



Indraprastha College for Women

University of Delhi

Work Plan for ODD SEMESTER – 2026

Course Name:	B.A.(H) Philosophy
Paper Title:	Critical Reading of Texts
Unique Paper Code:	2103100016
Semester:	VII
Faculty(s):	Dr. Dipika Bhatia
Year:	2026

Work Plan			
Unit No.	Learning Objective	Lecture No.	Topics to be Covered
Unit IV	To be Nothing	1	Jean Paul Sartre, 'Being and Nothingness'
		2	Jean Paul Sartre, 'Being and Nothingness'
		3	Jean Paul Sartre, 'Being and Nothingness'
		4	Jean Paul Sartre, 'Being and Nothingness'
		5	Jean Paul Sartre, 'Being and Nothingness'
		6	Jean Paul Sartre, 'Being and Nothingness'
		7	Jean Paul Sartre, 'Being and Nothingness'
		8	Jean Paul Sartre, 'Being and Nothingness'
		9	Jean Paul Sartre, 'Being and Nothingness'
		10	Jean Paul Sartre, 'Being and Nothingness'
		11	Jean Paul Sartre, 'Being and Nothingness'
Unit 3	To be is to be an idea	12	G.E. Moore, 'Refutation of Idealism'
		13	G.E. Moore, 'Refutation of Idealism'
		14	G.E. Moore, 'Refutation of Idealism'
		15	G.E. Moore, 'Refutation of Idealism'

		16	G.E. Moore, 'Refutation of Idealism'
		17	G.E. Moore, 'Refutation of Idealism'
		18	G.E. Moore, 'Refutation of Idealism'
		19	G.E. Moore, 'Refutation of Idealism'
		20	G.E. Moore, 'Refutation of Idealism'
		21	G.E. Moore, 'Refutation of Idealism'
		22	G.E. Moore, 'Refutation of Idealism'
		23	G.E. Moore, 'Refutation of Idealism'
		24	G.E. Moore, 'Refutation of Idealism'
		25	G.E. Moore, 'Refutation of Idealism'
Unit I	The Upaniṣad	26	Introduction to the Philosophy of Upaniṣad
		27	Introduction to the Philosophy of Upaniṣad
		28	Praśna Upaniṣad
		29	Praśna Upaniṣad
		30	Praśna Upaniṣad
		31	Praśna Upaniṣad
		32	Praśna Upaniṣad
		33	Praśna Upaniṣad
		34	Praśna Upaniṣad
Unit 2	Śrī Bhāṣya	35	Brahma Sutras, Ramanuja commentary
		36	Brahma Sutras, Ramanuja commentary
		37	Brahma Sutras, Ramanuja commentary
		38	Brahma Sutras, Ramanuja commentary
		39	Brahma Sutras, Ramanuja commentary
		40	Brahma Sutras, Ramanuja commentary
		41	Brahma Sutras, Ramanuja commentary
		42	Brahma Sutras, Ramanuja commentary
		43	Brahma Sutras, Ramanuja commentary
		44	Revision/Problems/Discussion
		45	Revision/Problems/Discussion
		46	Revision/Problems/Discussion

Unit	Contents/Syllabus
I	Praśna Upaniṣad - translated by Swami Sarvananda, Ramakrishna, MathPublication, Mylapore, Madras. 1922, p. 36-45. Ranganathan, Swami. (2019). The Message of Upanisads. Delhi: Bharatiya Vidya Bhawan. Dasgupta, Surendranath, (2018). A History of Indian Philosophy, Rupa PublicationsIndia, ISBN: 978-93-5304-108-3, Chapter III,P28-58 Deussen Paul, (2011), The Philosophy of the Upanishads, Motilal BanarsidassPublishers India, ISBN: 978-81-208-1620-6, Chapter 1, p. 1-15.
II	Vireswarananda Swami (1986) commentary) <i>Śrī Bhāṣya</i> Advaita Ashrama, Calcutta, p1- 88. Madhavananda Swami tr, (1977) Bhasa Pariccheda, Advaita Ashrama , Calcutta p.6- 22 <i>The Tarka-sangraha of Annambhatta, tr.) Gopinath Bhattacharya, Progressive Publishers, Calcutta,p.13-18.</i> Sarma Subrahmanya ed. (1938) Narad's Aphorisma on Bhakti, The Adhyatma Prakasha Press, Bangalore.
III	Moore, G.E. (1997) Refutation of Idealism, Philosophical Studies, Routledge & Kegan Paul Ltd. London, p. 1-30 Joachim Harold H 'A Reply to Mr. Moore', Mind 16 (63) p. 410-415.
IV	Sartre, Jean Paul (2021), Being and Nothingness , Washington Square Press,p.121-162. Gusman, Simon (2018). To the Nothingnesses Themselves: Husserl's Influence on Sartre's Notion of Nothingness. Journal of the British Society for Phenomenology 49 (1):55-70. https://doi.org/10.1080/00071773.2017.1387687
S. No.	Name of Authors/Books/Publishers
1.	Praśna Upaniṣad - translated by Swami Sarvananda, Ramakrishna, MathPublication, Mylapore, Madras. 1922, p. 36-45. Ranganathan, Swami. (2019). The Message of Upanisads. Delhi: Bharatiya Vidya Bhawan. Dasgupta, Surendranath, (2018). A History of Indian Philosophy, Rupa PublicationsIndia, ISBN: 978-93-5304-108-3, Chapter III,P28-58 Deussen Paul, (2011), The Philosophy of the Upanishads, Motilal BanarsidassPublishers India, ISBN: 978-81-208-1620-6, Chapter 1, p. 1-15.
2.	Vireswarananda Swami (1986) commentary) <i>Śrī Bhāṣya</i> Advaita Ashrama, Calcutta, p1- 88. Madhavananda Swami tr, (1977) Bhasa Pariccheda, Advaita Ashrama , Calcutta p.6- 22 <i>The Tarka-sangraha of Annambhatta, tr.) Gopinath Bhattacharya, Progressive Publishers, Calcutta,p.13-18.</i> Sarma Subrahmanya ed. (1938) Narad's Aphorisma on Bhakti, The Adhyatma Prakasha Press, Bangalore.
3.	Moore, G.E. (1997) Refutation of Idealism, Philosophical Studies, Routledge & Kegan Paul Ltd.

	London, p. 1-30 Joachim Harold H 'A Reply to Mr. Moore', Mind 16 (63) p. 410-415.
4.	Sartre, Jean Paul (2021), Being and Nothingness , Washington Square Press,p.121-162. Gusman, Simon (2018). To the Nothingnesses Themselves: Husserl's Influence on Sartre's Notion of Nothingness. Journal of the British Society for Phenomenology 49 (1):55-70. https://doi.org/10.1080/00071773.2017.1387687

Paper Components			
Credits	Lecture (L)	Tutorial (T)	Practical (P)
4	3	1	-
Assessment Scheme			
S.No.	Component	Marking Scheme	Total Marks
1	Internal Assessment - Assignment/Quiz/Project/ Presentation - Class Test - Attendance		30
		12	
		12	
		6	
2.	Continuous Assessment (Tutorial) - Activity 1 - Activity 2 - Attendance		40
		15	
		20	
		5	
3.	Practical - Continuous Assessment - End Term Written/Practical Exam - Viva	N.A.	N.A.
4.	End Semester Examination		90