**Year: 2022-23 Semester: III**

**Course Name: B.A. (P) Part II**

**Paper Name: Understanding the Economic Survey & the Union Budget of India**

Paper Code: PS-31

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| **Work Plan Detail** | **Assessment** |
| Aug.-Sep.(3rd week)  UNIT 1: BASIC CONCEPTS  1.1 Basic Budget Concepts  1.2 Gender Budgeting  1.3 Fiscal Federalism  1.4 15th Finance Commission  Sep.(3rd week)- Nov.(2nd week)  UNIT 2: ECONOMIC SURVEY OF INDIA  2.1 Evolution of The Planning Process  2.2 Current Policy Issues and Initiatives  Nov.(3rd week)- Dec.(1st week)  UNIT 3: THE UNION BUDGET OF INDIA 2020  3.1 Key to Budget Documents  3.2 Budget at A Glance  3.3 Let’s Talk About Budget  Dec.(2nd week): REVISION | **Internal Assessment**  The SEC course on Understanding Economic Survey and Union Budget will have 25 marks for internal assessment and 75 marks examination at the end of the semester. Apart from the 5 marks for attendance, the rest of the 20 marks shall be for the written project, which shall be presented in the class or in an online mode (written project + presentation). The project shall be related to issues in the Economic Survey and Union Budget by sourcing data and material from reliable sources. Extra time apart from class time should be assigned by the concerned teachers to guide the students for the project work.  **End Semester Examination of 75 marks (Three Hours)**  The paper shall have three sections. Section A is compulsory. It shall have two questions with sub-parts. The first would test the understanding of the student on the concepts related to the budget, and the second on the basis of the balance of payments chart. Both shall be through a set of short questions as well as simple numerical to be answered on the basis of the data provided. (Max Marks 20) Section B shall have eight questions out of which the student shall attempt five. The answers shall be of not more than 400 words. Each question carries 8 marks each. (Max Marks 40) Section C shall have a long answer question where the student has to attempt one out of the three questions. (Max Marks 15) |