## GENERAL STUDIES FOR COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS

| Sem | Subject  | Category | Lecture          |    | Theory              |    | Practical | Credits |
|-----|----------|----------|------------------|----|---------------------|----|-----------|---------|
|     | code     |          | Hr/Sem           |    |                     |    |           |         |
| III | 21CPHI3D | Core XII | 6 hr per<br>week | 90 | 6 hr<br>per<br>week | 90 | -         | 4       |

# **COURSE OBJECTIVE**

- To enable the students to understand the Role Indian Polity
- To make the students to understand the Present Day India and World

# **COURSE OUTCOMES**

On the successful completion of the course the student will be able to ..

| СО     | CO Statement  | Knowledge Level |  |
|--------|---|-----------------|--|
| Number |   | (K1-K4)         |  |
| CO1    | Examine the Nature of Geography of the Earth                          | K2              |  |
| CO2    | Discuss about the Indian Economy.                                     | K1              |  |
| CO3    | Explain the Role of Indian Polity                                     | K2              |  |
| CO4    | Enhances knowledge into various scientific technological applications | K1              |  |
| CO5    | Educated on the Present Day India and World                           | K2              |  |

Knowledge Level: K1-Remember; K2 – Understand; K3 – Apply; K4 – Analyse

### MAPPING WITH PROGRAMME OUTCOMES

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

Strong; M- Medium; L- Low

UNIT -I Geography 18 Hours

Geography - The earth - Atmosphere – Soils, Minerals, Crops, Forests, Monsoons, Mountain range, Rivers, National highways, Airports, National Wild - life Sanctuaries - Tribes in India.

## **UNIT -II Indian economy**

18 Hours

Indian economy - Planning Commission, NDC - New Economic Policy, LPG Liberalization, Privatization, Globalization - Taxes - Currency System.

## **UNIT - III Indian Polity**

18 Hours

Indian Polity - President, Parliament - Judiciary - Centre - State relation - State Government - Panchayat Raj - Recent amendments.

## **UNIT - IV Technological applications**

18 Hours

Biotechnology - Nanotechnology - Space research - Oceanography - Plate tectonics — Natural Disaster Management.

## **UNIT - V Present Day India and World**

18 Hours

Present Day India and World; Indian States - Census, Flag, Emblem, River Valley Projects - Art & Music, Railways - Awards in India and World - Sports - Major Events in India and World - Who is Who - UNO.

### **DISTRIBUTION OF MARKS: THEORY 100%**

#### **TEACHING METHODOLOGY:**

- Class room teaching
- Assignments
- Discussions
- Home test
- PPT Presentations.

#### **TEXT BOOKS**

| S.no | Authors         | Title                  | Publishers | Year Of     |
|------|-----------------|------------------------|------------|-------------|
|      |                 |                        |            | Publication |
| 1    | McGraw Hill     | General studies paper  | McGraw     | 2019        |
|      |                 | for Civil Service      |            |             |
|      |                 | Preliminary            |            |             |
|      |                 | Examination            |            |             |
| 2    | Edgar Thorpe    | Concise General        | Pearson    | 2018        |
|      | &Showick Thorpe | Knowledge Manual       |            |             |
| 3    | H.H Singh,      | Geography and          | concept    | 1986        |
|      | P.Nag& V.K      | Environment Issues and |            |             |
|      | Kumar           | challenges             |            |             |

## **REFERENCE BOOKS**

| S.no | Authors                           | Title  | Title Publishers                      |                  |
|------|-----------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|------------------|
| 1    | J.K. Chopra                       | Unique Quintessence of<br>General Studies for UPSC<br>Civil Services Preliminary<br>Examination. | Unique                                | Publication 2017 |
| 2    | EdyarThore                        | Pearson General<br>Knowledge Manual  | Pearson                               | 2018             |
| 3    | Publication<br>Division           | Indian 2012  | Publication Division Government India | 2012             |
| 4    | Majid Husain                      | Geography of India   | McGraw Hill                           | 2017             |
| 5    | V.K. Kumara                       | A Study in Environmental Pollution   | Tara Book<br>Agency                   | 1982             |
| 6    | Spectrum Books<br>Private Limited | Geography  | Spectrum Books<br>Private Limited     | 2019             |
| 7    | M.N.Ojha                          | Civil Services Chronicle<br>Magazines Monthly  | Civil Services<br>Chronicle           | 2017             |
| 8    | Civil Service<br>Chronicle        | Civil Service Chronicle  | Civil Service<br>Chronicle            | 2018             |
| 9    | Edgar Thorpe                      | Test of Reasoning for all Competitive Examinations   | Mc. Graw Hill                         | 2017             |
| 10   | B.Singh and A.P. Singh            | General Studies  | Made Easy                             | 2019             |

## **WEB SOURCES:**

www.unacademy.com

www.insights.com

www.textbook.com

www.witystudy.com

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