Module I

Concepts of entrepreneur: Entrepreneur- Definitions - Characteristics of entrepreneur- Classification of entrepreneur-Entrepreneurial traits - Entrepreneurial functions - role of entrepreneurs in the economic development - Factor effecting entrepreneurial growth - Entrepreneurship - Meaning - definition - Entrepreneur vs Intrapreneur - Women Entrepreneurs - Recent development - Problems - Entrepreneurial Development Programmes

- Objectives of EDP - Methods of training – Phases of EDP.

(15Hours, 15 marks)

Module II

Institutional support and incentives to entrepreneurs- Functions of Department of Industries and Commerce (DIC) - Activities of Small Industrial Development Corporation (SIDCO)- Functions of National Small Industries Corporation(NSIC)- Functions of Small Industries Development Bank of India (SIDBI) - Khadi Village Industry Commission (KVIC)-Small Industries Service Institute (SISI)- Functions and services of Kerala Industrial Technical

Consultancy Organisation (KITCO)-Activities of Science and Technology Entrepreneurship Development Project (STEDP)-Strategies of National entrepreneurship Development Board (NEDB) -Objectives of National Institute for entrepreneurship and small business development (NIESBUD) - Techno park-Functions of techno park Incentives-Importance- Classification of incentives – Subsidy - TypesofSubsidy (17 Hours, 15marks)

Module III

Micro Small and Medium Enterprises- Features- Objectives- Importance-Role of SME in the economic development- MSME Act 2006- Salient features- Credit Guarantee Fund Trust Scheme for MSMEs - Industrial estates-Classification-Benefits- Green channel- Bridge capital- Seed capital assistance-Margin money schemes –Single Window System-Sickness- Causes –Remedies- RegistrationofSSI

(15 Hours, 15marks)

Module IV

Setting up of Industrial unit-(Only Basic study) Environment for Entrepreneurship – Criteria for selecting particular project- Generating project ideas-Market and demand analysis- Feasibility study- Scope of technical feasibility- Financial feasibility- Social cost benefit analysis-Government regulations for project clearance-Import of capital goods-approval of foreign collaboration-Pollution control clearances- Setting up of micro small and medium enterprises-Location decision-Significance.

(18 Hours, 20marks)

Module V

Project Report - Meaning-Definition - Purpose of project reports-Requirements of good report - Methods of reporting - General principles of a good reporting system - Performa of a project report - Sample project report. (The preparation of sample project report shall be treated as an assignment of this course).

(15 Hours, 15marks)