# **UG Curriculum for NEP, Dibrugarh** University

## Name of the Course: Yoga

Nature of Course: Value Added Course Total Credit: 2 (Theory 1+ Practical 1) (L=15; P=30) Distribution of Marks: 40 (End-Sem) + 10 (In-Sem) = 50

### **Learning Objectives:**

- To increase the knowledge of the students about Yoga and to make students aware about the holistic development through Yoga.
- To provide a practical knowledge on different yogic practices.
- To give a glimpse of ancient Yoga Philosophy.
- To impart some knowledge about the healing power of Yoga.
- To increase the professional efficiency in the field of Yoga.

### **Learning Outcomes:**

- Students gain good knowledge on the concept of yoga.
- Students know about the scientific benefits of various yogic practices
- Students can perform practical skills proficiently
- Students gain an awareness about the value of health & wellness through yoga
- Makes the students more enthusiastic about further study/research in the field of yoga

**Theory** 1 Credit (15 hours) **Topic** Unit **Contact Hours** Marks **Introduction to Yoga:** 3 6 I i. Meaning and definitions of Yoga ii. History of Yoga iii.Importance of Yoga as art, science and philosophy H Philosophical Perspective of Yoga: 5 8 i. Yoga in Bhagavad Gita: Karma Yoga, Raja Yoga, Jnana Yoga and Bhakti Yoga ii. The 'Yoga Sutras' in general; its significance in life. iii.Limbs/parts of yoga (Astanga Yoga) according to the 'Yoga Sutras' iv. Concept of Ishwara; Ishwara in Yoga Philosophy Ш **Yogic Practices for Health & Wellness:** 4 7 i. Asana, its classification and effects ii. Pranayama, its types and effects iii.Kriya, Mudra and Bhandha: Procedure and Effects iv. Dhyana and its significance in human life IV Allied Knowledge on Yoga: 3 4 i. Yoga Vs Physical Exercise ii. Yogic Diet ii. Yoga Education institutes in India and abroad

Practical	30	15
1 Credit (30 hours)		
i. Suryanamskara – (12 counts)		
ii. Asana		
a) Standing: -Tadasana, Ardhakatichakrasana,		
Ardhachakrasana, Trikonasana, Utkatasana,		
Padahastasana, Vrikshasana		
b) Sitting: - Vajrasana, Padmasana, Bhadrasana,		
Siddhasana, Goumukhasana, Paschimottanasana,		
Shashankasana, Ardhamatsyendrasana, Simhasana,		
Ustrasana		
c) Lying Supine Position: - Shavasana,		
Setubandhasana, Chakrasana, Sarvangasana,		
Halasana, Karnapidasana, ViparitNaukasana,		
Matsyasana		
d) Lying Prone Position - Makarasana,		
Bhujangasana, Shalabhasana, Dhanurasana,		
Naukasana		
iii. Pranayama		
Nadishodhana, Suryabhedana, Chandrabhedana,		
Ujjai, Shitali, Sitkari, Bhastrika, Bhramari		
iv. Bandh & Mudra		
Jalndharabandha, Uddiyanbandha, Moolabandha,		
Yogamudra, Viparitkarnimudra, Shambhavimudra,		
Yonimudra, Mahavedhamudra		
v. Dhyana and its forms		
Modes of Assessment (In -Semester):		
a) Unit Test		
b) Class seminar presentation/Group discussion		
<ul><li>c) Seasonal Examination (Theory and Practical)</li><li>d) Attendance and regularity</li></ul>		
e) Observation record during practical		
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#### **Reference Books:**

- Holistic Approach of Yoga- G. Shankar: Aditya Publishers
- Patanjali's Yoga Sutra Translation and Commentary-Dr.P.V. Karambelkar: Lonavla
- Guidelines to Yogic Practices M.L.Gharote: Lonavla
- Yoga and Indian Philosophy Karel Werner: Motilal Banarsidass
- Yoga: The Path to Holistic Health- B.K.S. Iyenger: Dorling Kindersley Limited