# Revised: Consumer Behaviour (Unique Subject Code – PCC4E05) M.Com. Sem IV

Theory: 80 Marks Time: 3 Hours Practical /Internal Assessment: 20

# **Learning Objectives:**

- 1) To acquaint students with Consumer Behavior concepts and to understand the conceptual foundations of consumer buying behaviour.
- 2) To familiarise the students with the behavioural aspects of consumers.
- 3) To create awareness of the theories of motivation and perception as applied in consumer behaviour.
- 4) To highlight the importance of understanding consumer behaviour in marketing.

#### **Unit:1 Introduction Consumer Behaviour 15 Lectures**

- 1. Nature, Scope and Characteristics of Consumer Behaviour
- 2. Importance of Consumer Behaviour in Marketing Decision
- 3. Market Segmentation
- 4. Targeting and Positioning

## **Unit:2 Personality, Motivation and Theories 15 Lectures**

- 1. Importance of personality
- 2. Theories of personality- Freudian theory, Jungian theory
- 3. Characteristics of motivation, Arousal of motives
- 4. Theories of needs & motivation: Maslow's hierarchy of needs

### **Unit:3 Consumer Perception and Attitude 15 Lectures**

- 1. Consumer Perception
- 2. Customer Attitude
- 3. Communication and Consumer Behaviour
- 4. Behavioural Learning Theories

#### **Unit:4 Influence on Consumer 15 Lectures**

- 1. Family and Consumer Behaviour
- 2. Culture and Consumer Behaviour
- 3. Determinants of Social Class and characteristics of Social Class
- 4. Opinion of Leadership Process, Black Box Model of Consumer Behaviour

### **Books and References**

- 1. S.Ramesh Kumar and Anup Krishnamurthy, "Advertising, Branding and Consumer Behaviour", Sage Publications, 2021.
- 2. Ashwathappa K, Organisational Behaviour, Himalaya publisher New Delhi, 2007
- 3. Luthans F, Organisational Behaviour, McGraw Hill, New Delhi, 2007.
- 4. Robbins S P, Timothy A. Judge & Sanghi Seema, Organisational Behaviour, Pearson Education, New Delhi, 2009
- 5 Consumer Behavior, Leon Schiffman and Leslie Kanuk, Pearson Publication
- 6 Consumer Behaviour: Buying, Having, and Being, Michel Solomon, Pearson Publication

# REVISED QUESTION PAPER PATTERN

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