

**CORE COURSE - X - RESEARCH METHODOLOGY IN PHILOSOPHY**

UNIT –I :

**Introduction :** Research - Its meaning, originality and in research – Various types of research - Project Methodology.

UNIT - II :

**Kinds of Topic :** Thinker based - Text based and Concept based - Inter-Disciplinary topics - Topics of Social relevance.

UNIT - III :

**Organization :-** Steps involved (1) Identifying the Area, (2) Formulating a topic - Collection of Material - sources of material - Recording the collected material.

UNIT - IV :

**Report :** The oral report written report - the technical report – Documentation – Language.

UNIT - V :

**Presentation :** Table of contents - Abbreviations of titles cited – Introduction - Chapters Conclusion - Appendices – Bibliography - Pagination - Style quotations - Transliteration - Foot Notes.

**BOOKS FOR REFERENCE**

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