

ANDHRA PRADESH STATE COUNCIL OF HIGHER EDUCATION

LIFE SKILLS COURSES

w.e.f. AY 2023-24

SEMESTER-I

COURSE 1: ENTREPRENEURSHIP DEVELOPMENT

Theory	Credits: 2	2 hrs/week
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Course Objective: A Generic Course that is intended to inculcate an integrated personal Life Skill tothe student.

Learning Outcomes:

After successful completion of the course the student will be able to;

- > Understand the concept of Entrepreneurship, its applications and scope.
- Know various types of financial institutions that help the business at Central, State and LocalLevel
- Understand Central and State Government policies, Aware of various tax incentives, concessions
- > Applies the knowledge for generating a broad idea for a starting an enterprise/start up
- Understand the content for preparing a Project Report for a start up and differentiate betweenfinancial, technical analysis and business feasibility.

Syllabus:

Unit-I: Entrepreneurship: Definition and Concept of entrepreneurship - Entrepreneur Characteristics

- Classification of Entrepreneurs - Role of Entrepreneurship in Economic Development - Start-ups.

Unit-II: Idea Generation and Project Formulation: Ideas in Entrepreneurships – Sources of NewIdeas – Techniques for Generating Ideas – Preparation of Project Report –Contents; Guidelines for Report preparation – Project Appraisal Techniques –Economic Analysis-Financial Analysis-Market Analysis.

Unit-III: Institutions Supporting and Taxation Benefits: Central level Institutions: NABARD; SIDBI,– State Level Institutions –DICs – SFC - Government Policy for MSMEs - Tax Incentives and Concessions.

Reference Books:

- 1. Arya Kumar, Entrepreneurship, Pearson, Delhi
- 2. Poornima MCH, Entrepreneurship Development –Small Business Enterprises, Pearson, Delhi
- 3. Sangeetha Sharma, Entrepreneurship Development, PHI Learning
- 4. Kanishka Bedi, Management and Entrepreneurship, Oxford University Press, Delhi
- 5. Anil Kumar, S., ET.al., Entrepreneurship Development, New Age International Publishers, NewDelhi
- 6. Khanka, SS, Entrepreneurship Development, S. Chand, New Delhi
- 7. Peter F. Drucker, Innovation and Entrepreneurship
- 8. A. Sahay, M. S. Chhikara, New Vistas of Entrepreneurship: Challenges & Opportunities
- 9. Dr. B E V L Naidu, Entrepreneurship. Seven Hills Publishers

Suggested Co-Curricular Activities (As far as possible)

- 1. Group Discussion
- 2. Debate
- 3. Seminar
- 4. Visit to an SSI and preparing of an outline Report
- 5. Invited Lecture by a Bank Employee on the Bank Support to a Start Up.
- 6. Chart showing tax concessions to SSI, MSME both direct and indirect.