-100 %	05 Marks

Internal Assessment Examination:

There will be two sections in the Internal Assessment examination:

Section A shall consist of six (6) short answer questions with two questions from each unit. Students are required to attempt any three questions. Each question shall carry two (2) marks.

Section B shall consist of two (2) long answer questions. Students are required to attempt one (1) question of 4 marks.

End Term Examination:

There will be two sections in the end examination:

Section A shall consist of three (3) short answer questions with one question from each unit. Students are required to attempt all the questions. Each question shall be of five (5) marks.

Section B shall consist of six (6) long answer type questions with two questions from each unit. Students are required to attempt three (3) questions, selecting one question from each unit. Each question shall carry 15 marks.

Paper Setting

Examination	Syllabus to be covered	Time Allotted	Marks
Internal Assessment	50%	1:00 Hours	10
End-Semester	100%	3 Hours	60

Books Recommended

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Detailed Syllabus for the Examination to be held in Dec. 2026, 2027 & 2028

Semester-I

Course Title	Foundations of Tourism Geography
Course Type	Skill Enhancement Course
Course Code	USEGOPR-151
Course Credits	1+2=03
Total Duration	45 Hours
Internal Assessment	35 Marks (2 Hours)
End Semester Examination	40 Marks
Total Marks	75 Marks

Course Objectives:

- Understanding Fundamental Concepts of tourism geography.
- Analyzing Factors Influencing Tourism.
- Assessing the positive and negative social, economic, and environmental impacts of tourism on local communities and ecosystems.
- Promoting Sustainable Development.
- Understanding Tourism Policies

Course Outcomes:

- The most important outcome is the introduction of Travel and Tourism among the learners and to get the knowledge and understanding of the overall phenomena of Travel and Tourism, by defining, understanding meaning, concept, and historical developments, and introducing various types and forms of Tourism.
- To understand the meaning and typologies of Tourist, definitions and meaning of Traveller, Excursionist, Visitor and Transient. As tourism is a highly seasonal activity, it is essential to understand the concepts of demand and supply in Tourism and the factors affecting them.
- One of the major outcomes is getting a proper understanding of Tourism Product as the product is an essential part of any industry. The emphasis is on defining various features of Tourism Product, its characteristics, and its different types and showcasing the major differences between tourism products and other products.

SYLLABUS

Unit I: Introduction to Tourism

- 1.1. Meaning, definition, and scope of tourism
- 1.2. Types of tourism (leisure, pilgrimage, eco-tourism, cultural tourism)
- 1.3. Components of tourism: tourist, destination, transport, accommodation
- 1.4. Tourism vs recreation and travel

Unit II: Geography and Tourism Resources

- 2.1. Concept of tourism resources

- 2.2. Natural resources: mountains, beaches, forests, wildlife
- 2.3. Cultural resources: heritage sites, festivals, monuments
- 2.4. Introduction to tourism in India with examples

Unit III: Basic Practical Skills

- 3.1. Map identification of major tourist destinations in India
- 3.2. Simple itinerary preparation (1-2 days trip)
- 3.3. Basic communication skills for tourists
- 3.4. Introduction to field observation and reporting

Examination and Evaluation Pattern:

2. 35 marks shall be earmarked for Internal Assessment

(05 Marks for Attendance and 30 Marks for Assessment Test).

3. Scheme for award of marks for attendance:

a.	Attendance of 75-80 %	01 Marks
b.	Attendance of 81-85 %	02 Marks
c.	Attendance of 86-90 %	03 Marks
d.	Attendance of 91-95 %	04 Marks
e.	Attendance of 96-100 %	05 Marks

Internal Assessment Examination:

There will be two sections in the Internal Assessment examination:

Section A shall consist of six (6) short answer questions with two questions from each unit. Students are required to attempt any three questions. Each question shall carry five (5) marks.

Section B shall consist of two (2) long answer questions. Students are required to attempt one (1) question of 15 marks.

End Term Examination:

There will be two sections in the end examination:

Section A shall consist of six (6) long answer type questions with two questions from each unit. Students are required to attempt three (3) questions (in 1.5 Hours), selecting one question from each unit. Each question shall carry five (5) marks.

Section B shall consist of a field visit and report writing of 25 Marks.

RECOMMENDED BOOKS

1. Tourism: Principles and Practice – Chris Cooper et al., 2018 (6th Edition).
2. The Geography of Tourism and Recreation: Environment, Place and Space – C. Michael Hall & Stephen Page, 2014 (4th Edition).
3. Tourism Geography – Stephen Williams, 2009 (2nd Edition).
4. Tourism Geography – S. Singh, 2011.
5. Tourism Development: Principles and Practices – A.K. Bhatia, 2012.
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8. An Introduction to Tourism – Leonard J. Lickorish & Carson L. Jenkins, 1997.

9. Tourism Impacts, Planning and Management – Peter Mason, 2008 (2nd Edition).
10. Ecotourism – David A. Fennell, 2015 (4th Edition).
11. Sustainable Tourism Management – Lesley Pender & Richard Sharpley, 2005.
12. Responsible Tourism – Harold Goodwin, 2011.

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SYLLABUS AND COURSES OF STUDY IN GEOGRAPHY

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Detailed Syllabus for the Examination to be held in Dec. 2026, 2027 & 2028

Semester-II

Course Title	Human Geography
Course Type	Major (Theory)
Course Code	UMJGOTH-201
Course Credits	04
Total Duration	60 Hours
Internal Assessment	15 Marks (1.5 Hours)
Attendance	05 Marks
End Semester Examination	80 Marks (3 Hours)
Total Marks	100

Course Objectives

- To develop conceptual understanding of the scope, nature, and approaches of Human Geography, including its relationship with the physical environment.
- To analyse spatial patterns of population distribution, growth, and composition across different regions of the world.
- To introduce students to human settlements, their types, functions, and evolving morphology in rural and urban contexts.
- To examine economic activities (primary, secondary, tertiary) and their role in shaping human-environment interactions and regional development.

Course Outcomes

After completion of the course, students will be able to:

- Explain key concepts and approaches in Human Geography and apply them to real-world situations.
- Interpret demographic data using basic statistical and cartographic techniques (graphs, maps, diagrams).
- Differentiate types of settlements and evaluate their spatial structure and functional characteristics.
- Assess the distribution of economic activities and understand their impact on society, environment, and sustainable development.

SYLLABUS

Unit – I

- 1.1. Definition of Human Geography, Human Nature Interaction
- 1.2. Determinism Versus Possibilism
- 1.3. Systematic Geography Versus Regional Geography
- 1.4. Human Development Index

Unit – II

- 2.1. Distribution and Density of Population in the World
- 2.2. Factors affecting Distribution and Density of Population
- 2.3. Growth of Population, Census 2011
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Unit – III

- 3.1. Types and Patterns of Settlements
- 3.2. Functional Classification of Towns
- 3.3. Patterns of Urbanization in the World, Problems and Remedies of Urbanization
- 3.4. Slums and informal settlements (A case study of Indian slum Dharavi)

Unit – IV

- 4.1. Meaning and Definition of Resources
- 4.2. Classification of Resources, Human as a Resource
- 4.3. Resource depletion, Conservation, and sustainable Development
- 4.4. Energy crisis and Renewable Resources

Examination and Evaluation Pattern:

1. 20 marks shall be earmarked for Internal Assessment
(05 Marks for Attendance and 15 Marks for Assessment Test).
2. **Scheme for award of marks for attendance:**

a.	Attendance of 75-80 %	01 Marks
b.	Attendance of 81-85 %	02 Marks
c.	Attendance of 86-90 %	03 Marks
d.	Attendance of 91-95 %	04 Marks
e.	Attendance of 96-100 %	05 Marks

Internal Assessment Examination:

There will be two sections in the Internal Assessment examination:

Section A shall consist of eight (8) short answer questions with four questions from each unit. Students are required to attempt any five questions. Each question shall carry two (2) marks.

Section B shall consist of two (2) long answer questions. Students are required to attempt one (1) question of 5 marks.

End Term Examination:

There will be two sections in the end examination:

Section A shall consist of four (4) short answer questions with one question from each unit. Students are required to attempt all the questions. Each question shall carry five (5) marks.

Section B shall consist of eight (8) long answer questions with two questions from each unit. Students are required to attempt four (4) questions, selecting one question from each unit. Each question shall carry 15 marks.

Paper Setting

Examination	Syllabus to be covered	Time Allotted	Marks
Internal Assessment	50%	1:30 Hours	15
End-Semester	100%	3 Hours	80

Books Recommended

1. Chandna, R.C. (2010) Population Geography, Kalyani Publisher.
2. Dr. Alka Chowhan: Geography of Resources, Sharda Pustak Bhawan Allahabad.
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Semester-II

Course Title	Surveying Methods-I
Course Type	Practical
Course Code	UMJGOPR-201
Course Credits	02
Total Duration	60 Hours
Internal Practical	25 Marks (1.5 Hours)
External Practical	25 Marks (1.5 Hours)
Total Marks	50

Course Objectives

- To develop basic field surveying skills using chain and tape methods for measuring distances and preparing simple field layouts.
- To train students in conducting linear measurements and field recording, including chaining, ranging, offsetting, and maintaining field books accurately.

Course Outcomes

After completing the practical component, students will be able to:

- **Carry out chain and tape surveying independently**, including accurate measurement of distances and plotting of small areas.
- **Record, compute, and represent field data**, and prepare neat plans/maps from field observations with proper scale and conventions.

SYLLABUS

Unit – I: Introduction to Survey

- 1.1 Definition and Meaning of Survey
- 1.2 Classification of Survey
- 1.3 Principles of Survey and Surveying

Unit – II: Chain and Tape Survey

- 2.1 Instruments in Chain and Tape Survey
- 2.2 Field Book and Field Exercises
- 2.3 Physical Field Survey (Observation only)

NOTE FOR PAPER SETTER:

Practical Examination/Evaluation

b. Internal Practical Exam.

- Written Test: 10
- Daily Performance: 05 Marks

- Attendance: 05 Marks
- Viva/Presentation: 05

Internal Practical will be conducted in one session. The question paper will be set from two units. Two questions from each unit will be asked, and students are required to attempt one question from each unit. Each question carries 05 marks

b. External Practical Exam.

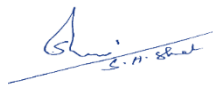
- Written Test: 20 Marks
- File and Viva: 05 Marks

The external practical test will be conducted in one session. The question paper will be set from two units. Two questions from each unit will be asked, and students are required to attempt one question from each unit. Each question carries 10 marks.

Books Recommended:

1. Elements of Practical Geography- *R.L. Singh & Rana P.B. Singh*: Covers map reading, scale, projections, and diagrammatic representation.
2. Practical Geography – *Gopal Singh*: Useful for beginners; includes cartographic techniques and map interpretation.
3. Map Work and Practical Geography- *S.R. Noori*: Focuses on basic map work, diagrams, and field techniques.
4. Surveying and Levelling- *B.C. Punmia*: Standard reference for basic surveying techniques including chain surveying.
5. Plane Surveying – *A.M. Chandra*: Covers principles and methods of chain and tape surveying in detail.
6. Practical Geography Part I - *R.L. Singh*: Includes field surveying methods along with cartographic exercises.

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Semester-II

Course Title	Basics of Human Geography
Course Type	Minor (Theory)
Course Code	UMIGOTH-221
Course Credits	04
Total Duration	60 Hours
Internal Assessment	15 Marks (1.5 Hours)
Attendance	05 Marks
End Semester Examination	80 Marks (3 Hours)
Total Marks	100

Course Objectives

- To develop conceptual understanding of the scope, nature, and approaches of Human Geography, including its relationship with the physical environment.
- To analyse spatial patterns of population distribution, growth, and composition across different regions of the world.
- To introduce students to human settlements, their types, functions, and evolving morphology in rural and urban contexts.
- To examine economic activities (primary, secondary, tertiary) and their role in shaping human-environment interactions and regional development.

Course Outcomes

After completion of the course, students will be able to:

- Explain key concepts and approaches in Human Geography and apply them to real-world situations.
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SYLLABUS

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Examination and Evaluation Pattern:

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(05 Marks for Attendance and 15 Marks for Assessment Test).
2. Scheme for award of marks for attendance:

a.	Attendance of 75-80 %	01 Marks
b.	Attendance of 81-85 %	02 Marks
c.	Attendance of 86-90 %	03 Marks
d.	Attendance of 91-95 %	04 Marks
e.	Attendance of 96-100 %	05 Marks

Internal Assessment Examination:

There will be two sections in the Internal Assessment examination:

Section A shall consist of eight (8) short answer questions with four questions from each unit. Students are required to attempt any five questions. Each question shall carry (2) marks.

Section B shall consist of two (2) long answer questions. Students are required to attempt one (1) question of 5 marks.

End Term Examination:

There will be two sections in the end examination:

Section A shall consist of four (4) short answer questions with one question from each unit. Students are required to attempt all the questions. Each question shall carry five (5) marks.

Section B shall consist of eight (8) long answer questions with two questions from each unit. Students are required to attempt four (4) questions, selecting one question from each unit. Each question shall carry 15 marks.

Paper Setting

Examination	Syllabus to be covered	Time Allotted	Marks
Internal Assessment	50%	1:30 Hours	15
End-Semester	100%	3 Hours	80

Books Recommended

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Semester-II

Course Title	Graphical Representation of Data
Course Type	Practical
Course Code	UMIGOPR-221
Course Credits	02
Total Duration	60 Hours
Internal Practical	25 Marks (1.5 Hours)
External Practical	25 Marks (1.5 Hours)
Total Marks	50

Course Objectives

- To develop skills in representing relief features using various cartographic techniques such as contours, hachures, hill shading, and profiles.
- To train students in graphical and diagrammatic representation of geographical data, including construction of bar diagrams, pie charts, and thematic maps.

Course Outcomes

After completing the practical component, students will be able to:

- Interpret and construct relief representations, including contour maps, cross-sections, and identification of landforms.
- Present geographical data effectively through appropriate diagrams and maps and analyse spatial patterns with clarity.

SYLLABUS

Unit-I: Representation of Relief

- 1.1. Qualitative methods: Hachure, Layer tinting, Hill shading
- 1.2. Quantitative methods: Spot height, Benchmarks, Form lines
- 1.3. Contours: V-shaped valley, U-shaped valley, Plateau, Slopes

Unit-II: Representation of Data

- 2.1. Types of graphic representation
- 2.2. Line graph (Temperature & Rainfall)
- 2.3. Bar graph (Temperature & Rainfall)

NOTE FOR PAPER SETTER:

Practical Examination/Evaluation

b. Internal Practical Exam.

- Written Test: 10

- Daily Performance: 05 Marks
- Attendance: 05 Marks
- Viva/Presentation: 05

Internal Practical will be conducted in one session. The question paper will be set from two units. Two questions from each unit will be asked, and students are required to attempt one question from each unit. Each question carries 05 marks.

b. External Practical Exam.

- Written Test: 20 Marks
- File and Viva: 05 Marks

The external practical test will be conducted in one session. The question paper will be set from two units. Two questions from each unit will be asked, and students are required to attempt one question from each unit. Each question carries 10 marks.

Books Recommended

1. Practical Geography – *Gopal Singh*: Covers contouring, profiles, and graphical representation of data in a simple manner.
2. Elements of Practical Geography – *R.L. Singh & Rana P.B. Singh*: Detailed explanation of relief representation techniques and diagrammatic methods.
3. Map Work and Practical Geography – *S.R. Noori*: Useful for beginners; includes exercises on contours, gradients, and data representation.
4. Practical Geography Part I – *R.L. Singh*: Focuses on contour mapping, cross-sections, and statistical diagrams.

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Semester- II

Course Title	Introduction to Human Geography
Course Type	Multidisciplinary
Course Code	UMDGOTH-241
Course Credits	03
Total Duration	60 Hours
Internal Assessment	10 Marks (1:00 Hours)
Attendance	05 Marks
End Semester Examination	60 Marks (2.5 Hours)
Total Marks	75

Course Objectives

- To develop conceptual understanding of the scope, nature, and approaches of Human Geography, including its relationship with the physical environment.
- To analyse spatial patterns of population distribution, growth, and composition across different regions of the world.
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Course Outcomes

After completion of the course, students will be able to:

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- Differentiate types of settlements and evaluate their spatial structure and functional characteristics.
- Assess the distribution of economic activities and understand their impact on society, environment, and sustainable development.

SYLLABUS

Unit - I

- 1.1 Definition and Concept of Human Geography.
- 1.2 Distribution and Density of Population in the World.
- 1.3 Growth of Population.
- 1.4 Factors responsible for uneven distribution of Population in the World.

Unit - II

2.1 Meaning and Definition of Migration.

2.2 Types of Migration.

2.3 Causes of Migration in Urban India

2.4 Effects of Migration.

Unit - III

3.1 Definition and Meaning of Resources.

3.2 Classification of Resources, Human as a resource

3.3 Methods of Conservation of Resources.

3.4 Concept of Sustainable Development.

Examination and Evaluation Pattern:

1. 15 marks shall be earmarked for Internal Assessment

(05 Marks for Attendance and 15 Marks for Assessment Test).

2. Scheme for award of marks for attendance:

a.	Attendance of 75-80 %	01 Marks
b.	Attendance of 81-85 %	02 Marks
c.	Attendance of 86-90 %	03 Marks
d.	Attendance of 91-95 %	04 Marks
e.	Attendance of 96-100 %	05 Marks

Internal Assessment Examination:

There will be two sections in the Internal Assessment examination:

Section A shall consist of six (6) short answer questions with two questions from each unit. Students are required to attempt any three questions. Each question shall carry two (2) marks.

Section B shall consist of two (2) long answer questions. Students are required to attempt one (1) question of 4 marks.

End Term Examination:

There will be two sections in the end examination:

Section A shall consist of three (3) short answer questions with one question from each unit. Students are required to attempt all the questions. Each question shall be of five (5) marks.

Section B shall consist of six (6) long answer type questions with two questions from each unit. Students are required to attempt three (3) questions, selecting one question from each unit. Each question shall carry 15 marks.

Paper Setting

Examination	Syllabus to be covered	Time Allotted	Marks
Internal Assessment	50%	1:00 Hours	10
End-Semester	100%	2.5 Hours	60

Books Recommended

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Semester-II

Course Title	Tourism Development and its Impacts
Course Type	Skill Enhancement Course
Course Code	USEGOPR-251
Course Credits	1+2=03
Total Duration	45 Hours
Internal Assessment	35 Marks
End Semester Examination	40 Marks
Total Marks	75

Course Objectives:

- To understand tourism infrastructure and development
- To analyse impacts of tourism
- To develop field survey skills

Course Outcomes:

- Describe tourism infrastructure
- Evaluate impacts of tourism
- Conduct basic tourism surveys

SYLLABUS

Unit I: Tourism Infrastructure

- 1.1. Transport systems (road, rail, air)
- 1.2. Accommodation: hotels, guest houses, homestays
- 1.3. Role of government and private sector
- 1.4. Tourism policies in India

Unit II: Impacts of Tourism

- 2.1. Economic impacts (employment, income)
- 2.2. Environmental impacts (pollution, resource degradation)
- 2.3. Socio-cultural impacts (traditions, lifestyle changes)
- 2.4. Concept of sustainable tourism

Unit III: Practical Skills

- 3.1. Survey methods in tourism (questionnaire design)
- 3.2. Data collection and basic analysis (Field Visit)
- 3.3. Preparation of simple tourism maps

Examination and Evaluation Pattern:

3. 35 marks shall be earmarked for Internal Assessment

(05 Marks for Attendance and 30 Marks for Assessment Test).

4. Scheme for award of marks for attendance:

a.	Attendance of 75-80 %	01 Marks
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e.	Attendance of 96-100 %	05 Marks
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Internal Assessment Examination:

There will be two sections in the Internal Assessment examination:

Section A shall consist of six (6) short answer questions with two questions from each unit. Students are required to attempt any three questions. Each question shall carry five (5) marks.

Section B shall consist of two (2) long answer questions. Students are required to attempt one (1) question of 15 marks.

End Term Examination:

There will be two sections in the end examination:

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Section B shall consist of a field visit and report writing of 25 Marks.

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