

**2024/FYUG/ODD/SEM/
LIS-IDC-101T/331**

FYUG Odd Semester Exam., 2024

**LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE
(1st Semester)**

Course No. : LIS-IDC-101T

(Introduction to Library and Information Science)

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 28

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

UNIT—I

1. Answer any *four* from the following : $1 \times 4 = 4$

- (a) Which organization defines a public library as a local gateway of knowledge?

(b) What is the main function of a college library?

(c) What is the third law of library science?

(d) What are the types of academic libraries?

(e) What does the acronym DIKW stand for?

2. What is NDL and how does it support learner and researcher in India? 2

OR

3. What is the role of information in decision making? 2

4. A library is a social institution. Justify this statement. 8

OR

5. Define knowledge and explain its types in detail. 8

UNIT—II

6. Answer any four from the following : 1×4=4

(a) Write the full form of LCC and UDC.

(b) Who developed CC and when?

(c) What is the main class number for 'Technology' in DDC?

(d) Mention the type of notation used in DDC.

(e) Name two library classification schemes that use mixed notation.

7. Write a short note on DDC. 2

OR

8. Define notation and mention its types. 2

9. What is library classification? Discuss the needs and purposes of library classification. 8

OR

10. What is a call number? Discuss its components with example. 8

UNIT—III

11. Answer any *four* from the following : 1×4=4

(a) Which type of entry provides additional ways to access a resource in a library catalogue?

(b) In which century did large libraries like the British Museum Library use printed book catalogue?

(c) What is recorded in the bound register/ ledger form of a library catalogue?

(d) What is the main purpose of added entries in a library catalogue?

(e) What is the standard size for a library catalogue card?

12. What is the significance of the title entry in a library catalogue, especially when the author's name is not provided? 2

OR

13. Describe the sheaf or loose-leaf form of library catalogue and its advantages. 2

14. Explain the elements involved in crafting a main entry according to AACR2 guidelines. 8

OR

15. Create a main entry for a library catalogue using the book details provided below :

Title—Foundation of Modern Physics

Author—S. Weinberg

Publisher—Cambridge University Press

Place of Publication—United Kingdom

Year of Publication—2021

Page—xi, 250

Dimension—12×20 cm

ISBN—978—1108881764

Acc No—1247

Class No—530

Book No—WEI

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UNIT—IV

16. Answer any *four* from the following : 1×4=4
- When was the American Library Association formed?
 - Name the award given by the American Library Association to honour librarians for their remarkable contributions to the user community.
 - What is the full form of IATLIS?
 - What does ALA stand for in a regional context?
 - Who drafted the Public Library Act for Assam and in which year?
17. What are the broad objectives of IFLA? Write the names of periodicals published by IFLA. 2
- OR**
18. What is CILIP? When was it formed and for whom it serves? 2
19. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : 8
ILA, IASLIC, IATLIS, ALA
- OR**
20. Briefly describe the functions and activities of the Assam Library Association. 8

UNIT—V

21. Answer any *four* from the following : 1×4=4
- What is the full form of RTI?
 - What is the full form of ISSN?
 - How many States in India have Library Legislation Acts?
 - In which year Manipur Library Legislation Act was enacted?
 - Write the name of an anti-plagiarism software.
22. Discuss the need for library legislation. 2
- OR**
23. What is plagiarism? 2
24. How do Library Legislation Acts in India help with the growth and governance of public libraries? 8
- OR**
25. Discuss the importance of ISBN. 8
