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B.Tech I Year (IISemester)
Subject with code: HU 103
SET- B

Time: 2 hrs.

M.M.:20

Instruction for students:

1. No provision for supplementary answer book.
2. Question paper contains two sections. Sec A- compulsory (which includes 8 short answers type questions of 0.5 marks each). Sec B- contains 06 Questions out of which any 04 questions to be attempt by the student (4 marks each).

Sec-A

Q.1

(04 Marks)

(a) What do you mean by Value Education?

Ans: Activities which are effective, competent and useful from educational perspective are equivalent to the value education . The value education is also regarded as values in education or educational values. The learning of values for for society's welfare and individual's well being is known as Value Education . It is responsible for developing prejudice between good and bad.

(b) What do you mean by Family Values?

Ans : The mutual behavior expected from children towards their elders and vice-versa comes under family values. These values encompass the relationship between family memebers and the level of respect for each other irrespective of being a nuclear or a joint family .

(c) What do you mean by Professional Values ?

Ans : The values prescribed for various professionals for their ethical conduct, morality , and good behavior with clients are termed as professional ethics . Some of the professional values are : accountability , confidentiality , responsible, punctual , discipline , initiative , regularity and etc. A person high in professional values are successful and initiators . They give more importance to these values as according to them these are those which values following which can help them to achieve there desired objectives of life .

(d) Name the Fundamental/core Values of life .

Ans : The fundamental core values of life are :

1. Love
2. Peace
3. Truth
4. Non-Violence
5. Right conduct

(e) What do you mean by Prosperity?

Ans : Prosperity is a *feeling* of having more than required physical facilities, it is not just physical facilities. To have a *feeling* of having enough. Prosperity is more acceptable to us because wealth is just a part of prosperity. We are trying to achieve happiness and prosperity by maximizing accumulation and consumption of physical facilities. It is becoming anti-ecological and anti-people, and threatening the human survival itself. A person has a lot of money, but does not want to share even a bit of it. The person 'has wealth' but feels 'deprived'. If one felt prosperous he/she would have shared what one has, since there is a lot more than enough wealth anyway.

(f) What do you mean by SSSS and SSDD ?

Ans : Sadhan Sapan Sukhi Samridh : It is a state where the people have all material facilities and are happy and thriving . Such people have all worldly possessions by which they feel contented . This category is further divided into two types i.e SADHAN SAMPAN and SUKHI SAMRIDHA .

SADHAN SAMPAN – means presence of material facility and

SUKHI SAMRIDH- refers to the people who are constantly prosperous and happy.

SADHAN SAMPAN DUKHI DARIDRA : It refers to the people who in spite of having wealth and material facilities , feel sad and depressed . Money is not everything for such people . Thus , despite of being in a condition to buy all material comforts of life , there is still something missing in their lives .

(g) What is Happiness?

Ans : Happiness may be defined as being in harmony/synergy in the state/ situation that I live in. "A state or situation in which I live, if there is harmony in it then I like to be in that state / situation. The state of liking is happiness." Happiness is a state of mind or feeling characterized by contentment, love, satisfaction, pleasure or joy. Happiness may be described as consisting of positive emotions and positive activities. There may be three kinds of happiness: pleasure, engagement, and meaning. In other words, freedom from want and distress, consciousness of the good order of things, assurance of one's place in the universe or society, inner peace and so forth. Happiness is the state of mind, where we feel good in most of the walk of life

(h) What do you understand by Terminal and Instrumental Values ?

Ans : TERMINAL VALUES : The ultimate goals of an individual are represented by terminal values . These goals may be security of family , sense of achievement , luxurious life , etc. In case of organisations , the terminal values are accountability , creativity , perfection , moral values , qualitative services, economy and revenues .

INSTRUMENTAL VALUES : The way or methods used by an individual to achieve the desired objectives are known as instrumental values. These can be truthfulness , trustworthiness , honesty , clarity of goals, determination , or imagination power. The instrumental values adopted by organisations are respect for customs , alertness , hardwork , being economical , being ethical , fairness and setting high

qualitative standards. These values are a set of behaviours which are utilized to achieve the ultimate goal .

Sec-B

(04*04=16 Marks)

Q.2 What is Value Education ? Explain the factors associated with Value Education .

Ans : Value Education : Activities which are effective, competent and useful from educational perspective are equivalent to the value education . The value education is also regarded as values in education or educational values. The learning of values for for society's welfare and individual's well being is known as Value Education . It is responsible for developing prejudice between good and bad.

As this differentiation is derived from values , the sense of identifying wrong and right is referred to as **Value Education** .

Every custom and tradition has values deep rooted in it. Numerous activities and aspects are identified as value education . Numerous activities and aspects identified as value education and a lot of academic disputations are associated with it. Many people consider it as the process through which teachers and trainers impart values to students and trainees , while many other's view it an exercise counting in an organization wherein individuals are supported by persons of higher authorities to evaluate benefits of values and related behaviour for the interests of others and themselves , so as to obtain other essential values and performance which is considered as more productive for long term success of themselves and organization . Thus , value education can be imparted anywhere from as school , a college , voluntary youth organisations , and even universities .

FACTORS ASSOCIATED WITH VALUE EDUCATION :

Following are the factors associated with value education :

1. **Honesty** : Honesty does not mean that one should not tell a lie . Ofcourse , the statement is true and forms a part of honesty , but it does not encompass the complete meaning of the word. Honesty basically means that one should not do anything that is morally wrong. It also means that one will never cheat or deceive the other person in any way .
2. **Compassion** : It is the wish to help anyone who is in distress . One can only feel compassionate about others when there is a sense o attachment . It needs an individual to think from the perspective of the other person whom they want to help .
3. **Cleanliness** : It is not only important for good health but also for enhancing our efficiency. It means has two types which are described as follows :
External cleanliness is related to clean body, clean clothes and clean dwelling.

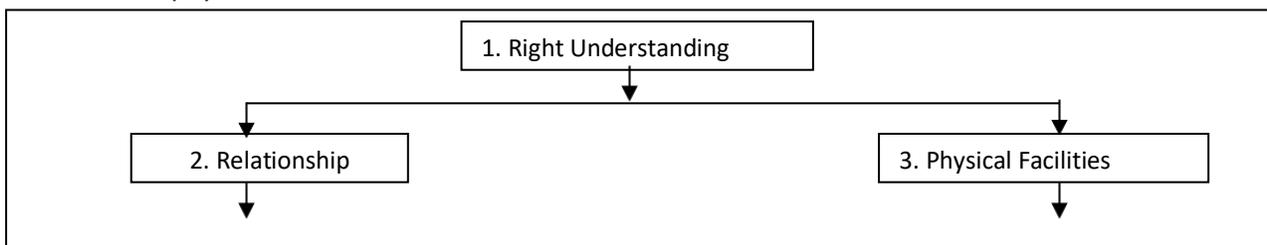
Internal Cleanliness : Relates to clean mind free of all negative values such as greed , jealousy etc.

4. **Discipline** : It refers to self control . It forms an inseparable part of our life .It is imparted to an individual since childhood . It is a systematic way to achieve our goals . A society without discipline leads to situation like violence.
5. **Integrity** : It is the quality of being honest , true , modest and sincere . It gives a sense of wholeness in an individual. The main aim of integrity in human life is to enhance happiness and love which promotes peace.
6. **Love** : Love , like other feelings cannot be seen but it can be felt and understood . It is universal and democratic in nature. It is one of the important values in human life.
7. **Frugality** : It is referred to as quality of an individual to spend the available resources economically . It is the art of spending resources without wasting them.
8. **Non-Violence** : It refers to the act of not harming any living being physically or economically. Tolerance is the foundation of non-violence . It provides a sense of unity in an individual with the entire nature . It creates a sense of respect for all the human values .

Q.3 Explain the basic requirements of fulfillment of human aspirations . Give the correct priority among them.

Ans : Our basic aspirations are happiness (mutual fulfilment) and prosperity (mutual prosperity). Happiness is ensured by the relationships with other human beings and prosperity is ensured by working on physical facilities.

- **Right Understanding:** This refers to higher order human skills – the need to learn and utilize our intelligence most effectively.
- **Good Relationships:** This refers to the interpersonal relationships that a person builds in his or her life – at home, at the workplace and in society.
- **Physical Facilities:** This includes the physiological needs of individuals and indicates the necessities as well as the comforts of life. It means the feeling of having or being able to have more physical facilities than is needed.



In order to resolve the issues in human relationships, we need to *understand* them first, and this would come from '*right understanding of relationship*'. Similarly in order to be prosperous and to enrich nature, we need to have the '*right understanding*'. The '*right understanding*' will enable us to work out our requirements for physical facilities and hence correctly distinguish the difference between wealth and prosperity. With nature as well, we need to understand the harmony in nature, and how we can complement this harmony.

Q 4. "Right understanding + Relationship = Mutual fulfilment; Right understanding + Physical facilities = Mutual prosperity." Illustrate the above with two examples for each.

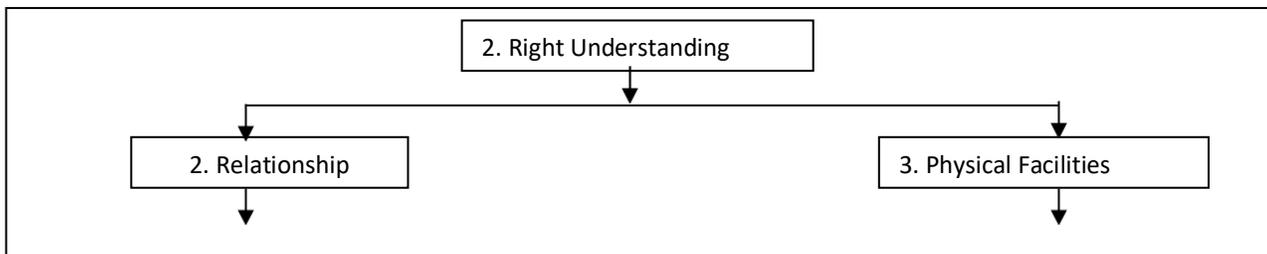
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Today we are unable to have fulfilling relationships all the time: in family, outside family, and as a society – in the world at large. If there is a problem in relationship, we feel uneasy, it bothers us. Even if we are interacting with someone, and something we said or did offends them, it makes us uneasy; i.e. we want mutual fulfilment in relationship. Similarly, we want to feel prosperous, but end up working only for accumulation of wealth. We want to enrich nature, but are exploiting it, destroying it. But our natural acceptance is that we want to live in harmony with nature

The reason behind these problems is that we have to focus on one more aspect, i.e. right understanding. Right Understanding refers to higher order human skills – the need to learn and utilize our intelligence most effectively.

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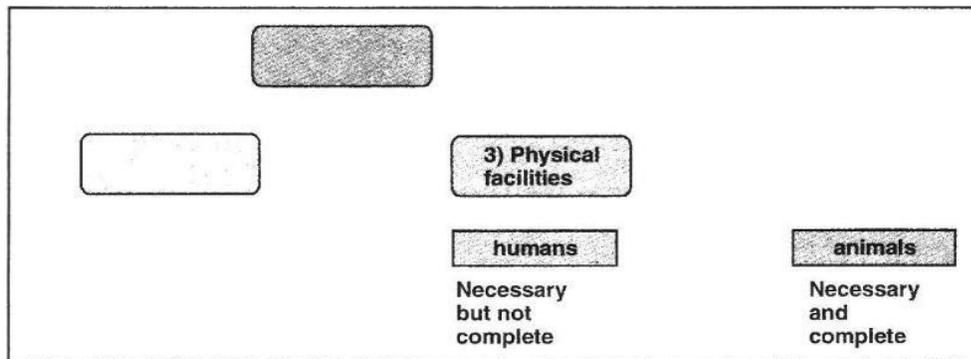


Thus we can say that when we use right understanding with relationships it gives us mutual fulfilment because if we have right understanding, then we can be happy in ourselves and work to have fulfilling relationships with humans and mutual prosperity with nature. If we do not have the right understanding, then we have problems. Thus, our happiness depends on the fulfilment of these three basic requirements.

Right understanding + Relationship = Mutual fulfilment.
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Q.5 Explain how physical facilities are necessary but not complete for humans while they are complete for animals.

Ans : . Physical facilities are necessary and complete for animals, while they are necessary but not complete for humans. It is easy to verify.



For Animals : Animals need physical things to survive, mainly to take care of their body. For example; cow will look for food when it is hungry. Once it gets the grass or fodder. It eats it, sits around to chew at leisure. Hence, we can say that as long as animals have physical things, they are largely fine. They don't desire other things like knowledge or a peaceful animal society or getting a good MBA.

For Humans : While physical facilities are necessary for human beings, they are not complete by themselves to fulfil our needs. Our needs are more than just physical facilities. We all have other needs, other plans, perhaps we think of going to a movie or reading a book, or go to college, or watch some TV, or spend time with family and friends. This list is endless. Thus it is easy to see that while physical facilities are necessary for us human beings, they are not complete by themselves to fulfil our needs.

Hence we can say that for animals – “Physical facilities are necessary and complete.” For humans “Physical facilities are necessary but not complete.”

Q.6 Discuss the importance of Happiness and Prosperity in the life of a Human Being.

Ans : Happiness : : Happiness may be defined as being in harmony/synergy in the state/ situation that I live in. “A state or situation in which I live, if there is harmony in it then I like to be in that state / situation. The state of liking is happiness.” Happiness is a state of mind or feeling characterized by contentment, love, satisfaction, pleasure or joy. Happiness may be described as consisting of positive emotions and positive activities. There may be three kinds of happiness: pleasure, engagement, and meaning. In other words, freedom from want and distress, consciousness of the good order of things, assurance of one's place in the universe or society, inner peace and so forth. Happiness is the state of mind, where we feel good in most of the walk of life.

Happiness is important because :

1. If we are happy it has added knock on effects and benefits.
2. These include us becoming more compassionate and feeling healthier both physically and emotionally .
3. We become more creative , witty , energetic and fun to be around and it can also lead us to become more financially successful.
4. By being happy , we have the potential to change many other lives just being ourselves .

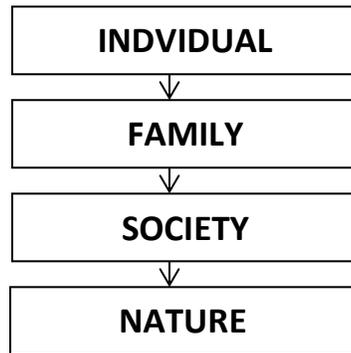
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Prosperity is important because :

1. Safety & security : People are in an environment where they feel physically safe.
2. Prosperous person is a Happy Person : The more the person feel prosperous the more happy he or she will be , as prosperous person is satisfied or contented and as a result he will be prosperous .
3. Health : People are healthy , resulting in greater contribution to the community , while presenting a minimal drain on state services.
4. Education : People have access to education , so that they can secure jobs and contribute new ideas to enrich society .

Q.7 Explain in detail Living in harmony at Various Levels ?

Ans : The various levels of living are shown in the diagram given below :



INDIVIDUAL : Living in harmony with oneself means that one has to undergo self exploration to identify the flaws he has within himself and rectifying them . Here, natural acceptance and right understanding play major roles because in the absence of these two factors the individual will not be able to differentiate between the right and the wrong .

FAMILY : Harmony with family signifies living and accepting the members of the family the way they are. It enhances patience and tolerance in an individual . There are different members in a family and it is important for them at individual level to manage and live with the other members peacefully. Family acts as a support system for its members .

SOCIETY : It is the combination of individual and family levels . One has to follow right understanding to accept naturally whatever good things he comes across with . Similar to family level , the individual has to follow values like love , care and respect etc. for his fellow beings . It gives a good chance to learn and apply the power of differentiation between the right and the wrong .

NATURE : FLORA and FAUNA play an important role in our lives , Unlike human beings they are not able to express themselves . This should be kept in mind while dealing with nature . Inhuman cutting of trees, poaching of animals and many more things like these are leading to massive imbalance . It is causing a negative impact to the environment that we all are living in .