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**HANDLOOM
TRAILS OF
INDIA**



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SOCIOLOGY ONLINE CERTIFICATE COURSE

HANDLOOM TRAILS OF INDIA

COURSE STRUCTURE:

DURATION: 30 hours (15 weeks)

METHOD: Online

COMPONENTS: Theory and Study Tour

COURSE OBJECTIVES:

- To understand the history of handlooms in India
- To acquire knowledge about the basic types or methods of handloom weaving
- To gain information about allied activities of the handloom industry
- To learn about the traditional and popular weaves of India
- To expose the students for a first-hand experience of a weaving unit

UNIT I

INTRODUCTION

(10 hours)

- a. Handloom – Meaning
- b. History and Evolution in India, GI tags
- c. Types of handloom – Throw Shuttle handloom, Fly shuttle handloom – Pit loom & Frame loom

UNIT II

ALLIED ACTIVITIES

(5 hours)

- a. Warp and weft – Meaning, Characteristics
- b. Yarn preparatory process – Spinning, Dyeing
- c. Designing and Marketing

UNIT III

WEAVES OF INDIA

(10 hours)

- a. Northern Weaves – Benarasi, Chanderi, Maheshwari
- b. Eastern Weaves – Baluchari, Sambalpuri, Assam Paat
- c. Southern Weaves – Kanjeevarams, Ikkats, Kasavu

UNIT IV

WEAVING CENTER VISIT

(5 hours)

Assessment:**Weightage for assessments (in percentage)**

Type of Course	Formative Assessment / IA	Summative Assessment
Theory	30	50
Practical	-	-
Projects	20	-
Total	50	50