



SEMESTER – IV

Course Code: BD4CI	Credits: 5
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CREATING AN INCLUSIVE SCHOOL

COURSE OBJECTIVES

CO1: Understand the Historical perspective of inclusive education.

CO2: Enable the students to comprehend the barriers to inclusion

CO3: Develop understanding on building inclusive learning environment for promoting successful inclusive education

CO4: Understand the need and concept of curriculum adaptation

CO5: Develop the skills associated with management of inclusive classrooms

UNIT- I: PERSPECTIVES IN INCLUSIVE EDUCATION

Emergence of Inclusive education in India from the historical perspective – Acts, policies and programmes - Inclusive education: Concept and Need, Principles of Inclusive Education and Various Education programmes for CWSN: Special Education, Integrated and Inclusive Education.

UNIT –II : UNDERSTANDING BARRIERS TO INCLUSIVE EDUCATION

Attitudinal, Systemic and Structural barriers to Inclusion - Ways and means to promoting successful inclusion, Capacity building among teachers and Stakeholders to inclusive education, features and benefits of inclusive education.

UNIT -III: BUILDING INCLUSIVE LEARNING ENVIRONMENTS

Strategies to build inclusive learning environment in school and classroom: Accessibility in relation to disability, Universal Design, Principles of Universal design, Application of Universal Design in various environment.



UNIT-IV: CURRICULUM ADAPTATION

Curriculum Adaptations: Definitions, Accommodations and Modifications, Decision-Making Model for Designing Curricular Adaptation, Various types of Adaptation - Universal design for learning and Differentiated Instructions, Integration of Universal design for learning and differentiated instructions - Teaching Strategies for Inclusive Classrooms: Cooperative learning, Peer tutoring and Co-teaching, Technology for Children with special needs in inclusive classrooms, Examination concessions and Provisions for children with special needs.

UNIT-V: MANAGEMENT OF INCLUSIVE CLASSROOM

Common issues and Challenges in Management of inclusive classroom: Evidence-based Classroom Behaviour Management Strategies – Classroom Management, Seating Arrangement, scheduling, Pace of instruction etc. - Fostering families, Schools and Community Partnerships in inclusive education, Teachers' role in inclusion of children with special needs.

SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES

1. As a classroom teacher, what are the adaptations that can do in the curriculum for children with special needs?
2. Conduct a debate on General and Special Teachers' role in inclusive education setup.
3. Develop a UDL based lesson plan for primary or secondary level of inclusive learning environment.
4. Study the impact of RTE's on challenges in implementing education for children with disabilities.
5. Visit to Inclusive School/Institution nearby and discuss the need of curriculum adaptation for Children with disabilities.

TEXT BOOKS

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10. Villa, R. A., & Thousand, J. S. (2005). *Creating an inclusive school*. Alexandria: Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development (ASCD).
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E-RESOURCES

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COURSE OUTCOMES

After completion of this course, the student-teachers will be able to :

- CO1: Explain Various Education programmes for CWSN.
- CO2: Analyse the different Barriers to Inclusive Education.
- CO3: Examines the strategies to build inclusive learning environment in School.
- CO4: Demonstrates the importance of curriculum adaptation.
- CO5: Interprets the common issues and challenges in management of inclusive classroom.



OUTCOME MAPPING

COURSE OUTCOMES	PROGRAMME SPECIFIC OUTCOMES																							
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