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Organisational Behaviour (2 credits)

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LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Since managers achieve organizational goals through and with the efforts of others, and since

organizations are basically social entities, management is mainly a people oriented process.

In order to be successful, managers must not only understand why people behave the way

they do in organizations both as individuals and in groups, they must also be able to apply

their understanding in practical, complex dynamics of the workplace. At the end of the

course, the students would have an understanding of:

➤ How behaviour of an individual is caused and influenced by various factors in Indian

culture, society and organization.

➤ How behaviour of managers impacts their as well as other's performance;

What steps they can take to improve their effectiveness.

**Assessment Components** 

**Component** Weightage Mid Term Assessment 30 **End Term Assessment** 30 20 **Group Presentation** Quizzes/ case analysis 20

Assessment will be continuous and will consist of case analysis, quizzes assignments and

Students are required to read the readings corresponding to the session before coming to the class.

Suggested Readings: SESSION-WISE PLAN

1.	Introduction	Management functions, roles and skills.
		Readings: Mintzberg article: Managerial work;
		Katz & Kahn article: Skills of an effective
		administrator
2	What is Organizational Behaviour	Readings: Introduction to OB;
		The MBA graduate-perceptions of Corporate India;
		Are you loosing the good people?;
		Challenges for Manages;
		An Indo-Japanese MNC operating in India.
		Case study: Hero Honda Motors
3-4	Personality: Understanding self	Readings: Individual differences and Organizational Behaviour;
	and others	Managing oneself;
		The JOHARI window

	Basic Psychological Processes:	Readings: What is Perception?
5-6	Learning, Perception and	
	attribution	
7	Motivation: concept &	Readings: Motivation Concepts;
	Applications	Achievement Motivation;
		Motivating People: Getting beyond money
		Case study: Kalinga Ferro Alloys
8	Self and Interpersonal Relationship	<b>Readings:</b> Threshold of Interpersonal Behaviour;
		Drucker on Management: How to Manage the Boss
		Managing your Boss
9 -10	Organizational processes: groups	Reading: Understanding groups and teams;
	and teams	Organization and its importance
11	Organizational processes: groups	Organization and its importance
	and teams	
12	Organizational processes: groups	Organization and its importance
	and teams	
13	Stress management	Readings The dynamics and Management of Stress
14	Behavioural dimensions in	Holistic Case Study
	Decision Making	
15-16	Presentation: Managerial Interview	<b>Reading:</b> The organizational socialization of young software engineers:
		the case study of an US subsidiary in India
	And sum up	
		Submit reports before presentation

## **Selected reference books:**

Greenberg, J. (2011). Behaviours in Organizations 10<sup>th</sup> edition. PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.

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Parikh, M. and Gupta, R. K. (2010). Organizational Behaviour. McGraw Hill.

Robbins, Stephen P, et.al (2013). Organizational Behaviour, 15th edition, Prentice Hall

Sinha, J. B. P. (2009). Culture and Organizational Behaviour. Sage Publications.