

C. U. SHAH UNIVERSITY WADHWANCITY



Faculty : Arts & Humanities
Department : English
Semester : IV
Name of Subject : **Diaspora and Migration Studies**
Subject Code : 5AH04DMS1



TEACHING & EVALUATION SCHEME:

Subject Code	Name of the Subject	Teaching Scheme (Hours)				Evaluation Scheme								
		Th	Tu	P	Total	Theory					Practical (Marks)			Total
						Sessional Exam		University Exam		Total	Pr/ Viva	T W	Total	
						Marks	Hrs	Marks	Hrs					
5AH04DMS1	Diaspora and Migration Studies	4	0	0	4	30	1.5	70	3	100	-	-	-	100

Objectives:

- To make students aware with culture of the various countries through literature.
- To create awareness among the students on history of migration and its various aspects / dimensions.
- To create awareness on Indian diaspora and its literature.
- To make students aware with the economical/social/ political/ cultural aspects of the country and in turn, other countries too.

Prerequisites:

- Students should have enough knowledge of English Literature and Migration.
- **Course Outline:-**

Unit No.	Content	Max Hours
0	Prerequisites	02

1	a) History of Migration b) Indian Diaspora c) Its Nature and Scope, Characteristics	10
2	Prescribed Text: <i>Sister of My Heart</i> by Chitra Banerjee Divakaruni	12
3	Prescribed Text: <i>Nampally Road</i> by Meena Alexander	12
4	Prescribed text: <i>The Law Land</i> by Jumpa Lahiri	12
5	Prescribed text: <i>Such A Long Journey</i> by Rohinton Mistry	12
Total Hours		60

Recommended Reading:

1. Fisher, Maxine. (1980), *The Indians of New York City: A Study of Immigrants from India and Pakistan*. Colombia, MO: South Asia Books.
2. Maira, Sunaina. (2002), *Desis in the House: Indian American Youth Culture in New York City*. Philadelphia: Temple University Press.
3. Sahay, Anjali. (2009). *Indian Diaspora in the United States: Brain Drain Or Gain?* Lanham: Lexington Books.
4. Abraham, Margaret. (2000), *Speaking the Unspeakable: Marital Violence among South Asian Immigrants in the United States*. Princeton, NJ: Rutgers University Press.
5. Clarke, Colin et al. (1990) *South Asians overseas: migration and ethnicity*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press
6. Lal, Brij V., Peter Reeves and Rajesh Rai (eds.) (2006) *The encyclopedia of the Indian Diaspora*, Singapore: Editions Didier Millet in association with National University of Singapore
7. Barth, F. 2000. "Boundaries & Connections" In Anthony Cohen (ed.) *Signifying Identities: Anthropological perspectives on boundaries and contested values*. London and New York : Routledge