

Following the WBUT guidelines NSS (HU182) has been conducted at Narula Institute of Technology for all B.Tech 1st Sem students, since 2010. The classes are conducted by Dr. Soumitra Basu , Post Doctoral Fellow, The Asiatic Society on every working Saturday during the Odd Semester. All B.Tech 1st Sem students get two theory classes and one lab class or field work class.

The course module follows the following guidelines:

The total course curriculum will be divided into three sessions –
two theoretical sessions
one practical / lab session

The theoretical sessions thus cover –

- the definition, history, basic objectives, reasons for studying NSS, interconnectivity with slum studies, detailed discussion on slum situation
- the next one is field work, field work methods, details of working schedule, preparation of report

The practical / lab session – First hand experience in any slum area. Work to be done on specific topic (topic will be finalized in the class) and finally prepare a report

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