

CYBER PSYCHOLOGY

Semester	Subject Code	Category	Lecture		Theory		Practical	Credits
			Hrs/ Week	Hrs/ Sem	Hrs/ Week	Hrs/ Sem		
V	21CPS5Ca	Elective-I	05	75	04	60	15	03

COURSE OBJECTIVE:

This course gives an insight to the students about the psychological phenomena associated with or affected by emerging technology and its management.

COURSE OUTCOMES

On successful completion of the course, students will be able to

CO Number	CO Statement	Knowledge Level (K1-K4)
CO1	Identify the origin of cybernetics and about cyber space	K1
CO2	Illustrate the crimes in cyber space and its prevention	K3
CO3	Analyze cyber bullying and suggestions to overcome	K4
CO4	Infer with cyber stalking and trafficking and its management	K4
CO5	Analyze and create treatment plan for internet addiction	K4

MAPPING WITH PROGRAMME OUTCOMES

COS	PO1	PO2	PO3	PO4	PO5	PO6
CO1	S	S	M	M	M	M
CO2	S	S	S	S	M	M
CO3	S	S	S	S	S	S
CO4	S	S	S	S	S	S
CO5	S	S	S	S	S	S

S- Strong M-Medium L-Low

UNIT I

15 Hours

INTRODUCTION TO CYBER PSYCHOLOGY

Introduction: Definition – Origin of Cybernetics – Origin of Artificial Intelligence in Cybernetics –Cyber Behaviour: Educational, Employment, Health.

Cyber Space: Basic Psychological Qualities of Cyber Space –On-Line Identity – On-Line Relationship –Personality Types in Cyber Space – Computer and Cyber Space Addiction.

UNIT II

15 Hours

CRIMES IN CYBER SPACE

Crimes: Types of Cyber Crimes–Reason for Cyber Crimes – Classification of Cyber Crimes – Cyber Laws in India–Prevention of Cyber Crimes –Tips for Avoiding Computer Crime.

UNIT III

15 Hours

CYBER BULLYING

Meaning - History of Cyber Bullying – Types of Cyber Bullying –Signs of Cyber Bullying – Effects of Cyber Bullying –Cyber Bullying Vs School Yard Bullying –Prevention Tips for Bullying: Middle School, Teenagers– Suggestion for Parents.

UNIT IV

15 Hours

CYBER STALKING AND TRAFFICKING

Cyber Stalking: Meaning - Types of Stalking – Motives of Cyber Stalkers – Types of Stalkers – Preventive Measures. Cyber Trafficking: Meaning –Components of Trafficking – Purpose of Trafficking –Current Trends in Trafficking - Preventive Measures and Help Line.

UNIT V

15 Hours

INTERNET ADDICTION AND MANAGEMENT

Meaning –History and Origin of Internet Addiction - Types of Internet Addiction – Risk Factors Involved in Addition – Internet Addiction Disorder: Causes, Warning Signs, Symptoms, Diagnosis – Management: Treatment, Counselling, Support, Computerized Psychotherapy - Tips to Modify Internet Usage.

Practicum:

(Note: Minimum of any two practicum should be carried out)

- Self-Reporting and Self-Assessment of internet usage
- Newspaper cuttings of victims of social media
- Conducting debate on social media
- Presentation and analysis of case studies
- Hold a poster campaign on ill effects of internet addiction
- Creating awareness programs
- Group discussions about cyber laws and help lines in India
- Visit of de-addiction center

Distribution of Marks: Theory 100% and Problems 0%

TEXT BOOKS:

S.No	Authors	Title	Publishers	Year of Publication
01	N.V.S.Surya Narayana, G oteti Himabindu , V. Neelima	Cyber Psychology	Sonali Publications, New Delhi	2019

REFERENCE BOOKS:

S.No	Authors	Title	Publishers	Year of Publication
01	Mary Aiken	The Cyber Effect	Carmelite House, London	2016
02	Kent L. Norman	Cyber Psychology: An Introduction to Human- Computer Interaction	University of Maryland, College Park	2008
03	John Sular	Psychology of Cyber Space	Rider University, Lawrenceville	2004
04	Ravindra Thakur	Cyber Psychology	Global Vision Publishing House, New Delhi	2017

WEB SOURCES:

- ❖ <https://books.google.co.in/books?id=jADVCQAAQBAJ&printsec=frontcover&dq=the+cyber+effect+book&hl=en&sa=X&ved=2ahUKEwiNrKG4-8TqAhUDg-YKHShYCIUQ6AEwAHoECAUQA#v=onepage&q=the%20cyber%20effect%20book&f=false>
- ❖ <https://www.parentcircle.com/article/is-your-child-facing-mean-girl-behaviour/>

- ❖ <https://en.m.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cyberpsychology>
- ❖ https://en.m.wikipedia.org/wiki/Human_trafficking
- ❖ <https://cybercrime.gov.in/>
- ❖ <https://www.verywellmind.com/internet-addiction-4157289>
- ❖ https://en.m.wikipedia.org/wiki/Internet_addiction_disorder
- ❖ <https://www.psycom.net/iadcriteria.html>
- ❖ <https://en.m.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cyberspace>
- ❖ <https://en.m.wikipedia.org/wiki/Stalking>

TEACHING METHODOLOGIES:

- Discussion
- Activities
- Visual aids
- Assignment and Seminar
- Peer teaching.

SYLLABUS DESIGNER:

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