

SRI VENKATESWARA UNIVERSITY
BA DEGREE COURSE IN POPULATION STUDIES
SEMESTER SYSTEM WITH CREDITS
(Effective from the Academic year 2015-2016)

Semester-II-Core-II -Population Concepts and Measures II

Unit I: Fertility

- A. Definition and Measurement: Child-women ratio, Crude Birth rate, General Fertility Rate, Age-specific fertility rate. Total fertility rate, Net reproduction rate.
- B. Factors influencing fertility.
 - i. Economic: occupation, income, female labor force participation.
 - ii. Social and cultural; Education, Social Stratification, Age at Marriage, Rural-urban residence, Experience of infant and child mortality.
 - iii. Family Welfare. Programmes and population Education.

Unit II: Mortality

- A. Definition and measurements: Crude death rate, infant mortality rate, age specific mortality rate
- B. Mortality influencing factors-
 - 1. Economic: Income, occupation, nutritional, status.
 - 2. Social and cultural: Education, social stratification.
 - 3. Health: Medical and Health innovations, environmental sanitation. Water, Tetanus, Health Services, Personal Hygiene.
 - 4. Other Factors - War, Famine and other natural calamities.

Unit III: Migration:

- A. Definition: Internal migration; in-migration, outmigration.
International Migration: Immigration, emigration, Net migration.
- B. Measurement: In-migration, out-migration and net-migration rates.
- C. Factors influencing migration : Push and Pull Factors,
Demographic, Economic, Social, Cultural and communication factors.

Unit IV Population Distribution:

- A. Patterns of Population distribution: Geographic, Rural and urban.

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