

## **Indian Knowledge Systems**

The introduction of the course “Indian Knowledge Systems (IKS) “ by the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 is aimed at revitalizing and promoting India's traditional knowledge systems, which have been integral to its cultural and intellectual heritage for centuries.

The course reflects a broader shift towards a more inclusive and holistic approach to education, recognizing the value of both modern and traditional knowledge systems in shaping well-rounded individuals and society.

### **Prerequisites:**

1. General understanding about India (core contents)
2. Interest in transformation-based life approach

### **Learning outcomes**

1. Deeper understanding about India: Philosophy and Culture
2. Clarity about value-based life approach from the Indian approach Syllabus I.

### **Syllabus**

- I. Indian Knowledge Systems: Role & Relevance
- II. Tenets of Indian Philosophy: Transformation based life approach
- III. Personality Development: Significance of Swami Vivekananda's four Yoga
- IV. Value- based Leadership: The Saptanga Model with reference to Kautilya's Arthashastra
- V. Life Skills development: The Indian philosophical approach