

**EDUCATION IN SOCIAL CONTEXT**

**Unit-I: Education and Culture:**

- Concept of Culture and its nature.
- Characteristics of Culture.
- Components of culture-Material and Non-material.
- Impact of culture on Education and vice-versa.

**Unit-II: Education and social change:**

- Concept and features of social change
- Factors affecting social change
- Theories of social change-Evolutionary & cyclic (two theories from each)
- Education as an instrument of social change

**Unit-III: Education and Social processes:**

- Modernization-concept, characteristics & role of education in modernization with special reference to Indian society.
- Urbanization, concept, characteristics, consequences & role of education in promoting Urbanization.
- Globalization, concept-implications in our society, Role of Education

**Unit-IV: Social problems and Social Disorganisation:**

- Social disorganization-concept and characteristics.
- Youth unrest- types & causes of youth unrest.
- Religious intolerance- causes & consequences on Indian Society.
- Corruption-Meaning-causes-effects on society, Role of Education.

### **SUGGESTED READINGS:**

- Sociology themes and Perspective student Handbook by Haralambos and Holborn
- Sociology of Education in India: Changing contours and Concerns by Geetha b. Nambissan & Sirinivasa Rao
- Educational sociology by Imusti
- An introduction to educational Sociology by Imutsi
- School and Society and Child and curriculum by John Dewey
- An introduction to Sociology by Vidya Bhushan
- Fundamentals of Sociology by P.S.G Gisbert
- Sociological Thought by francis Abraham
- Sociological Thought ( Indian and Western) by Dhiraj Panday
- Social Stratification by Dipankar Gupta