

**ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (A), VISAKHAPATNAM  
ECONOMICS**

**Semester- III**  
**Ec**  
**w. e. f. 2017-18 AE Batch**

**5hr/week**  
**Marks: 100**

**Papers III**  
**Indian and Andhra Pradesh Economy**

**Objectives:** To enable the students to

- Understand the concepts of development indices and measurement.
- Know the structure of the Indian economy, and to meet the national requirements.
- Application of central development programs in the state of Andhra Pradesh
- Impart practical knowledge in welfare programs of state and central governments

**Module I:** a) **Indian Agriculture:** Importance of agriculture –Factors determining agricultural productivity-Agriculture infrastructure- Rural credit- Micro finance-SHG- Crop insurance. Agricultural Price policy- Food Security

b) **Indian Industry:** Structure and Growth of Indian Industry-Classification – Features of 1991 Industrial policy. Concept of MSMEs--Small scale Industry-Problems and prospects in India- Foreign Direct Investment in Industrial sector.

c) **Service sector:** Structure and Growth –Types of services industries- Reforms in IT- Education- Health.-Foreign Direct Investment in Service sector-Trends in Service Sector contribution to economy.

**Module II:** NITI Ayog –Structure- Components- Objectives- Allocations-Performance

**Module III:** a) Meaning and Definition of Growth and Development

b) Sustainable Development- Regional balanced Development

c) Natural Resources- Mineral Resources' - Types and importance- Forests- Types - Economic significance of Forests in India.

d) Population – Important demographic features, concept of population dividend – Measurement of HDI

**Module IV:** Economic Problems of India

a) Poverty: Causes and Remedial measures- Govt. Programs

b) Unemployment: Causes and Remedial measures- Govt. Programs-MGNREGA.

**Module V:** A.P ECONOMY:-Structure of Sunrise A.P. Economy-GSDP - Sect oral Contribution Trends- A.P- Population - IT and small scale industry. SEZs - District wise performance.

References:

1. Dhingra I.C. "Indian Economy" Sultan and Chand 2014.

2. Rudder Dutt and K.P. Sundaram- "Indian Economy" S. Chand and co.2015.
3. Reserve Bank of India – Hand book of statistics on Indian Economy latest.
4. S.K.Mishra and V.K. Puri-"Indian Economy" Himalaya publishing House 2015.