

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-I

Course Name: Fundamentals of Political Science-I

Course No. – POL 111
Contact Hrs: 60

Credits Assigned: 04
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This course is meant to provide an introduction to Political Science to students who have not had any exposure to the discipline. This is an introductory paper to the concepts, ideas, forms of Government and Political Theories. It seeks to explain the evolution and usage of these concepts and theories, both historically and analytically.

Unit-I (10 hrs.)

Nature and significance of Political Theory – its main concerns;

Meaning of Politics- Liberal and Marxian Schools

Unit-II (10 hrs.)

Concepts-Liberty (Negative and Positive, views of Mill, Laski, C.B. Mcpherson & Marx)

Equality (Definition, Differences between Absolute and Proportional equality, Types of equality)

Unit-III (10 hrs.)

Theories of Justice; Subaltern and Feminist perspectives

Notion of Common Good (Gandhian perspective of Sarvodaya)

Elite Theory (Views of Pareto, Mosca, Mitchell, C. Wright Mills, Tom Bottom ore & J. Schumpeter)

Unit-IV (7 hrs.)

Organs of the Government- Legislature, Executive and Judiciary;

Their functions with recent trends

Unit-V (8 hrs.)

Forms of Government- Democracy and Dictatorship;

Political Parties and Pressure Groups

Books Recommended:

Essential Readings:

- *JC Johri, Principles of Modern, Political Science, Sterling Publishers Pvt. Ltd., 1995*
- *RC Agarwal, Political Theory, New Delhi, S. Chand & Co.*
- *MP Jain, Political Theory, New Delhi, Authors Guild Publications, 1993*
- *RC Vermani, Political Theory*
- *Eddy Asirvatham, Political Theory New Delhi, S. Chand & Co. Pvt. Ltd.*
- *Hari Hara Das & BC Choudhary, Political Theory, Jaipur, National Publishing House, 2005*
- *RL Gupta, Political Theory, New Concepts: New Perspectives, New Delhi, Sultan Chand and Sons, 2004*

Reference Books:

- *A Appadorai, Substance of Politics*
- *SN Ray, Modern Comparative Politics, New Delhi, Prentice Hall of India*
- *AC Kapur, Principles of Political Science, New Delhi, Sultan Chand and Sons, 2004*
- *Barrie Axford, Gary Browning, Richard Muggins & Ben Rosamond, Politics: An Introduction, New York Routledge, 2002*

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-I

Course Name: Indian Political Thought-I

Course No. – POL 112

Contact Hrs: 45

Credits Assigned: 03

Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This paper highlights the main sources of the political tradition in ancient India and its development in modern times. It critically assesses the contribution of key ancient and modern Indian political thinkers and explains their relevance to contemporary times.

Unit-I (5 hrs.)

Political Thought in Ancient India and its sources

Unit-II (12 hrs.)

Manu (Concept of religion, Social system, State system, Law and punishment, Foreign policy);

Kautilya (Social philosophy, Social system, State system, Law and punishment, Foreign policy)

Unit-III (9 hrs.)

Swami Dayanand Saraswati (Views on religion, State, Shuddhi movement);

Swami Vivekananda (Spiritual Nationalism, Social reforms, Political ideas)

Unit-IV (7 hrs.)

Raja Ram Mohan Roy (As a social, political & economic reformer ,Views on universal religion and Humanism);

Gopal Krishna Gokhale (Spiritualisation of politics, Role in National movement, Economic ideas, Political ideas)

Unit-V (12 hrs.)

Bal Gangadhar Tilak (Political philosophy, Swarajya, Swadeshi movement);

Savarkar (Interpretation of Indian History, Theory of Hindutva)

Books Recommended:

Essential Readingss:

- *VP Verma, Indian Political Thought- Ancient and Medieval Vol I, Agra, Laxmi Narayan Agarwal, 1996*
- *VP Verma, Indian Political Thought Vol II, Agra, Laxmi Narayan Agarwal, 1996*
- *Vishnoo Bhagwan, Indian Political Thinkers, Delhi, Atma Ram & Sons, 2002*
- *CM Saraswati, Indian Political Thinkers*

Reference Books:

- *SL Verma, Representative Indian Political Thinkers, Jaipur, Jain Pustak Mandir*
- *KP Jayaswal, Hindu Polity, Bangalore, The Bangalore Press*
- *DR Bali, Modern Indian Thought, New Delhi, Sterling Publishers Pvt. Ltd.*
- *B.N.Ray, Indian Political Thought.*
- *J.P.Suda, Indian Political Thought, Vol I, II and III.*

Political Science (Honours)

Semester-I

Course Name: Political Ideologies -I

Course No. – POL 113
Contact Hrs: 45

Credits Assigned: 03
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This paper studies the role of different political ideologies and their impact in politics. The course of their evolution and development, the different streams and subtle nuances within each ideology, the changes and continuities in their doctrines and their relevance to contemporary times are highlighted.

Unit-I (6 hrs.)

Political Ideologies- Meaning, Nature and Scope

Unit-II (15 hrs.)

Liberalism (Classical, Modern and Neo Liberalism)

Utilitarianism

Unit-III (12 hrs.)

Idealism

Unit-IV (6 hrs.)

Fascism (Meaning and Principles)

Unit-V (6 hrs.)

Feminism (Liberal, Radical, Marxist and Black)

Books Recommended:

Essential Readings:

- *Andrew Heywood, Political Ideologies, New York, Palgrave Macmillan*
- *JP Suda (Vol.IV), History of Western Political Thought, Meerut, K. Nath & Co.*
- *AC Kapur, Principles of Political Science*
- *JC Johri , Contemporary Political Theory*

Reference Books:

- *Naresh Dadhich, Women, Conflict Resolution and Culture: Gandhian Perspective*
- *William Ebenstein, Political Ideologies*
- *FW Coker, Recent Political Thought, Calcutta, The World Press Pvt. Ltd.*
- *Hari Hara Das & BC Choudhary, Political Theory, Jaipur, National Publishing House, 2005*
- *Barrie Axford, Gary Browning, Richard Muggins & Ben Rosamond, Politics: An Introduction, New York Routledge, 2002*

Political Science (Honours)

Semester-I

Course Name: Model Constitutions of Europe

Course No. – POL 114
Contact Hrs: 60

Credits Assigned: 04
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This paper acquaints the student with major constitutions of Europe. The historical background of each constitution is to be emphasized to gain an understanding of its evolution. Furthermore the political institutions are to be studied in the light of the political process to gain an understanding of the dynamics of actual politics and policy making.

Unit-I (9 hrs.)

Constitution of United Kingdom- Growth of the Constitution; Its Nature;
The Crown- The King and the Cabinet

Unit-II (9 hrs.)

Constitution of United Kingdom- The British Parliament; Judiciary; Local Govt.;
Political Parties; Rule of Law; Delegated Legislation

Unit-III (9 hrs.)

Constitution of Switzerland- Main Features; Swiss Legislature; Swiss Executive; Swiss
Judiciary; Direct Democracy in Switzerland; Political Parties

Unit-IV (9 hrs.)

Constitution of France- Historical Background; Nature of the Constitution; French
Executive; The French Parliament; French Judiciary; Local Govt.; Political Parties

Unit-V (9 hrs.)

Constitution of Germany- Brief Background; the Executive; the Legislature; the Judiciary;
Political Parties

Books Recommended: **Essential Readings:**

- *Vishnoo Bhagwan and Vidhya Bhushan, World Constitutions, Sterling Publisher (Pvt.) Ltd., 2001*
- *AC Kapur, Select Constitutions, New Delhi, Sultan Chand & Sons, 1995*

Reference Books:

- *VD Mahajan, Select Modern Governments, Delhi, S. Chand & Co., 2001.*
- *R.C Aggarwal, World Constitutions.*

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-I

Course Name: Project

Course No. – POL 115

Credits Assigned: 02

Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale:

- To acquaint the students with research methodology
- To orient the students to the techniques of documentation

This paper requires two hours of self study outside the class so as to acquaint them with the techniques of Data/ Information collection and Data/Information analysis so as to arrive at valid conclusions.

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-II

Course Name: Fundamentals of Political Science-II

Course No. – POL 211

Credits Assigned: 04

Contact Hrs: 60

Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This course is meant to provide an advanced insight into the discipline. It seeks to explain the evolution and usage of new concepts and theories.

Unit-I (9 hrs.)

Distinction between Classical and Modern Political Science;

Behaviouralism and Post-behaviouralism

Unit-II (6 hrs.)

Interdisciplinary Approach in Political Science;

Relationship of Political Science with other Disciplines (History, Economics, Psychology, Ethics & Philosophy)

Unit-III (12 hrs.)

Concepts-Power, Authority, Legitimacy;

Human Rights- Marxist and Liberal perspective

Unit-IV (10 hrs.)

Political Development, Political Modernization, and Political Culture

Unit-V (8 hrs.)

Scientific understanding of Politics- Systems Theory- Contribution of David Easton;

Structural- Functional Approach- Almond and Kaplan

Books Recommended:

Essential Readings:

- *JC Johri, Principles of Modern Political Science, Sterling Publishers Pvt. Ltd., 1995*
- *SP Varma, Modern Political Theory, New Delhi, Vikas Publishing House*
- *AC Kapur, Principles of Political Science, New Delhi, Sultan Chand and Sons, 2004*
- *RC Agarwal, Political Theory, New Delhi, S. Chand & Co.*
- *JC Johri, Comparative Politics, Sterling Publishers Pvt. Ltd., 1995*
- *JC Johri, Contemporary Political Theory, Sterling Publishers Pvt. Ltd., 1997*

Reference Books:

- *Eddy Asirvatham, Political Theory, New Delhi, S. Chand & Co. Ltd.*
- *A Appadorai, Substance of Politics*
- *OP Gauba, Political Theory, Mac Milan India Ltd., 2004*
- *PB Rathod, Modern Political Theory, New Delhi, Commonwealth Publishers, 2004*
- *VD Mahajan, Political Theory, New Delhi, Sultan Chand & Sons*
- *Hari Hara Das, Political Theory, Jaipur, National Publishing House*
- *Hari Hara Das, Comparative Politics, Jaipur, National Publishing House*
- *Robert Dahl, Modern Political Analysis*
- *MP Jain, Political Theory, New Delhi, Authors Guild Publications, 1993*
- *Barrie Axford, Gary Browning, Richard Muggins & Ben Rosamond, Politics: An Introduction, New York Routledge, 2002*

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-II

Course Name: Indian Political Thought-II

Course No. – POL 212
Contact Hrs: 45

Credits Assigned: 03
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This paper critically assesses the contribution of modern Indian political thinkers. It emphasizes on the distinctive contribution of Indian thinkers to political theorizing as well as in the making of modern India.

Unit-I (9 hrs.)

M.K. Gandhi (Social philosophy, Concept of Satya and Ahimsa, Concept of Ram rajya, and Economic ideas)

Unit-II (10 hrs.)

Jyoti Rao Phule (Social and Political philosophy)

B. R. Ambedkar (Social reforms, Political ideas, Role in constitution making)

Unit-III (9 hrs.)

J.L. Nehru (Democratic Socialism, Nationalism and Internationalism, Non Alignment and Panchsheel)

Unit-IV (10 hrs.)

M.N. Roy (Critique of Marx, Concept of New Humanism, Freedom & Democracy)

Ram Manohar Lohiya

Unit-V (7hrs.)

Vinoba Bhave (Sarvodaya Movement- Bhoodan, Gramdan; New social & Political Order)

J.P. Narain (Views on Nationalism, Socialism, Sarvodaya, Total Revolution)

Books Recommended:

Essential Readings:

- *VP Verma, Indian Political Thought (Vol. I and II), Agra, Laxmi Narayan Agarwal, 1996*
- *Vishnoo Bhagwan, Indian Political Thinkers, Delhi, Atma Ram & Sons, 2002*
- *CM Saraswati, Indian Political Thinkers*

Reference Books:

- *SL Verma, Representative Indian Political Thinkers, Jaipur, Jain Pustak Mandir*
- *DR Bali, Modern Indian Thought, New Delhi, Sterling Publishers Pvt. Ltd.*

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-II

Course Name: Political Ideologies-II

Course No. – POL 213

Credits Assigned: 03

Contact Hrs: 45

Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This paper studies the role of different political ideologies of social change and their impact on politics, the course of their evolution and development, the different streams and subtle nuances within each ideology.

Unit-I (10 hrs.)

Marxism

Unit-II (10 hrs.)

Socialism

Unit-III (10 hrs.)

Anarchism

Unit-IV (10 hrs.)

Gandhism

Unit-V (05 hrs.)

Environmentalism

Books Recommended:

Essential Readings:

- *Andrew Heywood, Political Ideologies, New York, Palgrave Macmillan*
- *Hari Hara Das, Political Theory: Traditional and Modern*
- *FW Coker, Recent Political Thought, Calcutta, The World Press Pvt. Ltd.*
- *AC Kapur, Principles of Political Science*
- *JC Johri, Contemporary Political Theory*

Reference Books:

- *Naresh Dadhich, Women, Conflict Resolution and Culture: Gandhian Perspective*
- *William Ebenstein, Political Ideologies*
- *JP Suda (Vol.IV), History of Western Political Thought, Meerut, K. Nath & Co.*
- *Barrie Axford, Gary Browning, Richard Muggins & Ben Rosamond, Politics: An Introduction, New York Routledge, 2002*

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-II

Course Name: Other Select Constitutions

Course No. – POL 214
Contact Hrs: 60

Credits Assigned: 04
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This paper studies some model constitutions of the world, other than the European ones. The historical background of individual constitutions is to be emphasized to gain an understanding of its evolution. Furthermore the political institutions are to be studied in the light of the political process to gain an understanding of the dynamics of actual politics and policy making.

Unit-I (8 hrs.)

Constitution of United States of America- Salient Features; American Federalism;
The President and his Cabinet

Unit-II (8 hrs.)

Constitution of United States of America- The Congress; The Federal Judiciary; Checks and Balances; Political Parties

Unit-III (9 hrs.)

Constitution of Russia-The Present Constitution; the Legislature; Executive; Communist Party

Unit-IV (10 hrs.)

Constitution of Japan- General Features; Fundamental rights in the Constitution; The Executive; Diet; Judiciary; Political Parties

Unit-V (10 hrs.)

Constitution of China- Salient Features of the 1982 Constitution; The National People's Congress- Standing Committee of the National People's Congress; The President of China; The State Council; The Judicial System; Fundamental Rights and Duties; The Communist Party

Books Recommended:

Essential Readings:

- *Vishnoo Bhagwan and Vidhya Bhushan, World Constitutions, Sterling Publisher (Pvt.) Ltd., 2001*
- *AC Kapur, Select Constitutions, New Delhi, Sultan Chand & Sons, 1995*

Reference Books:

- *VD Mahajan, Select Modern Governments, Delhi, S. Chand & Co., 2001*
- *Kahin, Major Governments of Asia, New York, Cornell University Press, 1958*

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-II

Course Name: Project

Course No. – POL 215

Credits Assigned: 02

Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale:

- To acquaint the students with research methodology
- To orient the students to the techniques of documentation

This paper requires two hours of self study outside the class so as to acquaint them with the techniques of Data/ Information collection and Data/Information analysis so as to arrive at valid conclusions.

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-III

Course Name: Freedom Movement in India

Course No. – POL 311
Contact Hrs: 45

Credits Assigned: 03
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This paper focuses in detail on the freedom struggle of India and India's tryst with destiny. It incorporates the influences that shaped the course of modern India. It acquaints the students with the nature of Indian Freedom Struggle and the Socio-economic dimensions of the nationalist movement.

Unit-I (9 hrs.)

National movement in India- Rise of Nationalism, Genesis of the Indian National Congress

Unit-II (9 hrs.)

Moderates and Extremists
Causes for the rise of Communalism,

Unit-III (9 hrs.)

Gandhian Era in Indian Freedom Struggle;
Freedom movement in Rajasthan

Unit-IV (9 hrs.)

Socio- Economic Dimensions of Indian Freedom Struggle- The demand for partition, Trade Union and Peasant Movements, Role of women in Indian Freedom Struggle

Unit-V (9 hrs.)

Role of revolutionaries in Indian Freedom Struggle- Subhash Chandra Bose, Bhagat Singh, Lala Lajpat Rai;

Books Recommended:

Essential Readings:

- *RC Agarwal, Constitutional Development and National Movement of India, New Delhi, Sultan Chand & Sons*
- *Bipan Chandra, Freedom Struggle, New Delhi, National Book Trust*

Reference Books

- *JC Johri, Indian Government and Politics (Vol. I& II), Delhi, Vishal Publications*
- *BL Fadia, Indian Government and Politics, Agra, Sahitya Bhawan*
- *DC Gupta, Indian Government and Politics, Delhi, Vikas Publishing House*
- *WH Morris Jones, The Government and Politics of India, New Delhi, Universal Book Stall*
- *RC Agarwal, Indian Political System, New Delhi, Sultan Chand & Sons*

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-III

Course Name: Constitutional Development in India

Course No. – POL 312

Credits Assigned: 04

Contact Hrs: 60

Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This paper traces the growth of constitutionalism and parliamentary democracy in India through the various Acts passed during the British regime. It enables the student to understand the background of the Indian Constitution.

Unit-I (8 hrs.)

Act of 1858- Transfer of power from East India Company to Crown;

Indian Councils Act- 1892

Unit-II (7 hrs.)

Indian Councils Act- 1909-Morley- Minto Reforms

Unit-III (9 hrs.)

Government of India Act 1919- Montague- Chelmsford Reforms

Unit-IV (9 hrs.)

Government of India Act 1935

Unit-V (12 hrs.)

Cripps Mission; Cabinet Mission;

Indian Independence Act 1947

Books Recommended:

Essential Readings:

- *JC Johri, Indian Government and Politics (Vol. I & II), Delhi, Vishal Publications*
- *RC Agarwal, Constitutional Development and National Movement of India, New Delhi, Sultan Chand & Sons*
- *Bipan Chandra, Freedom Struggle, New Delhi, National Book Trust*

Reference Books:

- *BL Fadia, Indian Government and Politics, Agra, Sahitya Bhawan*
- *DC Gupta, Indian Government and Politics, Delhi, Vikas Publishing House*
- *WH Morris Jones, The Government and Politics of India, New Delhi, Universal Book Stall*
- *RC Agarwal, Indian Political System, New Delhi, Sultan Chand & Sons*
- *Granville Austin, The Indian Constitution: Cornerstone of a Nation, New Delhi, Oxford University Press*
- *Granville Austin, Working A Democratic Constitution, New Delhi, Oxford University Press*

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-III

Course Name: International Politics

Course No. – POL 313
Contact Hrs: 60

Credits Assigned: 04
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This paper deals with the concepts and dimensions of international relations and makes an analysis of different theories highlighting the major debates and differences within the different theoretical paradigms. It highlights the various aspects of conflicts and conflict resolution in the specificity of the long period of the post Second World War phase.

Unit-I (9 hrs.)

Approaches to International Politics- Idealism; Realism – Morgenthau; Neo-Realism- Kenneth Waltz;

Concepts - National Interest; Balance of Power;

Post-War International Developments- End of Colonialism, De-Europeanization of International Politics, Emergence of New States & Democratization of the World

Unit-II (10 hrs.)

Cold War & Bipolarity; Arms Race and Disarmament; Collective Security

Unit-III (6 hrs.)

Issues in International Politics- Arab- Israel Conflict; Oil Politics

Unit-IV (9 hrs.)

Non-Alignment- Evolution and contemporary relevance;

New International Economic Order (NIEO); North – South Dialogue; South- South Dialogue-

Unit-V (11 hrs.)

Associations of Regional Co-operation- ASEAN; SAARC; EU

Contemporary Global Concerns- Human Rights; Environment and Ecological concerns

Books Recommended:

Essential Readings:

- *Palmer and Perkins, International Relations, Delhi, AITBS Publishers and Distributors, 2004*
- *Prakash Chander, International Relations, New Delhi, Cosmos Bookhive Pvt. Ltd.*
- *Prem Arora, International Politics, New Delhi, Cosmos Bookhive Pvt. Ltd.*

Reference Books:

- *Hans J. Morgenthau, Politics Among Nations*
- *Martin Griffiths, Key Concepts in International Relations, Routledge, 2004*
- *JC Johri, International Relations and Politics, Sterling Publishers, 1996*
- *Karl Deutsch, Analysis of International Politics, New Delhi, Prentice Hall of India*
- *Mahendra Kumar, Theoretical Aspects of International Politics, Agra, Shiva Lal Agrawala and Co.*
- *Rumki Basu, United Nations Organization, New Delhi, Sterling Publishers*
- *SK Sharma and Urmila Sharma, International Relations : (Vol. I&II), New Delhi, Atlantic Publishers and Distributors*
- *Yuri Alimov, Rise and Growth of NAM, Moscow, Progress Publishers*
- *NS Gehlot and Anu Satsangi, Indo –Pak Relations, New Delhi, Deep and Deep Publications*
- *MH Syed, SAARC Challenges Ahead, New Delhi, Kilaso Books*
- *SR Sharma, US Iraq War: An Erosion of UN Authority, Mohit Publishers, 2003*

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-III

Course Name: Elements of Public Administration

Course No. – POL 314
Contact Hrs: 45

Credits Assigned: 03
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This paper intends to provide basic conceptual, foundational and theoretical orientation to the undergraduate students with the discipline of Public Administration.

Unit-I (8 hrs.)

Meaning, Nature and Scope of Public Administration;
Approaches to the study of Public Administration

Unit-II (5 hrs.)

Public and Private Administration;
New Public Administration;
Importance and Relevance of Public Administration

Unit-III (13 hrs.)

Theories of Administration- Classical (W.Wilson, H.Fayol, Mooney, Charles Taylor, Mary .P. Follet, Ferrell Heddy)
Modern (Elton Mayo, Herbert Simon, Fredrick Riggs, Weidner)

Unit-IV (7 hrs.)

Structures of Organization – Line, Staff and Auxiliary;
Agencies of Administration- Public Corporations, Independent Regulatory Commissions

Unit-V (12 hrs.)

Principles of Organization- Hierarchy; Span of Control; Delegation; Coordination;
Supervision; Unity of Command

Books Recommended:

Essential Readings:

- *Sharma and Sadana, Public Administration: Theory and Practice*
- *SL Goel, Public Administration, New Delhi, Deep and Deep Publications*
- *Awasthi and Maheshwari, Public Administration: Theory and Practice, Agra, Lakshmi Narain Agarwal*
- *BL Fadia, Public Administration, Agra, Sahitya Bhawan Publications*

Reference Books:

- *Ramesh Arora, Public Administration: Theories and Concepts*
- *LD White, Introduction to the Study of Public Administration, New Delhi, S Chand & Co.*
- *Rumki Basu, Public Administration: Theory and Concepts, New Delhi, Sterling Publishers Pvt. Ltd.*

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-III

Course Name: Project

Course No. – POL 315

Credits Assigned: 02

Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale:

- To acquaint the students with research methodology
- To orient the students to the techniques of documentation

This paper requires two hours of self study outside the class so as to acquaint them with the techniques of Data/ Information collection and Data/Information analysis so as to arrive at valid conclusions.

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-IV

Course Name: Indian Political Institutions and Processes

Course No. – POL 411
Contact Hrs: 45

Credits Assigned: 03
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: The focus of this paper is on the political processes and the actual functioning of the political system in India. One needs to understand that the Indian Constitution was intended to provide a framework for a modern, secular and democratic society and simultaneously be discussing the working of select political institutions like the Union Executive, the Parliament and the Judiciary.

Unit-I (8 hrs.)

Framing of the Indian Constitution- Major issues;

Preamble to the Constitution

Unit-II (9 hrs.)

Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles; Nature of Indian Federal System

Unit-III (10 hrs.)

Union Executive-President; Prime Minister; Council of Ministers

Unit-IV (9 hrs.)

Union Parliament; Methods of Amendment; Centre-State Relations

Unit-V (9 hrs.)

Supreme Court of India;

Judicial Review; Public Interest Litigation; Judicial Activism

Books Recommended:

Essential Readings:

- *JC Johri, Indian Government and Politics (Vol. I & II), Delhi, Vishal Publications*
- *BL Fadia, Indian Government and Politics, Agra, Sahitya Bhawan*
- *Granville Austin, Working A Democratic Constitution, New Delhi, Oxford University Press*
- *RC Agarwal, Indian Political System, New Delhi, Sultan Chand & Sons*
- *Granville Austin, The Indian Constitution: Cornerstone of a Nation, New Delhi, Oxford University Press*
- *DD Basu, Shorter Constitution of India, Delhi, Prentice Hall of India*

Reference Books:

- *RC Agarwal, Constitutional Development and National Movement of India, New Delhi, Sultan Chand & Sons*
- *Bipan Chandra, India's Struggle for Independence, New Delhi, Penguin Books*
- *Introduction to the Constitution of India: DD Basu, Delhi, Prentice Hall of India*
- *DC Gupta, Indian Government and Politics, Delhi, Vikas Publishing House*
- *WH Morris Jones, The Government and Politics of India, New Delhi, Universal Book Stall*
- *PC Dahl, Democracy in India: Constraints and Opportunities*
- *Iqbal Narain, Secularism in India, Jaipur, Classic Publishing House, 1995*
- *Subash Kashyap, Our Parliament, New Delhi, National Book Trust*
- *Subash Kashyap, Our Judiciary, New Delhi, National Book Trust*
- *Nani Palkhiwala, Our Constitution: Defaced and Defiled, Macmilan*
- *AG Noorani, Constitutional Questions in India, New Delhi, Oxford University Press*
- *Bipan Chandra, In the Name of Democracy, Penguin Books, 2003*
- *JN Pandey, Constitutional Law of India, Allahabad, Central Law Agency*
- *Prabhat Datta, India's Democracy: New Challenges, New Delhi, Kanishka Publishers and Distributors*

Political Science (Honours) **Semester-IV**

Course Name: Working of Indian Political System

Course No. – POL 412
Contact Hrs: 60

Credits Assigned: 04
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This paper focuses on the governance of Indian Federating Units. It also acquaints the students with the dynamic factors influencing the Indian Political System and the experience of last fifty-five years. It also analyzes the challenges before the Indian polity.

Unit-I (12 hrs.)

Governance of Indian States; State Executive- Role of Governor in Indian politics
(With special reference to the politics of Rajasthan)

Unit-II (10 hrs.)

The State Legislature;
Political Parties in India- Major National Parties- BJP, Congress, Left Parties;
Politics of Coalition;

Unit-III (7 hrs.)

Electoral Process & Voting Behavior
Problem of women participation

Unit-IV (8 hrs.)

Challenges before Indian Democracy-Regionalism and Communalism

Unit-V (8 hrs.)

Challenges before Indian Democracy -Casteism and Terrorism

Books Recommended:

Essential Readings:

- *JC Johri, Indian Government and Politics (Vol. I & II), Delhi, Vishal Publications*
- *BL Fadia, Indian Government and Politics, Agra, Sahitya Bhawan*
- *DC Gupta, Indian Government and Politics, Delhi, Vikas Publishing House*
- *WH Morris Jones, The Government and Politics of India, New Delhi, Universal Book Stall*
- *RC Agarwal, Indian Political System, New Delhi, Sultan Chand & Sons*
- *DD Basu, Shorter Constitution of India, Delhi, Prentice Hall of India*

Reference Books:

- *Granville Austin, The Indian Constitution: Cornerstone of a Nation, New Delhi, Oxford University Press*
- *Granville Austin, Working A Democratic Constitution, New Delhi, Oxford University Press*
- *Introduction to the Constitution of India: DD Basu, Delhi, Prentice Hall of India*
- *PC Dahl, Democracy in India: Constraints and Opportunities*
- *NC Asthana, Terrorism, Insurgency and Counter insurgency Operations, Jaipur, Pointer Publishers, 2001*
- *Iqbal Narain, Secularism in India, Jaipur, Classic Publishing House, 1995*
- *AK Majumdar and Bhanwar Singh, Regionalism in Indian Politics, New Delhi, Radha Publications*
- *Subash Kashyap, Our Parliament, New Delhi, National Book Trust*
- *Subash Kashyap, Our Judiciary, New Delhi, National Book Trust*
- *Nani Palkhiwala, Our Constitution: Defaced and Defiled, Macmilan*
- *AG Noorani, Constitutional Questions in India, New Delhi, Oxford University Press*
- *Bipan Chandra, In the Name of Democracy, Penguin Books, 2003*
- *Joya Hasan(ed), Parties and Party Politics in India, New Delhi, Oxford University Press*
- *JN Pandey, Constitutional Law of India, Allahabad, Central Law Agency*
- *Prabhat Datta, India's Democracy: New Challenges, New Delhi, Kanishka Publishers and Distributors*

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-IV

Course Name: Foreign Policies of Major Powers

Course No. – POL 413
Contact Hrs: 60

Credits Assigned: 04
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This paper provides an insight into the foreign policies of the US and China as well as an in-depth study of the policy India has pursued in her dealings with other nations of the world. The paper will enable the students to analyze some of the issues related with security and development concerns of India- particularly with reference to the impediments and opportunities in achieving national interest.

Unit-I (7 hrs.)

Foreign Policy of USA (Objectives and major issues)

USA and the Third world (with special reference to Asian and African nations)

Unit-II (7 hrs.)

USA and the Middle East; USA and Europe;

USA and South East

Unit-III (13 hrs.)

Foreign Policy of India; India's relations with her neighbours;

India' relations with major powers- USA, Russia, UK, E.U & Japan;

India's Security Concerns

Unit-IV (10 hrs.)

India and the UNO; India and NAM; India and regional organizations- ASEAN &

SAARC; India and the question of nuclear weapons- NPT & CTBT

Unit-V (8 hrs.)

Foreign Policy of China; China's relations with her neighbours; China's role in the Indian sub-continent

Books Recommended:

Essential Readings:

- *Mahendra Kumar, Theoretical Aspects of International Politics, Agra, Shiva Lal Agrawala and Co.*
- *Rumki Basu, United Nations Organization, New Delhi, Sterling Publishers*
- *VP Dutt, India's Foreign Policy, New Delhi, Vikas Publishing House*
- *UC Jain and Jeevan Nair, Foreign Policy of India, Jaipur, Pointer Publishers*
- *Palmer and Perkins, International Relations, Delhi, AITBS Publishers and Distributors, 2004MH Syed, SAARC Challenges Ahead, New Delhi, Kilaso Books*
- *Ram Sharma, Indo- US Relations, New Delhi, Discovery Publishing House*
- *SR Sharma, Indo- China Relations*
- *VN Khanna, Foreign Policy of India, New Delhi, Vikas Publishing House*

Reference Books:

- *Prakash Chander, International Relations, New Delhi, Cosmos Bookhive Pvt. Ltd.*
- *Hans J.Morgenthau, Politics Among Nations*
- *Yuri Alimov, Rise and Growth of NAM, Moscow, Progress Publishers*
- *JC Johri, International Relations and Politics, Sterling Publishers, 1996*
- *Prem Arora, International Politics, New Delhi, Cosmos Bookhive Pvt. Ltd.*
- *Karl Deutsch, Analysis of International Politics, New Delhi, Prentice Hall of India*
- *SK Sharma and Urmila Sharma, International Relations :(Vol. I&II), New Delhi, Atlantic Publishers and Distributors*
- *NS Gehlot and Anu Satsangi, Indo –Pak Relations, New Delhi, Deep and Deep Publications*
- *Ramesh Dubey and BM Jain, International Politics, Jaipur, College Book Depot*
- *Peter Burnell and Vicky Randall, Politics in the Developing World, Oxford, Oxford University Press*

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-IV

Course Name: Personnel and Financial Administration

Course No. – POL 414
Contact Hrs: 45

Credits Assigned: 03
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This paper provides understanding of the key concepts and the sub-systems of Public Administration like Personnel and Financial and also the importance of legislative and judicial control over administration.

Unit-I (10 hrs.)

Recruitment and Training of Personnel

Unit-II (9 hrs.)

Control over Administration – Legislative, Judicial, and Popular

Unit-III (6 hrs.)

Budget- Concept and significance;

Performance Budget and Zero-Base Budget

Unit-IV (10 hrs.)

Formation and Execution of budget in India

Unit-V (10 hrs.)

Deficit Financing- Public Debt, Accounts and Audits; Administrative Reforms in India

Books Recommended:

Essential Readings:

- *Sharma and Sadana, Public Administration: Theory and Practice*
- *SL Goel, Public Administration, New Delhi, Deep and Deep Publications*
- *Awasthi and Maheshwari, Public Administration: Theory and Practice, Agra, Lakshmi Narain Agarwal*
- *BL Fadia, Public Administration, Agra, Sahitya Bhawan Publications*

Reference Books:

- *Ramesh Arora, Public Administration: Theories and Concepts*
- *LD White, Introduction to the Study of Public Administration, New Delhi, S Chand & Co.*
- *Rumki Basu, Public Administration: Theory and Concepts, New Delhi, Sterling Publishers Pvt. Ltd.*

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-IV

Course Name: Project

Course No. – POL 415
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Credits Assigned: 02

Course Rationale:

- To acquaint the students with research methodology
- To orient the students to the techniques of documentation

This paper requires two hours of self study outside the class so as to acquaint them with the techniques of Data/ Information collection and Data/Information analysis so as to arrive at valid conclusions.

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-V

Course Name: Representative Western Political Thinkers

Course No. – POL 511
Contact Hrs: 45

Credits Assigned: 03
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This paper studies the classical tradition in Political Theory from Plato to Green with the view to understand how the Great Masters explained and analyzed political events and problems of their times and prescribed solutions. The course intends to generate a critical awareness about the traditions of political thought in the West.

Unit-I (7 hrs.)

Plato (Concept of Justice & Ideal State, Views on Education, Communism of Wives and Property, Plato's second best state)

Unit-II (10 hrs.)

Aristotle (Criticism of Plato; Slavery, Citizenship, Concept of Best State; Theory of Revolution)

Unit-III (8 hrs.)

Niccollo Machiavelli (Concept of Virtue, Religion, Ethics and politics, Monarchy; National sovereignty; Statecraft)
Thomas Hobbes (Natural Laws, Social Contract, State)

Unit-IV (10 hrs.)

John Locke (Ideas on Natural rights with reference to property, Social Contract, limited State, Resistance to the State)
Jean Jacques Rousseau (State of Nature, Social Contract, General Will)

Unit-V (10 hrs.)

George Wilhelm Fredrick Hegel (Dialectics & Theory of State)
Thomas Hill Green (Theory of State, Resistance to State & War)

Books Recommended:

Essential Readings:

- *CL Wayper, Political Thought, Mac Milan, 1995*
- *JP Suda, History of Political Thought: (Vol. I&II), Meerut, K. Nath & Co.*
- *GH Sabine, History of Political Theory, Oxford and IBH Publishing Co. Pvt. Ltd., 1997*
- *JC Johri, Political Thought: Ancient and Medieval, New Delhi, Metropolitan*

Reference Books:

- *Dunning, History of Political Thought*
- *Plato's Republic, Penguin Classics*
- *Mulgan, Aristotle's Political Theory*
- *Paul Baucher and David Kalley, Political Thinkers from Socrates to the present*
- *Subrata Mukherjee, History of Political Thought: Plato to Marx, Delhi, Prentice Hall of India, 2003*
- *EM Froster, Masters of Political Thought*
- *Maxey, Political Philosophies*
- *Subrata Mukherjee and Shushila Ramaswamy, GWF Hegel, New Delhi, Deep and Deep Publications*
- *Subrata Mukherjee and Shushila Ramaswamy, Thomas Hill Green, New Delhi, Deep and Deep Publications*

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-V

Course Name: Modern Political Theory

Course No. – POL 512
Contact Hrs: 60

Credits Assigned: 04
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This paper seeks to provide an in-depth understanding of the nature of the discipline and its major concepts useful for analyzing political process and phenomena.

Unit-I (10 hrs.)

Decline of Political Theory- Historicism; Moral Relativism; Hyper factualism; Positivism and Neo-Positivism

Unit-II (10 hrs.)

Group Theory; Distributive Approach

Unit-III (9 hrs.)

Communications Theory; Decision- Making Theory

Unit-IV (8 hrs.)

Political process and change;
Theories of Alienation

Unit-V (8 hrs.)

Theories of Political Development

Books Recommended:

Essential Readings:

- *SP Varma, Modern Political Theory, New Delhi, Vikas Publishing House*
- *HR Mukhi, Modern Political Theory.*
- *Prof Laxmi Naraya, Styles in Political Theory.*
- *V.R Mehta, Beyond Marxism.*

Reference Books:

- *Harold Lasswell, Who Gets, What, When and How.*
- *Robert Dahl, Modern Political Analysis, New Delhi, Prentice Hall of India.*
- *Laxmi Singh, Styles in Political Theory.*

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-V

Course Name: International Law: Introduction and Laws of Peace

Course No. – POL 513
Contact Hrs: 60

Credits Assigned: 04
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This paper introduces to the student to the realm of laws governing the conduct of independent nation states during times of peace.

Unit-I (10 hrs.)

Meaning, Nature, Scope and Kinds of International Law;
Sources of International Law.

Unit-II (9 hrs.)

Evolution of International Law-New states, Codification of International Law and their role in International Law, Progressive development of International law.

International Transactions- Diplomatic Agents and Immunities with special reference to 1961 and 1962 convention.

Treaties

Unit-III (11 hrs.)

Laws of Peace- Nature of State; Rights and Duties of State; State Responsibility; Recognition -Theories and Process of Recognition including Belligerency and Insurgency), State Succession.

Intervention- Problems of Nationality and Citizenship

Unit-IV (6 hrs.)

State Territory- Acquisition and Loss of Territory;

Unit-V (9 hrs.)

Laws of the Sea and Sea-bed (Maritime Belt, Continental Shelf, Territorial Waters)

Seabed Disputes Resolution;

Piracy;

Extradition

Books Recommended:

Essential Readings:

- *SK Kapur, International Law and Human Rights, Allahabad, Central Law Agency*
- *MP Tandon, Public International Law, Allahabad, Allahabad Law Agency*

Reference Books:

- *Oppenheim, Public International Law*
- *Fenwick, International Law*
- *Hari Hara Das, International Law, New Delhi, National Publishing House*
- *Kelsen, Principles of International Law*

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-V

Course Name: Local Government in India-I

Course No. – POL 514
Contact Hrs: 45

Credits Assigned: 03
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: Local Government and politics in rural and urban India has appreciable salience and centrality in the processes of democratic decentralized governance. The course firstly intends to develop an elementary, historical and conceptual understanding of local government institutions and secondly generates familiarity with the issues of politics involved in managing socio-economic development through these institutions. The 73rd Constitutional Amendment is an important milestone in the movement towards greater rural local autonomy. This paper focuses on the conceptualization and working of rural local government in India.

Unit-I (6 hrs.)

Evolution and the growth of the concept of Local Self-Government in a welfare state-

Rural;

Significance of 73rd amendment

Unit-II (8 hrs.)

Organization of Rural Local Government - Structures: Gram Sabha-Powers and Functions

Unit-III (10 hrs.)

Organization of Rural Local Government - Structures: Panchayat Samiti, Zila Parishad-Composition, Powers and Functions

Unit-IV (10 hrs.)

Control over Rural Local Government; Finances of Rural Local Government

Unit-V (9 hrs.)

Personnel of Rural Local Government - Village level worker, Secretary Panchayat;

Role of Collector

Books Recommended:

Essential Readings:

- *SR Maheshwari , Local Government in India, Agra, Lakshmi Narain Agarwal*

- *Ashok Sharma, Local Government in India (Hindi)*

Reference Books:

- *Shalini Rajneesh and SK Goel, Panchayati Raj in India: Theory and Practice, New Delhi, Deep and Deep Publications*
- *V Sudhakar, New Panchayati Raj System, Jaipur, Mangaldeep Publications*

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-V

Course Name: Project

Course No. – POL 515
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Credits Assigned: 02

Course Rationale:

- To acquaint the students with research methodology
- To orient the students to the techniques of documentation

This paper requires two hours of self study outside the class so as to acquaint them with the techniques of Data/ Information collection and Data/Information analysis so as to arrive at valid conclusions.

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-VI

Course Name: Representative Political Thinkers

Course No. – POL 611
Contact Hrs: 45

Credits Assigned: 03
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This paper studies the Political Thought from Bentham to Marx as well as Lenin and Mao. The course intends to generate a critical awareness about the traditions of political thought in the West as well as the East.

Unit-I (10 hrs.)

Jeremy Bentham (Utilitarianism; Theory of Punishment , State and Government & Prison reforms)

J.S. Mill (Revision of Benthamite Utilitarianism, Concept of Liberty, Representative Democracy)

Unit-II (10 hrs.)

Karl Marx (Concept of Dialectics, Historical Materialism, Economic interpretation of society and State, Revolution)

Unit-III (10 hrs.)

V.I. Lenin (with reference to changes introduced into Marxism, theory of party organization and Theory of Imperialism)

Mao Zedong (Theory of communism & Cultural Revolution,)

Unit-IV (5 hrs.)

John Rawls (Theory of Justice)

Unit-V (10 hrs.)

Harold Laski (On state & sovereignty, Federalism, concept of rights, liberty & property)

Books Recommended:

Essential Readings:

- *CL Wayper, Political Thought, Mac Milan, 1995*
- *GH Sabine, History of Political Theory, Oxford and IBH Publishing Co. Pvt. Ltd., 1997*
- *JP Suda, History of Political Thought: (Vol.II & III), Meerut, K. Nath & Co.*
- *JC Johri, Political Thought: Modern and Recent, New Delhi, Metropolitan*

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- *Subrata Mukherjee, History of Political Thought: Plato to Marx, Delhi, Prentice Hall of India, 2003*
- *EM Froster, Masters of Political Thought*
- *Maxey, Political Philosophies*
- *M. Meisner, Marxism, Maoism and Utopianism, The Socialist Register*
- *Mao Zedong, Selected Works (3 Vols.), Beijing, Foreign Languages Press*
- *S. Schram, The Political Thought of Mao-Tse-Tung, New York, Praeger*

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-VI

Course Name: United Nations

Course No. – POL 612
Contact Hrs: 60

Credits Assigned: 04
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This paper focuses on the structure, composition and role (political and non-political) of United Nations and acquaints the students with the importance of this international organization in the politics of yesteryears as well as its relevance in the contemporary times.

Unit-I (9 hrs.)

Formation of the UN System- An overview.

The General Assembly- Structure, Role and Functions.

Unit-II (9 hrs.)

Security Council- Powers and Functions with special reference to Veto Power; Role in Peace-keeping.

Unit-III (10 hrs.)

The Secretary- General - Role and Functions; Maintenance of International peace and security.

Unit-IV (8 hrs.)

India and WTO, IMF, IBRD and ADB

Unit-V (9 hrs.)

India and the UNO, India and NAM.

India and the Regional Organizations- ASEAN, APEC and NAFTA

Books Recommended:

Essential Readings:

- *Rumki Basu, The United Nations, Structure and Functions of an International Organization, New Delhi, Sterling Publishers Pvt. Ltd., 2004*
- *Ramcharit, United Nations and World Politics, Kanishka Publishers, 1998*
- *Kayathwal, The United Nations: Retrospect and Prospect, Jaipur, Pointer Publishers, 1998.*

Reference Books:

- *Peter Baehr and Leon Gordenker, United Nations in the 1990s*
- *Evan Luard, A History of UN*
- *MG Nicholas, The UN as a Political Institution*
- *William H. Lewis, The Security Role of the United Nations*
- *A.Appadorai, India in World Affairs 1957-58, New Delhi. 1975.*
- *Sumit Ganguly, Origins of War in South Asia, Boulder Publisher, 1986.*

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-VI

Course Name: International Law: Laws of War and Neutrality

Course No. – POL 613
Contact Hrs: 60

Credits Assigned: 04
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This paper orients the students with the laws governing the conduct of independent nation states during times of war.

Unit-I (8 hrs.)

Laws of Air and Outer Space;

Settlement of International Disputes- Role of UN and International Court of Justice

Unit-II (8 hrs.)

Laws of War- Meaning, features and Declaration of War; Belligerents; Combatants and Non-Combatants; Effects of War

Unit-III (12 hrs.)

Laws of Land Warfare;

Laws of Maritime Warfare;

Laws of Ariel Warfare

Unit-IV (8 hrs.)

War Crimes; Genocide; Prize Courts

Termination of War

Unit-V (9 hrs.)

Laws of Neutrality-Concept; Rights and Duties of Neutrals;

Right of Angary; Contrabands; Blockade; Unneutral Service

Essential Readings:

- *SK Kapur, International Law and Human Rights, Allahabad, Central Law Agency*
- *MP Tandon, Public International Law, Allahabad, Allahabad Law Agency*

Reference Books:

- *Oppenheim, Public International Law*
- *Fenwick, International Law*
- *Hari Hara Das, International Law, New Delhi, National Publishing House*
- *Kelsen, Principles of International Law*

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-VI

Course Name: Local Government in India-II

Course No. – POL 614
Contact Hrs: 45

Credits Assigned: 03
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Course Rationale: This paper focuses on the conceptualization and working of urban local government in India. Local Government and politics in urban India has an appreciable say in the processes of democratic decentralized governance. The course intends to generate familiarity with the issues of politics involved in managing socio-economic development through urban local institutions. The paper also deals with the 74th Constitutional Amendment as an important milestone in the movement towards greater urban local autonomy.

Unit-I (12 hrs.)

The concept of Local Government in a welfare state
Patterns of Urban Local Government -Composition, Structures & Powers

Unit-II (9 hrs.)

74th Amendment and Urban Local Government

Unit-III (10 hrs.)

Urban Local Finances

Unit-IV (8 hrs.)

Personnel Administration

Unit-V (6 hrs.)

State Control over these bodies

Books Recommended:

Essential Readings:

- *SR Maheshwari, Local Government in India, Agra, Lakshmi Narain Agarwal*
- *Ashok Sharma, Local Government in India (Hindi)*

Reference Books:

- *SS Dhaliwal, Municipal Administration, New Delhi, Deep and Deep Publications*
- *VB Singh, Urban Local Government, Jaipur, Rawat Publications*
- *Mohit Bhattacharya, Municipal Government in India*
- *A Avasthi, Municipal Government and Administration in India*

Political Science (Honours)
Semester-VI

Course Name: Project

Course No. – POL 615
Max. Marks: 100 (30 CA + 70 SE)

Credits Assigned: 02

Course Rationale:

- To acquaint the students with research methodology
- To orient the students to the techniques of documentation

This paper requires two hours of self study outside the class so as to acquaint them with the techniques of Data/ Information collection and Data/Information analysis so as to arrive at valid conclusions.

