

SYLLABUS (2025-2026)

CLASS: XI
SUBJECT: TOURISM (806)

TEXTBOOKS:

1. Tourism XI
2. Employability Skill XI

EXAMINATION	UNIT/ CHAPTER / TOPIC	SUBTOPICS	WEIGHTAGE (MARKS)
HALF YEARLY	Unit–1: Introduction to Tourism	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Definition of Tourism. Elements of tourism – Man, time and space. Definition and differentiation - Tourist, travelers, visitor, transit visitor and excursionist. A's of Tourism 	16
	Unit–2: Tourism: A Historical Account	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Travel in early times. 'Renaissance' and 'Age of Grand Tours. Industrial revolution and tourism. Tourism in modern times. Tourism in India: an account - Tirthatan, Deshartan, Paryatan, modern travel 	8
	Unit–3: Concepts of Tourism	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tourism systems. Tourism Motivators 	15

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Barriers to Tourism - Overcoming barriers to tourism. • Types of Tourism • Defining Tourism Impacts – Socio cultural, economic and environmental. 	
	Unit-4: Tourism Components – I	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attraction – Resources, products, sites, destinations. • Types of Attraction - man-made and symbiotic. • Accessibility - Modes of Transportation and significance. • Amenities: Health and hygiene, security. 	15
	Employability Skill Unit 1: Communication Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to Communication • Verbal and Non-Verbal Communication • Habits and Routines 	3
	Unit 2: Self-Management Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strength and Weakness • Personal Hygiene • Self-Motivation • Team Work • Time management 	3
TOTAL MARKS	60		60

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ANNUAL	Unit–1: Introduction to Tourism	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Definition of Tourism. • Elements of tourism – Man, time and space. • Definition and differentiation - Tourist, travelers, visitor, transit visitor and excursionist. 	8
	Unit–2: Tourism: A Historical Account	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Travel in early times. • 'Renaissance' and 'Age of Grand Tours. • Industrial revolution and tourism. • Tourism in modern times. • Tourism in India: an account - Tirthatan, Deshartan, Paryatan, modern travel. 	6
	Unit–3: Concepts of Tourism	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tourism systems. • Tourism Motivators • Barriers to Tourism - Overcoming barriers to tourism. • Types of Tourism • Defining Tourism Impacts – Socio cultural, economic and environmental. 	8
	Unit–4: Tourism Components – I	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attraction – Resources, products, sites, destinations. 	5

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Types of Attraction - man-made and symbiotic. • Accessibility - Modes of Transportation and significance. • Amenities: Health and hygiene, security. 	
	Unit-5: Tourism Components – II	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Significance of Accommodation. • Types of Accommodation – Based on facilities, based on location, based on length of stay. • Meal Plan of booking accommodation. • Available packages – Short trip, weekend trip, long trip. • Activities. 	6
	Unit-6: Inter Linkage between Geography and Tourism Industry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Significance of Geography in tourism. • Defining – Longitude, latitude, time calculation. • Physical and Cultural Geography. 	4
	Unit-7: Inter Linkage between History and Tourism Industry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Significance and importance of History in tourism. • Heritage Tourism - types, promotion. • Defining - Heritage, historical sites, Archaeological sites. • Guiding around Heritage sites. 	6

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Role of ASI and ASI sites. • World heritage sites in India. 	
	Unit-8: Tourism Organizations and Trends	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Defining the role of Ministry of Tourism Govt. of India. • Defining the role of State Tourism Development Corporations. • Public-private partnerships in tourism. • Role of local bodies and NGO's 	7
	Employability Skill Unit 1: Communication Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to Communication • Verbal and Non-Verbal Communication • Habits and Routines 	2
	Unit 2: Self-Management Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strength and Weakness • Personal Hygiene • Self-Motivation • Team Work • Time management 	2
	Unit 3: Basic Information and Communication Technology Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to ICT • Saving, Closing, Opening and Printing Document • Inserting Lists, Tables, Pictures, and Shapes 	2
	Unit 4: Entrepreneurial Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to Entrepreneurship • Values of an Entrepreneur • Understanding the Market 	2

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Business Planning 	
	Unit 5: Green Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sectors of Green Economy • Stakeholders in Green Economy • Government and Private Agencies 	2
TOTAL MARKS	60		60

NOTE: The above syllabus is for assessment purpose and remaining chapters/topics may be taught as subject-learning enrichment.