



**ADIKAVI SRI MAHARSHI VALMIKI UNIVERSITY, RAICHUR**

## **SYLLABUS**

**B.A. Three Year Degree Program for the Subject  
Rural Development**

**With Effect from 2024-25**

**DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC CORE COURSE (DSC) FOR SEM I - IV,  
SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE (SEC) FOR SEM IV/V/VI and  
ELECTIVE COURSES FOR SEM V AND VI**

**As per N E P (Revised): 2024**

**BA III Semester (SEP) 2024-25**  
**DSC-3 Title of the Paper: Development Theories and Rural Development**

Total Contact Hours : 80  
Per Week Teaching Hours : 5+1=6  
Exam duration : 3 Hours

Theory :80  
Internal : 20  
Maximum Marks : 100

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**DSC-III- Development Theories and Rural Development**

**Unit-I:** Economic Development- concept, meaning ,definitions, measurement of economic development, characteristics of developed countries ,factors of development.

**Unit-II:** Environment and Economic development- Natural resources- land resources ,forest resources, water resources ,mineral resources

**Unit-III:** Ancient Economic thought- Rostow's stages of economic growth, Lewis model of economic growth.

**Unit-IV:** Modern Economic thought- Paul Rodan's Big Push theory, Ragnernurkse's Balanced and Unbalanced growth theory

**Unit-V:** Indian Economic Thought- Basaveshwara theory of development ,Gandhian theory of development, Ambedkar theory of development

**References:**

1. J A Schnmpeter- The theory of Development
2. Agarwal KundanLal- Economics of development and planning
3. Mishra and Puri- Economics of development and planning
4. Ray D- Development Economics
5. M L Jhingan- The Economics of development and planning
6. ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಶಾಸ್ತ್ರ ಕೃಷ್ಣಗೌಡ
7. ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಶಾಸ್ತ್ರ- ಎಚ್‌ಆರ್‌ಕೆ
8. ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಶಾಸ್ತ್ರ ಪ್ರಭಾಕರಶಿಶಿಲ
9. ಭಾರತದ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥೆ ಎಚ್‌ಆರ್‌ಕೆ