

**Course Code    EDCC 101**  
**SEMESTER -I**  
**PHILOSOPHICAL FOUNDATIONS OF EDUCATION**

**Objectives :**

Student teachers...

1. Understand the meaning and concept of education.
2. Understand the relationship between philosophy and education.
3. Familiarize with educational contribution of educational thinkers.
4. Apply different educational thoughts in classroom.

**Unit – I Education : Meaning, concept and Nature :-**

- Nature of education - in terms of progressive trends - Formal and Informal, Non-formal, Continuous and Distance Education.
- Futurology and Education.

**Unit - II Education and Philosophy :-**

- Education and Philosophy : Concept and Difference.
- Learning of Different Educationalisms :
  - Idealism
  - Naturalism
  - Pragmatism

**Unit - III Contribution of philosophers in the field of Education :-**

- Dr. Sarvappalli Radhakrishnan
- Shree Arvind
- J. Krishnamurti
- Gijubhai Badheka.

**Unit - IV Practicum**

1. Prepare a report of educational responsibilities of informal institutions after studying comparison of formal and informal institutions.
2. Prepare an article by comparing different philosophical thoughts of education.
3. Write an essay on thoughts of educational dignitaries and their relevance.
4. Planning of activities that cultivate awareness among secondary school students about international challenges of twenty first century.
5. Survey of different social problems and planning of valuable educational activities to eradicate them.
6. Prepare a value oriented educational programme to sustain democratic social arrangements.