

JAIN UNIVERSITY

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BACHELOR OF ARTS (B.A.)

PSYCHOLOGY, ECONOMICS, SOCIOLOGY

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PROGRAMME OBJECTIVE

The objective of Bachelor of Arts is to strengthen the critical and creative thinking of the learners by offering a broad range of social, political, historical and professional courses of study. These 3 year programme provides students with a broad, flexible education that allows them to develop, understand, and disseminate knowledge, to think critically and to build on these abilities.

Programme Name

Bachelor of Arts

Programme Code

001

Course Name

Bachelor of Arts in **Psychology, Economics, Sociology**

Course Code

106

Duration of the Programme

3 years, 6 semesters

Total Credits

168

Eligibility

The minimum qualification required to apply is a pass in the 10+2 examination in Science/ Commerce/ Arts from PUC / ISC / CBSE or equivalent board.

Medium of Instruction / Examination

English

Study Campus

School of Graduate Studies

J C Road, Bangalore – 560 027

Programme Timings

8.30 am – 4.00 pm (Mon – Fri) & 8.30 am – 2.30 pm (Sat)

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Programme Features

Students have a choice of graduating with a [Single degree](#) or a [Dual degree](#)

Students opting for [Dual degree programme](#) can enroll into [the 5th sem MA or MSc \(Psychology\)](#)

Students benefit from [interdisciplinary design](#) of the curriculum

The curriculum enables students to [enhance their](#):

- Active learning competence
- Communication skills
- Critical thinking
- Leadership & creativity
- Sense of responsibility & commitment

Examinations & Assessments

1. Internal tests
2. Assignments
3. Seminar presentation
4. Class tests
5. Preparatory theory and Practical examination
6. End term theory and Practical examination

Value Added Courses

The objective of Jain University is to provide integrated coaching to students that adds value to students' profile and can make them more employable. These value added courses are designed as per current industry standards in partnership with other institutions. Currently 3 courses are offered in Bachelor of Arts Programme.

1. Diploma in Film Studies
2. Certificate Programme in Foreign Languages: French / German
3. Certificate Programme in HR & Counselling Skills

COURSE OVERVIEW

Psychology is the science of behaviour. Psychologists study the way humans (and other animals) interact with the world and each other. For example, Psychology examines how our abilities change with age, and what might underlie abnormal behaviour. It investigates how we process and store information using our senses and memory, and how our experiences shape our behaviour.

Economics is about choice and is at the heart of all decision-making. Governments, businesses and individuals are all faced with making choices in situations where resources are scarce. As a result, Economics is applicable in a wide range of fields, including business, finance, administration, law, local and national government and, indeed, most aspects of everyday life. One of the strengths of Economics is that it provides a logical way of looking at a variety of issues. It is not just a subject - it is a way of thinking.

In studying Economics you will examine topics of obvious importance to human well-being, for example unemployment, economic growth, inflation, poverty, the distribution of income, and resource allocation in areas such as education, health, business and the environment.

Sociology is the study of people, societies and social groups. The aim of sociology is to understand and explain aspects of social behaviour and relationships. Sociology encourages the critical analysis of people's participation in social processes and focuses attention on the dynamics of power, inequality, social divisions, and personal and cultural identity. There is an emphasis on the way in which these dynamics and social structures change over time.

The subject matter of sociology traverses a broad range of topics including class, gender, and ethnicity; health, education and welfare; the media; politics; environmental issues; religion; social movements work; sport and leisure; and social policy.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Psychology

Employment Settings

Colleges and universities
Hospitals and human service organizations
Non-profit organizations
Advertising firms
Private practice
Secondary schools
Military

Sample Occupations

Clinical Psychologist
School Psychologist
Health Care Administrator
Rehabilitation Counselor
Caseworker
Counselor
Psychiatrist
Researcher
Advocate

Economics

Employment Settings

Colleges and universities
Forensic labs and hospitals
Government and non-profit agencies
Libraries and historical societies
Corporations or consulting firms
Public and private research groups

Sample Occupations

Economists
Researcher
Business Analysts
Economic analyst
Assistant Professor

Sociology

Employment Settings

Colleges and universities
Probation and parole offices
Public and private secondary schools
Government agencies
Nonprofit organizations
Advertising firms
Community development agencies
Environmental groups

Sample Occupations

Advocate
Educator
Sociologist
Social Worker
Public Health Worker
Policy Analysts
Demographers
Juvenile Officer