

# Vidyasagar University

## *Curriculum for B.A. (Honours) in Library & Information Studies* [Choice Based Credit System]

### Semester-I

Course	Course Code	Name of the Subjects	Course Type/ Nature	Teaching Scheme in hour per week			Credit	Marks
				L	T	P		
<b>CC1</b>		<b>C1T:</b> Philosophy of Librarianship	Core Course-1	5	1	0	6	75
<b>CC2</b>		<b>C2T:</b> History of Books and Libraries	Core Course-2	5	1	0	6	75
<b>GE1</b>		TBD	Generic Elective-1				4/5	75
							2/1	
<b>AECC</b>		English	AECC (Elective)	1	1	0	2	50
<b>Semester Total</b>							<b>20</b>	<b>275</b>

**L**=Lecture, **T**=Tutorial, **P**=Practical, **CC**- Core Course, **TBD** - To be decided, **AECC**- Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course

**Generic Elective (GE)** (Interdisciplinary) from other Department [paper will be of 6 credits]

## **SEMESTER-I**

### **Core Course (CC)**

#### **CC-1: Philosophy of Librarianship**

**Credits 06**

##### **C1T: Philosophy of Librarianship**

Chronology of Librarianship: ancient, medieval and enlightenment era.

Great Library Philosophers and their contributions: Conrad Gessner, Gabriel Naudé, John Dury, Gottfried Leibniz and Sir Thomas Bodley , Melvil Dewey.

Great Library Philosophers of India and Bengal: S R Ranganathan and R.N. Tagore , Harinath Dey, Rajendra Lal Mitra, Manindra Deb, Keshavan and Gaekward.

#### **CC 2- History of Books and Libraries**

**Credits 06**

##### **C2T: History of Books and Libraries**

Origin of Libraries in the Western world: ancient, medieval and modern period

Origin of Libraries in India: ancient, medieval and modern period Book history timeline, From orality to Literacy, coming of print, author, publisher and Scholarship.

Readers and Reading, Future of the book