

| SUBJECT: POLITICAL SCIENCE(B.A.) | |
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| <p>PROGRAMME OUTCOMES (POs)</p> <p>BA (POL.SC)</p> | <p>PO1. Provide a strong foundation in political theories, ideologies, and systems.</p> <p>PO2. Enhance understanding of political institutions, processes, and governance.</p> <p>PO3. Develop critical thinking and analytical skills for evaluating political issues.</p> <p>PO4. Increase awareness of current political events and challenges.</p> <p>PO5. Prepare students for active civic engagement and careers in public service.</p> <p>PO6. Build research skills for independent political analysis and scholarly work.</p> <p>PO7. Foster knowledge of comparative politics and international relations.</p> <p>PO8. Cultivating among students a scientific temper, tolerance etc., through the learning experience and undertaking a comparative analysis of the global socio-political and cultural phenomena.</p> <p>PO9. Equipping with research-based skills for pursuing advanced research by applying critical thinking and analytical learning.</p> <p>PO10. Developing problem-solving capabilities to deal with various socio-economic, cultural, and political challenges.</p> |
| <p>PROGRAMME SPECIFIC OUTCOMES (PSOs)</p> | <p>PSO 1. The students will be able to acquire in depth knowledge, and develop a broad understanding on the core subject of political science.</p> <p>PSO 2. The students will be enabled for professing a career on the subject of political science or civil service.</p> <p>PSO 3. The students will be able to distinguish between theoretical discourse and practical knowledge.</p> <p>PSO 4. The students will be motivated to go for higher studies and to conduct advanced research after equipping them with research skills, critical thinking and analytical understanding.</p> <p>PSO 5. The students will be aware of the social , economic and political scenario of the contemporary world, and also enable them to do a comparative analysis of the global north with global south.</p> |

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| <p>Core Paper I</p> <p>Understanding Political Theory</p> | <p>CO 1. Define and distinguish concepts like politics and political, and various approaches to study political theory.</p> <p>CO 2. Critically assess different perspectives in political theory viz., feminism, modernism and postmodernism and their impacts upon the society.</p> <p>CO 3. Consider whether procedural or substantive notion of democracy is more vital for the society.</p> <p>CO 4. Analyze the significance of people’s participation and representation in a democracy.</p> |
| <p>Core Paper II</p> <p>Constitutional Government And Democracy In India</p> | <p>CO 1. Define the ideals of constitution and constitutionalism, and their necessity in a democratic polity.</p> <p>CO 2. Trace the areas in which both the Centre and States can keep a co-ordination for their mutual benefits.</p> <p>CO 3. Identify the prevailing issues and challenges in India’s federal structure.</p> <p>CO 4. Demonstrate the essence of decentralization in the administration.</p> |
| <p>Core Paper III</p> <p>Political Theory- Concepts And Debates</p> | <p>CO 1. Applying the normative concepts of political theory like freedom, right, equality and justice in their normal course of lives.</p> <p>CO 2. Discussing the idea of three generations of rights and its implication on the lives of the individuals.</p> <p>CO 3. Explaining the need for affirmative action in the society.</p> <p>CO 4. Evaluate the essence of multiculturalism in the contemporary world.</p> |
| <p>Core Paper IV</p> <p>Political Process In India</p> | <p>CO 1. Analyze how the actual politics in India quite diverges from constitutional and legal rules.</p> <p>CO 2. Examine the voting behaviour of the electorates through the techniques of castes, class, gender and religion.</p> <p>CO 3. Distinguish the space between the politicization of caste and caste-cization of politics, and their mutual interaction.</p> <p>CO 4. Spell out the developmental, welfare, and coercive dimensions of the Indian state.</p> |

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| <p>Core Paper V</p> <p>Introduction To Comparative Government And Politics</p> | <p>CO 1. Understand different approaches to the study of comparative politics.</p> <p>CO 2. Explain globalization in a holistic manner that impacts the developed and developing countries.</p> <p>CO 3. Critically analyze the growth or development of capitalism and socialism in Global Politics.</p> <p>CO 4. Compare and contrast the governmental structures of United States and China.</p> |
| <p>Core Paper VI</p> <p>Introduction To Public Administration</p> | <p>CO 1. Explain the public administration with a special emphasis on various classical and contemporary theories viz., Scientific Management, Administrative Management, Human Relations Theory, Rational Decision Making and so on.</p> <p>CO 2. Design, formulate and execute public policies; and list out various challenges in the process of their implementation.</p> <p>CO 3. Analyse the impact of greater democratization on public administration.</p> <p>CO 4. Apply the feminist perspective in governance.</p> |
| <p>Core Paper VII</p> <p>Perspectives On International Relations</p> | <p>CO 1. Assess the nature of globalization and its alternative perspectives.</p> <p>CO 2. Analyse the dynamic nature of the world economy, and the interaction between state and various transnational actors.</p> <p>CO 3. Critically examine some of the imperative global issues like nuclear proliferation, international terrorism, ecological issues, migration, and human security.</p> <p>CO 4. Assess the shifts in global power and governance.</p> |
| <p>Core Paper VIII</p> <p>Political Processes And Institutions In Comparative Perspective</p> | <p>CO 1. Apply various conceptual tools or approaches to study several issues and events in comparative politics.</p> <p>CO 2. Outline the meaning and procedures of different electoral system.</p> <p>CO 3. Explain the meaning and evolution of nation-state in western Europe, and the debate around the nation and state post-colonial context.</p> <p>CO 4. Analyse the democratic situation in post-colonial societies.</p> |

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| <p>Core Paper IX</p> <p>Public Policy And Administration In India</p> | <p>CO 1. Outline characteristics and models of public policy in India.</p> <p>CO 2. Design and shape public welfare policies and programmes.</p> <p>CO 3. Analyse the issues of decentralization, financial management (budget), administration and social welfare from a non-western point of view.</p> <p>CO 4. Showcase the talent to resolve the public grievances via RTI, Lokpal and E-Governance.</p> |
| <p>Core Paper X</p> <p>Global Politics</p> | <p>CO 1. Assess the nature of globalization and its alternative perspectives.</p> <p>CO 2. Analyse the dynamic nature of the world economy, and the interaction between state and various transnational actors.</p> <p>CO 3. Critically examine some of the imperative global issues like nuclear proliferation, international terrorism, ecological issues, migration, and human security.</p> <p>CO 4. Assess the shifts in global power and governance.</p> |
| <p>Core Paper- XI</p> <p>Western Political Philosophy</p> | <p>CO 1. Trace the Greek antiquity and determine the manner in which political questions were initially posed.</p> <p>CO 2. Elucidate importance of Machiavelli as the forerunner of modern politics.</p> <p>CO 3. Compare the notion of freedom as enunciated by Thomas Hobbes, John Locke and J J Rousseau with the contemporary notion of freedom.</p> <p>CO 4. Apply the ideas of Karl Marx and M. K. Gandhiji on the state into modern politics.</p> |
| <p>Core Paper XII</p> <p>Indian Political Thought (Ancient And Medieval)</p> | <p>CO 1. Elaborate basic elements of Indian political thought.</p> <p>CO 2. Explain the VedVyasa's concept of Rajadharma and its significance.</p> <p>CO 3. Critically assess the relevance of Manu's social laws in present context.</p> <p>CO 4. Compare and contrast the ideas of Kautilya and Machiavelli.</p> |
| <p>Core Paper XIII</p> <p>Contemporary Political Philosophy</p> | <p>CO 1. Draw the interrelationship between philosophy and politics.</p> <p>CO 2. Examine Lenin's ideas of revolution.</p> <p>CO 3. Explain the impact of Gramscian notion of hegemony on contemporary global order.</p> <p>CO 4. Evaluate the notions of procedural justice and substantive justice in reference to the Indian context.</p> |

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| <p>Core Paper XIV</p> <p>Modern Indian Political Thought</p> | <p>CO 1. Ascertain the significance of Raja Rammohan Roy as the man of the renaissance in India.</p> <p>CO 2. Explain Pandita Ramabai's concept of gender and critique of orthodoxy.</p> <p>CO 3. Compare and contrast the ideas of Gandhi and Ambedkar.</p> <p>CO 4. Critically assess Savarkar's conception of Hindutva vis-à-vis Nehruvian secularism.</p> |
| <p>Discipline Specific Elective Paper-I</p> <p>Introduction To Human Rights</p> | <p>CO 1. Develop a broader conception of human rights.</p> <p>CO 2. Spell out the rights as mentioned in Indian and South African constitutions.</p> <p>CO 3. Explain the significance of international refugees' laws and international humanitarian laws.</p> <p>CO 4. Critically assess the humanitarian interventions in the context of the protection of human rights.</p> |
| <p>Discipline Specific Elective Paper -II</p> <p>Development Process And Social Movements In Contemporary India (Project)</p> | <p>CO 1. Assess the developmental process in India since independence.</p> <p>CO 2. Explain the developmental paradigms of India in the era of globalization.</p> <p>CO 3. Create a perception about agricultural development, and list out various causes of the agricultural crisis in India.</p> <p>CO 4. Assess the necessity and constraints of different social movements viz., women's movements, environmental movements, Dalit movements, and tribal movements in a democratic space of India.</p> |
| <p>Discipline Specific Elective Paper- III</p> <p>India's Foreign Policy In A Changing World</p> | <p>CO 1. Elucidate the evolution, major determinants and different phases of India's foreign policy.</p> <p>CO 2. analyse India's growing relationship with the superpowers during the period of cold war, and a dynamic shift in its relations with US in post cold war power structures of international politics.</p> <p>CO 3. Evaluate Sino-Indian relations in the light of mutual interest and mutual benefits.</p> <p>CO 4. Appreciate India as an emerging global power; and assess the challenges and opportunities associated with it.</p> |

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| <p>DSE Paper – IV (Dissertation Research Project)</p> | <p>CO 1. Independently prepare a research design to carry out a research project.</p> <p>CO 2. Review the related research papers to find out a research problem and relevant hypotheses.</p> <p>CO 3. Understand the dynamics of citizen – administrative interface and administrative behaviours.</p> <p>CO 4. Learn the use of statistical techniques for interpretation of data Learn the APA style of reporting a research project.</p> |
| <p>GE-I Feminism: Theory And Practice</p> | <p>CO 1. Distinguish between sex and gender and public man and private woman.</p> <p>CO 2. Examine divergent theories of feminism.</p> <p>CO 3. Explain various policy initiatives carried out by Indian state for the women empowerment.</p> <p>CO 4. Identify the causes of violence against women, and list out the measures to check them.</p> |
| <p>GE-II Governance: Issues And Challenges</p> | <p>CO 1. Decipher the nature and types of governance.</p> <p>CO 2. Analyse the idea of sustainable development vis-à-vis governance.</p> <p>CO 3. Assess the significance of people’s participation and democratic decentralization in the administration.</p> <p>CO 4. Spell out the initiatives for good governance in India.</p> |
| <p>GE- III Gandhi And The Contemporary World</p> | <p>CO 1. Explain the principles of Satyagraha and Ahimsa in Gandhian theory and their role in social and political activism.</p> <p>CO 2. Discuss the concepts of Swaraj and Swadeshi as envisioned by Gandhi and their significance in the Indian independence movement.</p> <p>CO 3. Analyze Gandhi’s perspectives on environmental issues, women’s rights, and social harmony.</p> <p>CO 4. Evaluate the relevance of Gandhian philosophy in promoting global peace and its application in contemporary global contexts.</p> |

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| <p>GE- IV</p> <p>United Nations And Global Conflicts</p> | <p>CO 1. Outline the historical development of the United Nations and its foundational principles and objectives.</p> <p>CO 2. Describe the structures and functions of key UN bodies, including the General Assembly, Security Council, Economic and Social Council, International Court of Justice, and specialized agencies like ILO, UNESCO, WHO, UNICEF, UNDP, and UNHCR.</p> <p>CO 3. Examine the UN's roles in peacekeeping, peacemaking, enforcement, peace building, and the Responsibility to Protect, along with its Millennium Development Goals.</p> <p>CO 4. Analyze major global conflicts since World War II, such as the Korean War, Vietnam War, Afghanistan War, and conflicts in the Balkans (Serbia and Bosnia).</p> <p>CO 5. Evaluate the effectiveness of the United Nations as an international organization, including the need for reforms and the process of implementing those reforms.</p> |
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