

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

SYLLABUS 2012-13

B. A I (POLITICAL THEORY)

UNIT NO. I

- 1) Political Theory- Meaning , Nature , Scope & Significance.
- 2) Power,Influence,Authority & Legitimacy.

UNIT NO II

- 1) State- Origin and Development ,Approaches of State
- 2) Sovereignty-Meaning, Austin's Theory of Sovereignty ,Pluralist Theory of Sovereignty.

UNIT NO III

- 1)Citizenship,Rights & Liberty.
- 2)Equality & Justice.

UNIT NO IV

- 1) Democracy
- 2) Development

UNIT NO V

- 1) Concept of Welfare State.
- 2) Theories of Social Change.

B A II .(INDIAN GOVERMENT AND POLITICS)

UNIT NO I

- 1) Making of Indian Constitution and It's Sources
- 2) Basic features of Indian Constitution.

UNIT NO II

- 1) Preamble ,Fundamental Rights Directive Principles of State.
- 2) Union Government President, Parliament,Cabinet
Prime Minister

UNIT NO III

- 1) State Government- Governer, Council of Minister's State
Legislature
- 2) Centre-State Relations.

UNIT NO IV

- 1) Supreme Court, Constitutional Process
- 2) Political Parities

UNIT NO V

- 1) The Election Commission and Electroal Reforms.
- 2) Major issues in Indian Politics.

B A III (COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS)

U.K. ,U.S.A.,SWITZERLAND,CHINA

UNIT NO I

- 1) Comparative Politics- Meaning, Nature,Scope Significance Growth and Method Major Approaches.
- 2) C onstitution and Constitutionalism.

UNIT NO II

- 1) Historical Legacy and Political Tradition.
- 2) Constitutional Structures Executive, Legislature&Judiciary

UNIT NO III

- 1) Political Culture & Socialisation.
- 2) Political Parties & Party System.

UNIT NO IV

- 1)Pressure Groups &Social Movements
- 2)Political Modernization.

UNIT NO V

- 1) State Government and Local Government
- 2) Women and Political Process.

2013-14

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INDIAN GOVERNMENT & POLITICS

UNIT NO I

- 1) The Making of Indian Constitution & Its Sources Brief History of Constitutional Development, Freedom Struggle, Formation of Constituent Assembly of India & Sources of Indian Constitution.
- 2) Basic features of Indian Constitution Outstanding Features of the Constitution of India.

UNIT NO II

- 1) Preamble, Fundamental Rights & Duties The Directives Principles of State Policy- Preamble- Meaning Nature, Objectives, Significance, Kinds & Restrictions.
Fundamental Duties – Meaning, Nature & Significance. Directive Principle of State Policy - Meaning, Nature, Scope Significance & Classification.
- 2) Union Government- President, Vice-President, Parliament, Cabinet & Prime Minister
President- Election, Powers, Function & Position
Vice-President- Power & Function.
Parliament- Composition, Powers, Functions, Amendment Process of Constitution.
Cabinet- Compositions, Powers, Functions & Role.
Prime Minister- Power, Function, Role, Position & Status.

UNIT NO III

- 1) The State Government- Governor, Council of Ministers, Chief Minister & Local Self Government.
Governor- Appointment, Power, Functions, Role & Status.
Council of Ministers- Composition Appointment, Power, Functions & Role.

State Legislature –Composition,Powers,Functions,
Local Self Government- Composition, Functions,Role & Impact of
Women Reservation on Panchayati Raj.

2)Centre State Relation-Distribution of Powers bet'n Center and State
Administrative, Legislative,Financial Relation.

UNIT NO IV

1) Suprem Court, High Court& Right to Information.

Suprem Court –Composition,Powers Function, Role. Judicial Review,
Judicial activism.

High Court- Composition Powers, Functions& Role
Rights to Information-Introduction Nature & Role

1) Political Parties & Pressure Groups

Political Parties- Meaning, Nature ,Significance,Functions & Types.
National & Regional Political Parties.

Pressure Groups-Meaning ,Nature Functions& Types.

UNIT NO V

1) The Election Commission and the Electrol Reforms.

2) Major issues in Indian Politics.

B.A. II 2013-14 Same as 2012-13

B.A. III2013-14 Same as 2012-13

B.A. I 2014-15 Same as 2013-14

B.A.III 2014-15 Same as 2013-14

B.A.I 2015-16 Same as 2013-14

B. A. II 2015-16 Same as 2014-15

B.A. II 2014-15

POLITICAL THEORY AND POLITICAL THINKERS

SECTION I

UNIT NO I

1) Political Theory Meaning, Nature ,Scope & Significance Traditional and Modern Political Theory

2) Power and Authority

Power Meaning, Nature & Types.

Authority- Meaning ,Nature& Types.

UNIT NO. II

1) State &Welfare State

State Meaning ,Nature, Development & Features

Functions of Welfare State

2) Democracy ,Citizenship

Meaning,Scope,Features & Significance

UNIT NO III

1) Rights & Liberty

Rights –Meaning Nature &Types.

Liberty- Meaning Nature &Types.

2) Equality & Justice

Equality- Meaning Nature &Types.

Justice Meaning Nature &Types.

SECTION II

UNIT NO IV

1) Plato

2) Aristotle

UNIT NO. V

1) M. K. Gandhi

2) Dr. B. R. Ambedkar.

B. A. III 2015-16
Comparative Government & Politics
(UK, USA, SWITZERLAND.CHINA.)

UNIT NO I

- 1) Comparative Government & Politics
- 2) Constitution & Constitutionalism

UNIT NO II

- 1) Historical Legacy and Political Tradition.
- 2) Political Culture & Salient Features of Constitution. UK, USA, SWITZERLAND.CHINA.

UNIT NO III

- 1) Legislature Composition, Power & Rights
UK, USA, SWITZERLAND.CHINA.
- 2) Political Parties & Pressure Groups.

UNIT NO IV

- 1) Executive Council- Composition, Power & Rights
- 2) Judiciary—Composition, Function & Rights.

UNIT NO V

- 1) Political Participation-Meaning Nature ,Scope & Factors
Affected on it.
- 2) Women & Political Participation.

2016-17

B. A. I(SEMISTER PATTERN)

I ST SEMISTER

POLITICAL THEORY

UNIT NO I

- 1) Political Theory- Meaning , Nature,Ssope & Significance.
- 2) State Meaning Components, Perspective(Marxist,Liberal)

UNIT NO II

- 1) Power-Meaning, Nature.Kinds & Significance.
- 2) Authority - Meaning, Nature.Kinds & Significance.

UNIT NO III

- 1)Liberty-- Meaning, Nature,Kinds & Significance.
- 2) Equality- Meaning, Nature,Kinds & Significance.

UNIT NO IV

- 1) Rights-Meaning Nature, Kinds-Natural Theory of Rights
Legal Theory of Rights.

II SEMISTER

WESTERN POLITICAL THOUGHTS

UNIT NO I

PLATO

- 1)Ideal State
- 2) Philosopher King
- 3) Theory of Justice.
- 4) Plato's Communism.

UNIT NO II

ARISTOTLE

- 1)Theory of State.
- 2)Classification of State.
- 3)Theory of Revolution.
- 4)Thoughts on Slavery

UNIT NO III

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- 1) Thoughts on Liberty.
- 2) Parliamentary Democracy.
- 3) Thoughts on Property
- 4) Thoughts on Government.

UNIT NO IV

KARL MARK'S

- 1) Dialectical Theory of Materialism.
- 2) Theory of Class Struggle.
- 3) Thoughts on State
- 4) Theory of Surplus Value.

B.A.II 2016-17 Same as 2015-16

B.A.III 2016-17 Same as 2015-16

2017-18 B. A I SEMISTER PATTERN Same as 2016-17

B. A. III 2017-18 Same as 2016-17.

2017-18

B. A. II SEMESTER PATTERN

III SEMESTER

INDIAN GOVERNMENT & POLITICS

UNIT NO I

- 1) Preamble-Nature, Objectives of Constitution of India
- 2) Features of Indian Constitution.

UNIT NO II

- 1) Fundamental Rights.
- 2) Directive Principles of State Policy.

UNIT III

- 1) President.
- 2) Parliament.
- 3) Prime Minister-Powers & Functions.

UNIT NO IV

- 1) Supreme Court.
- 2) Major issues in Indian Politics.

IV SEMESTER

STATE GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS

UNIT NO I

- 1) Center State Relations: Legislative, Administrative & Financial.
- 2) Governor: Powers and Functions and Role.

UNIT NO II

- 1) Legislative Assembly: Composition, Powers & Functions.
- 2) Legislative Council: Composition, Powers & Functions.

UNIT NO III

- 1) Chief Minister: Powers & Functions & Role.

2) High Court : Composition, Powers & Functions.

UNIT NO IV

- 1) 73rd & 74th Constitutional Amendment, Women Reservation & Panchayati Raj.
- 2) Right to Information Nature, Importance & Role.