



UNIVERSITI TEKNOLOGI MARA

BTP254: SOCIAL PERSPECTIVES IN PLANNING

Course Name (English)	SOCIAL PERSPECTIVES IN PLANNING APPROVED
Course Code	BTP254
MQF Credit	2
Course Description	The study of sociology starts with a brief understanding of the foundations of sociology that introduce the sociological perspectives of everyday life of a human being. This course will also introduce the students with the knowledge that members of the society are affected by culture, socialization, groups and social control. Some aspects of social inequality and social institution will also be taught to highlight the issues in society. Finally, social processes such as changes in population, urbanization and social movements will cause social changes; as had happened in Malaysia with the birth of the National Economic Policy.
Transferable Skills	Demonstrate ability to identify and articulate self skills, knowledge and understanding confidently and in a variety of context Demonstrate maturity of thoughts when responding to multiple inputs and contexts Demonstrate professional skills , knowledge and competencies
Teaching Methodologies	Lectures, Blended Learning
CLO	CLO1 Ability to comprehend the behavior of human beings in relation to society CLO2 Ability to relate the sociological perspectives in discussions of human life CLO3 Ability to rationally discuss social issues in everyday life CLO4 Ability to critically analyze the social changes in society
Pre-Requisite Courses	No course recommendations
Topics	
1. Introduction to the Foundations of Sociology 1.1) n/a	
2. The Foundations of Society 2.1) n/a	
3. Social Inequality 3.1) n/a	
4. Social Institutions 4.1) n/a	
5. Social Change 5.1) n/a	
6. SIA 6.1) n/a	
7. Assignment 7.1) n/a	
8. Examination 8.1) n/a	

Assessment Breakdown	%
Continuous Assessment	40.00%
Final Assessment	60.00%

Details of Continuous Assessment	Assessment Type	Assessment Description	% of Total Mark	CLO
	Assignment	Social planning issues	40%	CLO2 , CLO3 , CLO4

Reading List	Recommended Text	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jabatan Perancangan Bandar dan Desa 2012, <i>Manual for Social Impact Assessment (SIA) of Projects Development</i>, Jabatan Perancangan Bandar dan Desa
	Reference Book Resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Giddens, A. 2006, <i>Sociology</i>, Ed., , Polity, Cambridge [ISBN:] Macionis, J.J. 2003, <i>Sociology</i>, Ed., , New Jersey, Prentice Hall [ISBN:] Scott, John & Marshall 2005, <i>A Dictionary of Sociology</i>, Ed., , Oxford University Press [ISBN:] Government of Malaysia 1971, <i>The Second Malaysia Plan (1971-1975)</i>, , Ed., , Kuala Lumpur, Government Publishers [ISBN:] Parker, S. 2004, <i>Urban Theory and The Urban Experience: Encoun</i> Ed., , London, Routledge. [ISBN:] Willis, E 1996, <i>The Sociological Quest: An Introduction to So</i>, Ed., , N.J., Rutgers University Press [ISBN:] Vago, Steven 1996, <i>Social Change, Upper Saddle River</i>, Ed., , N.J., Prentice Hall [ISBN:] Knox, P. and Pinch, S 2000, <i>Urban Social Geography: An Introduction</i>, , Ed., , England,Prentice Hall [ISBN:] Neuman, W.L 2006, <i>Social Research Method, Qualitative and Quant</i>, Ed., , Pearson International edition, Pearson Educat [ISBN:] Nisbet, Robert K. 1967, <i>The Sociological Tradition</i>, Ed., , London, Heinemann Educational Books. [ISBN:]
Article/Paper List	This Course does not have any article/paper resources	
Other References	This Course does not have any other resources	