

Course Type	Course Code	Name of Course	L	T	P	Credit
DE	NHSD503	ADVANCE COURSE IN APPLIED ETHICS	3	0	0	3

### Course Objective

Advance Course in Applied Ethics engages students to think about various types of present ethical problems and related discussions. It will help them to understand the necessity of ethical theories in solving the contemporary moral problems.

### Learning Outcomes

Introduce Contemporary Ethical Problems to Students.  
 Deliberate Major Ethical Theories and their Applications.  
 Discuss different branches of Applied Ethics and related Case Studies.

Unit No.	Topics to be Covered	Lecture Hours	Learning Outcome
1	<b>Nature of Applied Ethics</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nature and Scope of Applied Ethics</li> <li>Contemporary Ethical Problems</li> <li>Human Action as the Content of Moral Analysis</li> <li>Legal Enforcement of Morality</li> </ul>	8	To Introduce Nature and Scope of Applied Ethics to students
2	<b>Ethical Theories</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Consequentialist Theories</li> <li>Deontological Theories</li> <li>Virtue Ethical Theories</li> <li>Ethical Principles</li> </ul>	6	To Introduce the Major Ethical Theories
3	<b>Bioethics</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Life and Death Issues in Contemporary Society</li> <li>Abortion: Pro-Choice or Pro-Life</li> <li>Euthanasia: Morality of Terminating Unproductive Dependent Existence</li> </ul>	8	To Introduce the Issues in Life and Death
4	<b>Business Ethics</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Definition, Structure of Business Ethics, Responsibilities and Obligations</li> <li>Codes of Ethics, Corporate Responsibility,</li> <li>Business Accountability, Whistle Blowing</li> </ul>	12	Discuss the Contemporary Ethical Issues in Business

5	<b>Environmental Ethics</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Anthropocentrism, Biocentrism,</li> <li>• Bio-centric Egalitarianism, Eco-centrism</li> <li>• Land Ethics, Naturalizing Values</li> <li>• Holistic approach to Life on Earth: an Imperative for Moral Existence</li> </ul>	8	To discuss the Environmental Ethical Issues
<b>TOTAL LECTURE HOURS</b>		<b>42</b>	

#### Text Books:

1. Andrew I. Cohen, and Cristopher Heath Wellman, *Contemporary Debates in Applied Ethics*, UK, Willey Blackwell, 2014
2. Alastair V. Campbell, *Bioethics: The Basics*, New York, Routledge Publication, 2017
3. Manuel G. Velasquez, *Business Ethics: Concepts and Cases*, New Jersey, Prentice Hall, 1992
4. Paul Tailor, *Respect for Nature: A Theory of Environmental Ethics*, Princeton University Press, 2011

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1. Larry May and Jerry B Delston, *Applied Ethics: A Multicultural Approach*, New York, Routledge Publication, 2016
2. Laura M. Bernherdt, *Theory and Practice*, Create Space Independent Publishing Platform, 2014
3. Holmes Rolston III, *Environmental Ethics*, Philadelphia, Temple University Press, 1988
4. Robert L. Holmes, *Introduction to Applied Ethics*, London, Bloomsbury Academic, 2018