GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY (GTU)

Semester - IV

Course Title: Integrated Personality Development Course (Course Code: 4340003)

Diploma programme in which this course is offered	Semester in which offered
All branches of Diploma Engineering	4 th Semester

1. TYPE OF COURSE

Value-based holistic personality development course for university students.

2. RATIONALE

IPDC aims to prepare students for the modern challenges they face in their daily lives. Promoting fortitude in the face of failures, unity amongst family discord, self-discipline amidst distractions, and many more priceless lessons. The course focuses on morality and character development at the core of student growth, to enable students to become self-aware, sincere, and successful in their many roles - as an ambitious student, reliable employee, caring family member, and considerate citizen.

3. COURSE OUTCOMES

- To provide students with a holistic value-based education that will enable them to be successful in their academic, professional, and social lives.
- To give the students the tools to develop effective habits, promote personal growth, and improve their wellbeing, stability, and productivity.
- To allow students to establish a stronger connection with their family through critical thinking and devolvement of qualities such as unity, forgiveness, empathy, and effective communication.
- To provide students with soft skills that complement their hard skills, making them more marketable when entering the workforce.
- To enhance awareness of India's glory and global values, and to create considerate citizens who strive for the betterment of their family, college, workforce, and nation.
- To inspire students to strive for a higher sense of character by learning from role models who have lived principled, disciplined, and value-based lives.

4. TEACHING AND EXAMINATION SCHEME:

Teaching Scheme		Total Credits		Ex	amination S	Scheme		
(In Hours) (L+T+P/2)		Theory Marks		Practical Marks		Total		
L	Т	Р	С	CA	ESE	CA	ESE	Marks
2	0	0	2	30	70	25	25	150

Legends: L-Lecture; T – Tutorial/Teacher Guided Theory Practice; P -Practical; C – Credit, CA - Continuous Assessment; ESE -End Semester Examination.

5. COURSE-CONTENT:

Each lecture can be taken in a continuous two-hour session, or in two separate one-hour sessions. In addition to the core lectures, an induction and concluding lectures are recommended as shown in the below table.

Lecture No.	Module & Subject	Subject Description	Hours				
	IPDC-1 (First Phase/Semester)						
Intro- duction	The Need for Values	Students will learn about the need for values as part of their holistic development to become successful in their many roles - as ambitious students, reliable employees, caring family members, and considerate citizens.	2				
1	Module: Remaking Yourself Subject: Restructuring Yourself	Students learn how self-improvement enables them to secure a bright future for themselves. They will learn 6 powerful thought-processes that can develop their physical, intellectual, emotional, and spiritual quotients.	2				
2	Module: Remaking Yourself Subject: Power of Habit	Students will undergo a study of how habits work, the habits of successful professionals, and the practical techniques that can be used to develop good habits in their life.	2				
3	Module: Learning from Legends Subject: Tendulkar & Tata	Students will learn from the inspirational lives of India's two legends, Sachin Tendulkar and Ratan Tata. They will implement these lessons through relatable case studies.	2				
4	Module: From House to Home Subject: Listening & Understanding	Active listening is an essential part of academic progress and communications. Students will learn to listen with their eyes, ears, mind, and heart.	2				
5	Module: Facing Failures Subject: Welcoming	This lecture enables students to revisit the way in which they approach challenges. Through the study of successful figures	2				

	Challenges	such as Disney, Lincoln and Bachchan, students will learn to face difficulties through a positive perspective.	
6	Module: Facing Failures Subject: Significance of Failures	Failure is a student's daily source of fear, negativity, and depression. Students will be given the constructive skills to understand failure as formative learning experiences.	2
7	Module: My India My Pride Subject: Glorious Past - Part 1	India's ancient Rishis, scholars, and intellectuals have made tremendous contributions to the world, they developed an advanced, sophisticated culture and civilization which began thousands of years ago. Students will learn the importance of studying India's glorious past so that they could develop a strong passion and pride for our nation.	2
8	Module: My India My Pride Subject: Glorious Past - Part 2	Our ancient concepts can be used to seek revolutionary ideas and to generate inspiration. Students will develop a deeper interest in India's Glorious Past – by appreciating the need to read about it, research it, write about it, and share it.	2
9	Module: Learning from Legends Subject: A.P.J. Abdul Kalam	Dr Kalam's inspirational life displayed legendary qualities which apply to students (1) Dare to Dream (2) Work Hard (3) Get Good Guidance (4) Humility (5) Use Your Talents for the Benefit of Others	2
10	Module: Soft Skills Subject: Networking & Leadership	Students are taught the means of building a professional network and developing a leadership attitude.	2
11	Module: Soft Skills Subject: Project Management	Students will learn the secrets of project management through the Akshardham case study. They will then practice these skills through an activity relevant to student life.	2
12	Module: Remaking Yourself Subject: Handling Social Media	Students will learn how social media can become addictive and they will imbibe simple methods to take back control.	2
13	Module: Facing Failures Subject: Power of Faith	Students will learn about the power and necessity of faith in our daily lives.	2
14	Module: From House to Home Subject: Bonding the Family	Students will understand the importance of strong family relationships. They will learn how to overcome the generation gap and connect with their family more.	2

15	Module: Selfless Service	Students will learn that performing seva is beneficial to one's health, wellbeing, and happiness. It also benefits and inspires others.		
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6. COURSE MATERIAL / MAIN COURSE WORKBOOK:

Workbook will be designed and presented by IPDC Team. These official workbooks would be the course-material for study of IPDC. These workbooks will solve the purpose of study, submission, viva and exams for students.

IPDC Workbook-1 (published by Swaminarayan Aksharpith)

7. IPDC REFERENCES:

These are the reference material for the IPDC lectures. This is not compulsory reading for the students as the essential information is contained in the workbook.

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		3. J.K. Rowling Harvard Commencement Speech Harvard University Commencement, 2008
		4. Born Again on the Mountain: A Story of Losing Everything and Finding It Back, Arunima Sinha, Penguin, 2014
		5. Failing Forward: Turning Mistakes Into Stepping Stones for Success, <u>John C.</u> <u>Maxwell</u> , Thomas Nelson, 2007
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		4. The Tata Group: From Torchbearers to Trailblazers, Shashank Shah, Penguin Portfolio, 2018
		5. The Leader Who Had No Title, Robin Sharma, Jaico Publishing House, 2010
		6. In the Joy of Others: A Life-Sketch of Pramukh Swami Maharaj, Mohanlal Patel and BAPS Sadhus, Swaminarayan Aksharpith, 2013

3	My India My Pride	1. Rishis, Mystics, and Heroes of India, Sadhu Mukundcharandas, Swaminarayan Aksharpith, 2011
4	Remaking	 Physics in Ancient India, <u>Narayan Dongre</u>, <u>Shankar Nene</u>, National Book Trust, 2016 The Rise of Civilization in India and Pakistan, Raymond Allchin, Bridget Allchin, <u>Cambridge University Press</u>, 1982 The Āryabhaṭīya of Āryabhaṭa: An Ancient Indian Work on Mathematics and <u>Astronomy</u> (1930), <u>Walter Eugene</u> Clark, University of Chicago Press, reprint, Kessinger Publishing, 2006 Power of Habit, Charles Duhigg, Random House Trade Paperbacks, 2014
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