



MAHATMA GANDHI UNIVERSITY
NALGONDA
CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM (CBCS)
(With Effect from Academic Year 2023 -24)

**POST-GRADUATION:
SEMESTER -2
ADD ON PAPER FOR 2 CREDITS
HUMAN VALUES AND PROFESSIONAL ETHICS**

UNIT I

Ethics -Definitional aspects; relevance of ethics in society; scope of ethics. The philosophical basis of ethics, considerations on moral philosophy personal and family ethics.

Ethics and professions: - ethical values, standards & practices concerning the legal profession, medicine, engineering, etc.

Ethics at the workplace: - cybercrime, plagiarism, sexual misconduct, fraudulent use of institutional resources, etc.

UNIT II

Ethics in public affairs - Ethical standards for elected representatives of the people: ethics for the bureaucracy, police and other institutions of coercive authority; basic values in the civil services such as dispassion, non-partisanship, moral integrity, objectivity, dedication to public service and empathy for weaker sections and groups in society, and non-corruptibility.

Reference Books:

1. A Textbook on Professional Ethics and Human Values by R S Nagarazan.
2. A Foundation Course in Human Values and Professional Ethics by R.R. Gaur, R. Sangal, G.P. Bagaria.
3. Human Values and Professional Ethics by Vaishali R Khosla, Kavita Bhagat

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