

**BACHELOR DEGREE IN SOCIAL WORK
(BSWG)**

First and Second Semester

Assignment: 2021-2022

Course Titles

First Semester:

BSW 121: Professional Social Work and its Values

Second Semester:

BSW 122: Society, Social Institutions and Social Problems

BSW 123: Community Organization and Communication

Last Date of Submission of Assignments to the Study Centre
July 2021 Session - March 31, 2022
January 2022 Session - September 30, 2022

Note: Kindly write the assignments for the courses which are relevant to you as per the semester.



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- Read the programme guide before you begin your studies. It will clarify most of your doubts regarding how to go about doing the BSWG studies from IGNOU.
- Submit your assignments to the Study Centre on time.
- Be in touch with your Study Centre and Regional Centre
- Fill up the examination form on time.

Assignments are open book examinations and we at IGNOU assign 30 per cent weightage to the assignment while calculating the overall grade for each course. Assignments are to be hand-written and duly signed before its submission in the study centre. In order to prepare a good set of assignment responses, you must first of all read the chapter(s) from which a particular question has been framed. Discuss with your peer-group and academic counsellors or professors who teach you. Prepare a draft, do the necessary correction on it and then, prepare the final version for submission to the Study Centre.

Make sure that each answer starts on a new page. For long and medium answers, ensure that there is an introduction, sub-titles for main body and a conclusion. One line should be left between each paragraph. Make sure your answers are specific and in your own words and do not copy from books. Your answers will be exclusively based on the IGNOU materials only. Preparation of assignments is preparation for your term-end examination. Therefore, take the assignments seriously.

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Professional Social Work and its Values

ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: - BSW 121

Total Marks – 100

Note:

- (i) Answer any **five** of the following questions in about **300 words** each.
- (ii) All questions carry equal marks.

1. Describe the evolution of social work and social service tradition in India. 20
2. Trace the history of social work in the United States of America. 20
3. Discuss the nature, scope and functions of social work. 20
4. Explain any five areas of intervention of voluntary action. 20
5. Discuss the need for ethical behaviour in social work. 20
6. What are the major service areas of social work? 20
7. Highlight the factors determining competence as a value of social work. 20
8. How to achieve cultural sensitivity? Discuss. 20

Society, Social Institutions and Social Problems

ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: - BSW 122

Total Marks – 100

Note:

- (iii) Answer any **five** of the following questions in about **300 words** each.
- (iv) All questions carry equal marks.

1. Define primary and secondary groups with examples. Discuss their characteristics. 20
2. Explain Discuss the different forms of social interaction. 20
3. Define social change. Explain various factors of social change. 20
4. What are the forms and means of social control? 20
5. Describe the concept of plurality of culture. 20
6. Explain the concept of social stratification and its various dimensions. 20
7. Highlight the functions and purposes of marriage. 20
8. Elucidate characteristics and types of social problems. 20

Community Organization and Communication

ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: - BSW 123

Total Marks – 100

Note:

- (i) Answer any five of the following questions in about 300 words each.
- (ii) All questions carry equal marks.

1. Explain the values and principles of community organization. 20
2. Outline the history of Community Organization. 20
3. Define advocacy. Explain the purpose and types of advocacy. 20
4. Elaborate on the types, tools and strategies of networking. 20
5. Highlight the communication process and models of communication. 20
6. Discuss the comparative merits and demerits of various modern communication media. 20
7. Describe the various intervention methods available for social workers to handle the problems faced by families. 20
8. Write about the relevance and use of social work in educational setting? 20