

Semester:	1		
Course Code:	HIND 31332		
Course Name:	Introduction to North Indian Culture		
Credit Value:	2		
Type:	Auxiliary		
Hourly Breakdown (No. of Notional Learning Hours)	Theory	Practical	Independent Learning
	30	30	40
Intended Learning Outcomes: At the completion of this course unit, the student will be able to:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Inspect the rituals, costumes, food and beverage and traditional sports ➤ Examine the main annual festivals of India ➤ Recognize and describe the national anthem, national flag, national awards and Hindi day ➤ Appraise special features of North Indian music and dance forms 			
Course content:			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. North Indian culture: an introduction 2. Rituals, costumes, food and beverage and traditional sports 3. Annual festivals: <i>ho:li:</i>, <i>dashehra:</i>, <i>di:va:li:</i> and <i>ra:ksha: band^han</i> 4. National anthem, national flag, national awards and Hindi day 5. North Indian music and dance forms 			
Teaching/ Learning Methods:			
Lectures, audio-visual method, computer assisted learning, activities, assignments			
Assessment Strategy:			
Continuous Assessment (40%)		Final Assessment (60%)	
Activity- 20%, assignment- 20%		Answering a 2-hour question paper at the end of the first semester	
Recommended Reading:			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Bharatiya Tyohar</i> (2001) National Book Trust, New Delhi. 2. Dalal, Tarla (1995) <i>Deshi Khana</i>, Sanjay and Company, Mumbai. 3. Pandey, Shambunath (1977) <i>Bharatiya Jeewan Aur Sanskriti</i>, Central Institute of Hindi, Agra. 			