

Scheme of B.A. 2nd, (Economics Hons.) Semester System

B.A.Part-2

Semester-3

- Paper-105 Money & Banking
- Paper-106 Issues in Indian Economy
- Paper-107 Development Economics & Planning

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3RD SEMESTER
Paper-306
Issues in Indian Economy

Theory paper:90
Internal assessment: 10

The Question paper will have Nine questions, including two questions from each unit. The candidate will be required to attempt **Five** questions in all. The question number one will be compulsory and it will have twelve short-answer type questions (each carrying 1.5 marks) uniformly spread over entire syllabus. The candidate will be required to attempt **ten** out of these **twelve** short answer type questions. Out of the remaining eight questions (each carrying 15 marks), the candidate will be required to attempt four questions selecting one from each unit.

Unit-1

Basic Issues: Over population, poverty, unemployment, inequality, urbanization and Problems of civic amenities, Backwardness, rural- urban migration.

Unit-2

Regional Issues in India's Economic Development: Regional imbalances and Economic backwardness, Causes and remedies.

Haryana Economy: Basic Features, Growth and Sectoral Distribution of State Domestic Product. (SDP); Declining sex- Ratio and its social and economics implications; Regional disparities in Haryana; Globalization in Haryana Economy: Concept of effective cities and poverty eradication in haryana.

Unit-3

Human Resource Development: Role of Education and health: issues, problems & policies; Labor productivity: Issues, policies and programmes, Gender and Development.

Unit-4

Economic Reforms in India: Liberalization, privatization and Globalization: Need & Rationale; An Appraisal of Economic reforms in India; Competitiveness of Indian trade and Industry: Special Economic Zones, Highlights of Current Five Year Plan.

Suggested Readings:

1. M.P. Todaro & Smith, Economic Development in the Third World. Addison-Wesley. 6th ed.
2. Uma kapila, Indian Economy: Issues in Development and Planning & Sectoral Aspects (2005). Academic Foundation.
3. Arvind Virmani. Accelerating Growth and Poverty reduction: A Policy Framework for India's Development (2004)
4. Government of India, Economic Survey (latest)
5. Government of India, Five Year Plan, (latest)

6. Government of India. Finance Commission Report (Latest Ed.)
7. Ray, Debraj, (1998)Development Economics, Princeton University Press,
8. Banerjee, Abhijit, Ronald Benabon and Dilip Mookerjee (ed.), Understanding Poverty, OUP, 2006.
9. Statistical Abstract Haryana and Economic Survey of Haryana published by Department of Economic and Statistical Analysis Haryana (latest)
10. Datt, Rudar & K.P. Sundaram, “Indian Economy” S. Chand & Company (Latest Ed.).
11. Mishra S. K. & V. K. Puri, “Indian Economy”, Himalya Publishing House (Latest Ed.).

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3RD SEMESTER
Paper-307
Development Economics & Planning

Theory paper: 90
Internal assessment: 10

The Question paper will have **nine** questions, including two questions from each unit. The candidate will be required to attempt **five** questions in all. The question number one will be compulsory and it will have **twenty** objective type questions (each carrying 1 mark) uniformly spread over entire syllabus. The candidate will be required to attempt **fifteen** out of twenty **objective** type questions. Out of the remaining eight questions (each carrying 15 marks), the candidate will be required to attempt four questions selecting one from each unit.

Unit-1

Basic Concepts of Economic Development: Economic growth and Development, concept of underdevelopment and Basic Characteristics; Determinants & Measurement of economic development; Sustainable economic development.

Unit-2

Theories of Economic Development: Adam Smith, Mill, Other theories (Karl Marx, Schumpeter)

Unit-3

Different Approaches to Development: Vicious Circle of Poverty, Lewis' dual economy model, Leibenstein critical minimum effort theory, balanced vs. unbalanced growth theories.

Unit-4

Economic planning and policy: Development planning: rationale, Strategies and objectives of planning; Role of State & Capital formation in economic development.