

Course Code
BAPS101CCT

Course Title
Political Science: An Introduction

Semester
I

Scheme of Instructions

Total Duration : 90 Hrs
Periods / Week : 6
Credits : 6
Instruction Mode: Lecture

Scheme of Examination

Maximum Marks : 100
Internal Evaluation : 30
End Semester : 70
Exam Duration : 3 Hrs

Course Objectives:

The primary object of this course is to make students familiar with the basic concepts of the Political Science and its relevance in the present situation.

Course Outcomes:

After successful completion of this course, students will be able to:

- Understand the foundational principles of Political Science.
- Learn about the meaning, nature, origin and working of State.
- Apply these concepts in understanding the historical and contemporary political phenomenon.

Unit	Course Content	Instruction Hours
I	INTRODUCTION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Political Science: A General Overview • Political Science: Meaning and Definitions • Political Science: Nature, Scope • Political Science: Importance 	15
II	POLITICAL SCIENCE AND OTHER SOCIAL SCIENCES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Relationship with other Social Sciences: Introduction • Relationship of Political Science with History • Relationship of Political Science with Sociology • Relationship of Political Science with Economics 	15
III	STATE AND ITS ORIGIN <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • State: Meaning and Nature • Elements of the State • Theories of Origin of the State: An overview • Theories of Origin of the State: Social Contract Theories 	15
IV	CLASSIFICATION AND FUNCTIONS OF THE STATE <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Classification of the State • Functions of the State: Classical Perspective • Functions of the State: Modern Liberal Perspective • Functions of the State: Marxist Perspective. 	15
V	CONCEPT AND THEORIES – I <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Citizenship: Concept and Theory • Sovereignty: Meaning, Characteristics and Types • Sovereignty: Monist Theory • Sovereignty: Pluralist Theory 	15
VI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rights: Meaning and Types • Theories of Rights • Theories of Political Obligation • Liberty, Equality and Justice. 	15

Examination and Evaluation Pattern:

- University General Examination rules, 2016-17
- Examination Regulations under Choice Based Credit System, 2016-17.

Text Books and References:

1. Andrew Heywood, *Politics*, 4th Edition (Palgrave Macmillan, 2013).
2. Andrew Heywood, *Political Theory: An Introduction* 4th Edition (Palgrave Macmillan, 2015).
3. Jonathan Wolff, *An Introduction to Political Philosophy* (Oxford, 2006).
4. Sushila Ramaswamy, *Political Theory: Concepts and Ideas*, 2nd Edition (Prentice-Hall, 2014).
5. O.P. Gauba, *An Introduction to Political Theory* (Mayur, 2017).
6. John Hoffman and Paul Graham, *Introduction to Political Theory* (Routledge, 2015).
7. Abdul Quayum, *Siyasi Phalsafa* (Nisab, 2009).

Course Code	Course Title	Semester
BAPS201CCT	Comparative Government and Politics	II

Scheme of Instructions

Total Duration	: 90 Hrs
Periods / Week	: 6
Credits	: 6
Instruction Mode:	Lecture

Scheme of Examination

Maximum Marks	: 100
Internal Evaluation	: 30
End Semester	: 70
Exam Duration	: 3 Hrs

Course Objectives:

This paper aims to provide students a general overview of the political institution of the various countries and their Constitutions.

Course Outcomes:

- Careful comparison of political systems produces useful knowledge about the policies countries has effectively initiated to address problems.
- By comparing the political institutions and practices of wealthy and poor countries, students can begin to understand the political consequences of economic wellbeing

Unit	Course Content	Instruction Hours
I	INTRODUCTION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comparative Government and Politics: Meaning, Nature and Scope • Importance of Comparative Government and Politics • Traditional Approaches • Modern Approaches 	15
II	FORMS OF GOVERNMENT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction: Different forms of Government • Unitary Government • Federal Government • Parliamentary and Presidential Government 	15
III	BRANCHES OF THE GOVERNMENT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction: Branches of the Government • Legislature • Executive • Judiciary 	15
IV	PARTY SYSTEM AND POLITICAL PROCESSES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Political Parties: Meaning and Nature • Classification of Political Parties • Functions of National Political Parties • Functions of Regional Political Parties 	15
V	ELECTION AND REPRESENTATION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Electoral System: Meaning and Nature • Methods of Representations • Elections and its Determinants • Role of Election Commission 	15
VI	CASE STUDY <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • India • United Kingdom • USA • Switzerland 	15

Examination and Evaluation Pattern:

- University General Examination rules, 2016-17
- Examination Regulations under Choice Based Credit System, 2016-17.

Text Books and References:

1. G. Almond G, *Comparative Political Today: A World View* (Harper and Collins, 2000)
2. J. Blond, *An Introduction to Comparative Government*, (Weidens and Nicholson, 1980).
3. Eddy Asirvatham and KK. Mishra, *Political Theory* (S.Chand, 2012).
4. M. Kamrava, *Understanding Comparative Politics: A Framework of Analysis* (Routledge, 2003).
5. Abdul Quayum, *Taqaubli Siyasat* (Nisaab, 2012).
6. Abdul Quayum, *Taqaubli Hukumatn*, (Nisaab, 2014)

Course Code
BAPS301CCT

Course Title
Political Thought

Semester
III

Scheme of Instructions

Total Duration : 90 Hrs
Periods / Week : 6
Credits : 6
Instruction Mode: Lecture

Scheme of Examination

Maximum Marks : 100
Internal Evaluation : 30
End Semester : 70
Exam Duration : 3 Hrs

Course Objectives:

The object of this course is to introduce the students to the political concepts and ideas developed by Greek, Western, Islamic and Indian thinkers.

Course Outcomes:

After successful completion of this course, students will be able to:

- Learn about the key political ideas developed by Greek, Western, Islamic and Indian thinkers.
- Understand the strengths and weaknesses of various philosophical approaches in order to gain a critical perspective on their own.
- Assess the applicability and relevance of ancient political theory to contemporary political thought and political practice.

Unit	Course Content	Instruction Hours
I	CLASSICAL POLITICAL THOUGHT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Political Thought: Introduction • Political Thought: Meaning and Nature • Distinction between Political Theory, Political Thought and Political Philosophy • Importance of Political Thought in Contemporary Times 	15
II	GREEK POLITICAL THOUGHT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Characteristics of Greek Political Thought • Plato: Ideal State, Justice and Education • Aristotle: Classification of Government, Revolution and Slavery. • Greek Political Thought Final Assessment 	15
III	MEDIEVAL POLITICAL THOUGHT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Characteristics of Medieval Political Thought • Al Beruni: Historicity of Religion and Society • St. Thomas Aquinas: Papal Supremacy and Classification of Law • Ibn Khaldun: State and Society 	15
IV	MODERN WESTERN POLITICAL THOUGHT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Niccolo Machiavelli: Human Nature and State • Thomas Hobbes: Social Contract • John Locke :Social Contract • Jean Jacques Rousseau: Social Contract 	15
V	MODERN POLITICAL THOUGHT - II <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • John Stuart Mill: Liberty • Karl Mark: Dialectical and Historical Materialism • Key Aspects of Modern Political Thought • Modern Western Political Thought: Final Assessment 	15
VI	INDIAN POLITICAL THOUGHT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. B.R. Ambedkar • Mahatma Gandhi • Maulana Abul Kalam Azad • Key aspects of Indian Political Thought 	15

Examination and Evaluation Pattern:

- University General Examination rules, 2016-17
- Examination Regulations under Choice Based Credit System, 2016-17.

Text Books and References:

1. Ian Adams and R.W. Dyson, *Fifty Major Political Thinkers* (Routledge, 2007).
2. Jonathan Wolff - *An Introduction to Political Philosophy* (Oxford, 2007).
3. A.R. Murry, *An Introduction to Political Philosophy* (Routledge and Kegan, 2010).
4. Antony Black, *The History of Islamic Political Thought* (Edinburg, 2011).
5. Abdul Quayum, *Siyasi Phalsafa*, (Nisab, 2009).
6. Hashim Qidwai, *Europe Ke Azeem Siyasi Mufakkareen* (Taraqqi Urdu Board).
7. Mohd. Mujeeb, *Tareeq Phasafa Siyasiyat* (Taraqqi Urdu Board)

Course Code BAPS401CCT	Course Title Indian Government and Politics	Semester IV
Scheme of Instructions		Scheme of Examination
Total Duration : 90 Hrs		Maximum Marks : 100
Periods / Week : 6		Internal Evaluation : 30
Credits : 6		End Semester : 70
Instruction Mode: Lecture		Exam Duration : 3 Hrs

Course Objectives:

This course offers the students an overview of the Indian political system, its constitutional foundation and the working of governmental institutions like Executive, Legislature and Judiciary.

Course Outcomes:

Upon successful completion of this course, the student will be able to:

- Understand the foundations and bases of Indian government including the Constitution of India.
- Understand the working of the various governmental institutions including executive, legislature, and judiciary.
- Evaluate the various aspects of Indian political system including political parties, public opinion, elections, caste and communalism.

Unit	Course Content	Instruction Hours
I	INTRODUCTION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Importance of Constitution • Making of Indian Constitution • Salient Features of Indian Constitution • Preamble 	15
II	RIGHTS, DUTIES AND DIRECTIVE PRINCIPLES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rights and Duties : Introduction • Fundamental Rights • Fundamental Duties • Directive Principles of State Policy 	15
III	INDIAN LEGISLATURE <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Role of Legislature in Democracy • Indian Legislature: An Overview • Lok Sabha: Composition, Power and Functions • Rajya Sabha: Composition, Power and Functions 	15
IV	INDIAN EXECUTIVE <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Role of Executive in Democracy • Indian Executive: An Overview • President: Role, Power and Functions • Prime Minister: Role, Power and Functions 	15
V	INDIAN JUDICIARY <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Role of Judiciary in Democracy • Indian Judiciary: An Overview • Supreme Court: Composition and Jurisdiction • Judicial Review and Activism 	15
VI	POLITICAL INSTITUTIONS AND ISSUES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Political Parties: Role, Functions and Types • Centre-State Relations • Caste • Communalism 	15

Examination and Evaluation Pattern:

- University General Examination rules, 2016-17
- Examination Regulations under Choice Based Credit System, 2016-17.

Text Books and References:

1. K.K. Ghai, *Indian Government and Politics* (Sage, 2016)
2. D.D. Basu, *Introduction to the Constitution of India* (Prentice Hall, 2015)
3. M.V. Pylee, *Introduction to the Constitution of India* (Viksh, 2009)
4. B.L. Fadia, *Indian Government and Politics* (Sahitya Bhawan, 2016)
5. Sujit Choudhry, I. Michael Heyman, Madhav Khosla and Pratap Bhanu Mehta, Eds., *The Oxford Handbook of the Indian Constitution* (Oxford, 2016)
6. Abdul Quayum, *Hindustan ki Huqumat aur Siyasat* (Nisaab, 2011)
7. Abdul Quayum (2011) *Hindustan ki Huqumat aur Siyasat*, Hyderabad: Nisaab Publications

Course Code
BAPS501DST

Course Title
International Relations

Semester
V

Scheme of Instructions

Total Duration : 90 Hrs
Periods / Week : 6
Credits : 6
Instruction Mode: Lecture

Scheme of Examination

Maximum Marks : 100
Internal Evaluation : 30
End Semester : 70
Exam Duration : 3 Hrs

Course Objectives:

This is an introductory course which aims to provide students an understanding of the basic concepts of world politics and a sampling of various approaches and theories of International Relations.

Course Outcomes:

After going through this course students will be able to:

- Understand the key concepts and theories of International Relations.
- Think systematically on the historical wars and conflicts like World Wars and Cold war.
- Evaluate contemporary issues in International politics.

Unit	Course Content	Instruction Hours
I	INTRODUCTION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Key Characteristics of Modern International System • International Relations: An Overview • International Relations: Meaning and Nature • International Relations: Scope and Importance 	15
II	THEORIES OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Realism • Neo-realism • Liberalism and its variants • Marxian Perspective 	15
III	CONCEPTS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Power: Meaning, Elements and Limitations • Balance of Power • Collective Security • Comparison of Balance of Power and Collective Security 	15
IV	WAR AND CONFLICTS- I <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • War and International Relation: Introduction • World War I: Causes and Consequences • World War II: Causes and Consequences • War of International Relations: Final Assessment 	15
V	WAR AND CONFLICTS- II <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cold War • End of Cold War • Cold War: Impact on Global Politics • Disarmament 	15
VI	INSTITUTIONS AND ORGANISATIONS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • United Nations Organisation • European Union • South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation. • Role of International Organization in World Politics 	15

Examination and Evaluation Pattern:

- University General Examination rules, 2016-17
- Examination Regulations under Choice Based Credit System, 2016-17.

Text Books and References:

1. John Baylis, Steve Smith and Patricia Owens, *The Globalisation of World Politics* (Oxford, 2011).
2. Keith L. Shimko, *International Relations*, 4th Edition (Houghton Mifflin Company, 2012).
3. Joshua S. Goldstein and Jon C. Pevehouse, *International Relations*, 11th Ed. (Pearson, 2016).
4. Joseph S. Nye, *Understanding International Conflicts*, 6th Ed., (Longman, 2007).
5. Richard W. Mansbach and Kirsten L. Rafferty, *Introduction to Global Politics*, 2nd Ed (Routledge, 2011).
6. Abdul Qayoom, *Bainul-Aqwaami Taaluqaat* (Nisaab Publishers, 2005)

Course Code
BAPS502DST

Course Title
Human Rights

Semester
V

Scheme of Instructions

Total Duration : 90 Hrs
Periods / Week : 6
Credits : 6
Instruction Mode: Lecture

Scheme of Examination

Maximum Marks : 100
Internal Evaluation : 30
End Semester : 70
Exam Duration : 3 Hrs

Course Objectives:

This course aims to provide the conceptual underpinnings of human rights with a focus on understanding contemporary human rights issues relating to caste, classes, religion, ethnicity, gender development and others

Course Outcomes:

After going through this course students will be able to:

- Identify issues and problems relating to the realisation of human rights, and strengthens the ability to contribute to the resolution of human rights issues and problems.
- Develops investigative and analytical skills pertaining to human rights

Unit	Course Content	Instruction Hours
I	FOUNDATIONAL ASPECTS OF HUMAN RIGHTS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Human Rights: Meaning, Nature • Human Rights: Evolution • Philosophical Foundation of Human Rights • Legal Foundation of Human Rights 	15
II	CLASSIFICATION OF HUMAN RIGHTS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Civil and Political Rights • Economic Rights • Social and Cultural Rights • Right to Self Determination 	15
III	THEORIES OF RIGHTS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Theories of Rights : Importance • Liberal Theory of Rights • Marxist Theory of Rights • Contemporary Theory of Rights 	15
IV	ENFORCEMENT MECHANISM -I <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Importance of Enforcement Mechanism • Judiciary • NGOs • Media 	15
V	ENFORCEMENT MECHANISM -II <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Universal Declaration of Human Rights (UDHR) • National Human Rights Commission (NHRC) • State Human Rights Commission • Enforcement Mechanism: Final Assessment 	15
VI	ISSUES AND PROBLEMS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Caste • Class Conflict • Communal Violence • Terrorism 	15

Examination and Evaluation Pattern:

- University General Examination rules, 2016-17
- Examination Regulations under Choice Based Credit System, 2016-17.

Text Books and References:

1. Amartya Sen, *Idea of Justice* (Penguin, 2009).
2. Upendra Baxi, *The Future of Human Rights* (Oxford, 2002).
3. Waldron Germy, *Theories of Rights* (Oxford, 1984)
4. Ronald Dworkin, *Taking Rights Seriously* (Duckworth, 1978)
5. Will Kymlika, *Rights of Minority Culture* (Clarendon, 1995).
6. Michael Freeman, *Human Rights: An Interdisciplinary Approach* (Oxford Polity, 1992).
7. Gurpreeth Mahajan, *Democracy, Differences and Social Justice* (Oxford, 1998).

Course Code**BAPS601DST****Course Title****Public Administration****Semester****VI****Scheme of Instructions**

Total Duration : 90 Hrs
 Periods / Week : 6
 Credits : 6
 Instruction Mode: Lecture

Scheme of Examination

Maximum Marks : 100
 Internal Evaluation : 30
 End Semester : 70
 Exam Duration : 3 Hrs

Course Objectives:

This course aims to provide students the key concepts and ideas of Public Administration.

Course Outcomes:

After successful completion of this course, students will be able to:

- Understand basic and important concepts of public administration
- Develop their own perspectives on the issues of Public Administration
- Apply acquainted administrative and management skills in their professional and day to day life

Unit	Course Content	Instruction Hours
I	INTRODUCTION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public Administration: Meaning and Definition • Public Administration: Nature and Scope • Public Administration: Importance • Public Administration and other Social Sciences 	15
II	PUBLIC AND PRIVATE ADMINISTRATION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public Administration: An overview • Public Administration: Evolution • New Public Administration • Public Administration and Private Administration 	15
III	BASIC CONCEPTS OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Organisation: Meaning and Nature • Formal Organisation • Informal Organisation • Bases of Organisation 	15
IV	PRICIPLES OF ORGANISATION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hierarchy and Span of Control • Unity of Command and Coordination • Delegation • Centralisation and Decentralisation 	15
V	STRUCTURES OF ADMINISTRATION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chief Executive: Types Functions and Role • Line, Staff and Auxiliary Agencies • Public Corporation, • Department and Board 	15
VI	CONTROL OVER ADMINISTRATION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Control over Administration: An Overview • Legislative Control • Executive Control • Judicial Control 	15

Examination and Evaluation Pattern:

- University General Examination rules, 2016-17
- Examination Regulations under Choice Based Credit System, 2016-17.

Text Books and References:

1. L.D. White, *Introduction to the Study of Public Administration* (Mac Millan, 1955)
2. Mohit Bhattacharya, *New Horizons of Public Administration* (Jawahar, 2008).
3. Mohit Bhattacharya, *Public Administration* (Jawahar, 1996).
4. Rumki Basu, *Public Administration: Concepts and Theories* (Sterling, 1996).
5. A. Avasthi and S.R. Maheshwari, *Public Administration* (Laxmi Narain, 2003).
6. B.L. Fadia and K.L. Fadia, *Public Administration* (Sahitya Bhavan, 2017).
7. Abdul Qayum, (2000) *Nazmo Nusq*, Hyderabad: Nisaab Publishers

Course Code
BAPS602DST

Course Title
State and Civil Society

Semester
VI

Scheme of Instructions

Total Duration : 90 Hrs
Periods / Week : 6
Credits : 6
Instruction Mode: Lecture

Scheme of Examination

Maximum Marks : 100
Internal Evaluation : 30
End Semester : 70
Exam Duration : 3 Hrs

Course Objectives:

This course aims to teach how civil society interacts with various social institutions and processes

Course Outcomes:

On the completion of this course the students will be able to:

- Understand different approaches to civil society, State and the relationship between these two concepts
- Understand impact of civil society in the democratic form of government
- Understand how civil society interacts with other social institutions such as the state, religion and gender in society

Unit	Course Content	Instruction Hours
I	INTRODUCTION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Civil Society: Meaning, Nature • Civil Society: Scope • Pressure Group • Public Opinion 	15
II	CIVIL SOCIETY AND STATE <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diverse Perspective of State • NGOs • Media • Relation between Civil Society and State 	15
III	GLOBALIZATION AND HUMAN RIGHTS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Globalization: Meaning • Dynamics of Globalization • Development and Dependency • Social Impact of Liberalization 	15
IV	SOCIAL ISSUES AND POLITICAL CHALLENGES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Issues of Social Inequalities • Issues of Religious minorities • Issues of Tribal • Issues of Dalits 	15
V	SOCIAL MOVEMENT AND CIVIL SOCIETY <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social Movement: Meaning • Peasant Movements • Dalit Movements • Environmental Movements 	15
VI	CIVIL SOCIETY MOVEMENT IN INDIA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Human Right Movement • New Social Movement • Subaltern Movement • Social Movement: Final Assessment 	15

Examination and Evaluation Pattern:

- University General Examination rules, 2016-17
- Examination Regulations under Choice Based Credit System, 2016-17.

Text Books and References:

1. Amrita Basu and Kohli, *Community Conflict and the State in India* (Oxford, 1998).
2. Rumki Basu, *Globalization and Changing Role of State* (Sterling, 2000).
3. Andre Beitle, *Civil Society and its Institution in his Antinomies of Society* (Oxford, 2000).
4. Michael Freeman, *Human Rights*, (Polity, 2011).
5. Atul Kohali, *The Success of India's Democracy* (Cambridge, 2001).
6. M.S.A. Rao, *Social Movements in India* (Manohar, 2000).
7. Ghansayam Shah, *Social Movements in India* (Sage, 2004).

Course Code	Course Title	Semester
UGPS501GET	Fundamentals of Political Science	V
Scheme of Instructions		Scheme of Examination
Total Duration : 90 Hrs		Maximum Marks : 100
Periods / Week : 6		Internal Evaluation : 30
Credits : 6		End Semester : 70
Instruction Mode: Lecture		Exam Duration : 3 Hrs

Course Objectives:

The central object of this course is to provide a general overview of Political Science and its conceptual foundations along with its practical dimension.

Course Outcomes:

At the end of this course, students will be able to:

- Understand the nature of Political Science as a separate academic discipline and its practical dimensions.
- Understand the fundamental theories, ideological traditions, concepts and terminologies associated with the discipline of Political Science.
- Articulate their own positions in a clear, coherent and logical manner concerning the theories and concepts covered in this course.

Unit	Course Content	Instruction Hours
I	INTRODUCTION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Political Science: Meaning • Significance of Political Science • Relation of Political Science with History • Relation of Political Science with Philosophy 	15
II	STATE, SOVEREIGNTY AND CITIZENSHIP <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • State, Nation and Society: Meaning and Nature • Sovereignty: Meaning and its Kinds • Citizenship: Definition • Citizenship: Types 	15
III	FORMS OF GOVERNMENT: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Democracy and Dictatorship • Parliamentary and Presidential Government • Unitary and Federal Government • Forms of Government Final Assessment 	15
IV	BASIC CONCEPTS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Philosophical Foundation of Basic Concepts • Liberty • Equality • Justice 	15
V	RIGHTS AND DUTIES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Power • Rights and Duties • Political Obligation • Importance of Rights and Duties 	15
VI	POLITICAL IDEOLOGIES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Role of Political Ideologies • Liberalism • Socialism • Fascism 	15

Examination and Evaluation Pattern:

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Text Books and References:

1. Andrew Heywood, *Politics*, 4th Edition (Palgrave Macmillan, 2013).
2. Andrew Heywood, *Political Theory: An Introduction* 4th Edition (Palgrave Macmillan, 2015).
3. Jonathan Wolff, *An Introduction to Political Philosophy* (Oxford, 2006).
4. Sushila Ramaswamy, *Political Theory: Concepts and Ideas*, 2nd Edition (Prentice-Hall, 2014).
5. O.P. Gauba, *An Introduction to Political Theory* (Mayur, 2017).
6. John Hoffman and Paul Graham, *Introduction to Political Theory* (Routledge, 2015).

Course Code
UGPS601GET

Course Title
Introduction to Indian Politics

Semester
VI

Scheme of Instructions

Total Duration : 90 Hrs
Periods / Week : 6
Credits : 6
Instruction Mode: Lecture

Scheme of Examination

Maximum Marks : 100
Internal Evaluation : 30
End Semester : 70
Exam Duration : 3 Hrs

Course Objectives:

This course offers the students an overview of the Indian political system, its constitutional foundation and the working of governmental institutions like Executive, Legislature and Judiciary.

Course Outcomes:

Upon successful completion of this course, the student will be able to:

- Understand the foundations and bases of Indian government including the Constitution of India.
- Understand the working of the various governmental institutions including executive, legislature, and judiciary.
- Evaluate the various aspects of Indian political system including political parties, public opinion, elections, caste and communalism.

Unit	Course Content	Instruction Hours
I	INTRODUCTION <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Importance of Constitution • Making of Indian Constitutions • Salient Features of Indian Constitution • Preamble 	15
II	RIGHTS, DUTIES AND DIRECTIVE PRINCIPLES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rights and Duties: Introduction • Fundamental Right • Fundamental Duties • Directive Principles of State Policy 	15
III	INDIAN LEGISLATURE <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Role of Legislature in Democracy • Indian Legislature: An Overview • Lok Sabha: Composition, Power and Functions • Rajya Sabha: Composition, Power and Functions 	15
IV	INDIAN EXECUTIVE <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Role of Executive in Democracy • Indian Executive: An Overview • President: Role, Power and Functions • Prime Minister: Role, Power and Functions 	15
V	INDIAN JUDICIARY <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Role of Judiciary in Democracy • Indian Judiciary: An Overview • Supreme Court: Composition and Its Jurisdiction • Judicial Review and Judicial Activism 	15
VI	POLITICAL INSTITUTIONS AND ISSUES <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Political Parties: Role, Functions and Types • Centre-State Relations • Caste • Communalism 	15

Examination and Evaluation Pattern:

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3. M.V. Pylee, *Introduction to the Constitution of India* (Viksh, 2009)
4. B.L. Fadia, *Indian Government and Politics* (Sahitya Bhawan, 2016)
5. Sujit Choudhry, I. Michael Heyman, Madhav Khosla and Pratap Bhanu Mehta, Eds. , *The Oxford Handbook of the Indian Constitution* (Oxford, 2016)
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