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B.A (HONOURS) POLITICAL SCIENCE

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LIST OF PAPERS AND COURSES

B.A (HONOURS) POLITICAL SCIENCE

A) CORE COURSE (14)

Semester-I

Understanding Political Theory: Concepts
Constitutional Government in India

Semester - II

Understanding Political Theory: Approaches and Debates
Politics in India: Structures and Processes

Semester-III

Comparative Government and Politics
Perspectives on International Relations
Public Administration: Concepts and Perspectives

Semester -IV

Political Sociology
Global Politics since 1945
Administrations and Public Policy in India

Semester -V

Western Political Thought & Theory I
Indian Political Thought -I

Semester - VI

Western Political Thought & Theory II
Indian Political Thought -II

B. Generic Elective (Interdisciplinary): Any Four

- 1.Nationalism in India
- 2.Contemporary Political Economy
- 3.Feminism: Theory and Practice
- 4.Gandhi and the Contemporary World
- 5.Understanding Ambedkar
- 6.Governance: Issues and Challenges
7. Politics of Globalization
8. United Nations and Global Conflicts





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C. Discipline Specific Elective (DSE): Any Four

1. Citizenship in a Globalizing World
2. Human Rights in a Comparative Perspective
3. Development Process and Social Movements in Contemporary India
4. Public Policy in India
5. Understanding Global Politics
6. India's Foreign Policy in a Globalizing world
7. Gender and Politics
8. Dilemmas in Politics

D. Ability Enhancement (AE Skill Based): Any Two

1. Your Laws, Your Rights
2. Public Opinion and Survey Research
3. Legislative Practices and Procedures
4. Peace and Conflict Resolution

E. Ability Enhancement (Compulsory) Foundation: Two

1. Language-MIL/ENGLISH
2. Environmental Science

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Details of courses of Political Science under B.A (Honors),

Course	Credits
<u>I. Core Course</u>	
(14 Courses X 6Credits)	84
<u>II. Elective Course</u>	
A. Generic Elective/Interdisciplinary (4 Courses X 6 Credits)	24
B. Discipline Specific Elective (4 Courses X 6 Credits)	24
• Optional Dissertation or project work in place of one Discipline Specific Elective paper (6 credits) in 6 th Semester	

III. Ability Enhancement Courses

1. Ability Enhancement Compulsory (2Courses X 2 Credits)	4
English III Communication	
Environmental Science	
2. Ability Enhancement Elective (Skill Based) (2Courses X 2 Credits)	4

Total Credits

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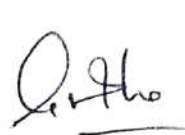

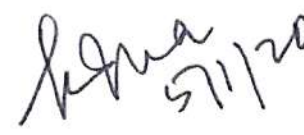
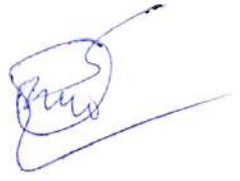
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COURSE CODE		CREDITS
	SEMESTER - I	
	Ability Enhancement (AE) Compulsory	
AE - 1	Language-MIL/ENGLISH	2
POL - 101	Understanding Political Theory: Concepts	5+1
POL - 102	Constitutional Government in India	5+1
	Generic Elective (Interdisciplinary)	
	Any One of the Following course	
POL - 103	Nationalism in India	5+1
POL - 104	Contemporary Political Economy	5+1
	SEMESTER - II	
	Ability Enhancement (AE) Compulsory	
AE - 2	Environmental Science	2
POL - 105	Understanding Political Theory: Approaches and Debates	5+1
POL - 106	Politics in India: Structures and Processes	5+1
	Generic Elective (Interdisciplinary)	
	Any One of the Following course	
POL - 107	Feminism: Theory and Practice	5+1
POL - 108	Gandhi and the Contemporary World	5+1
	SEMESTER -III	
POL - 109	Comparative Government and Politics	5+1
POL - 110	Perspectives on International Relations	5+1
POL - 111	Public Administration: Concepts and Perspectives	5+1
	Generic Elective (Interdisciplinary)	
	Any One of the Following course	
POL - 112	Understanding Ambedkar	5+1
POL - 113	Governance: Issues and Challenges	5+1
	Ability Enhancement (Skill Based)	
	Any one of the following course	
POL - 114	Your Laws, Your Rights	2
POL - 115	Public Opinion and Survey Research	2
	SEMESTER -IV	
POL - 116	Political sociology	5+1

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POL - 117	Global Politics since 1945	5+1
POL - 118	Administration and Public Policy in India	5+1
	Generic Elective (Interdisciplinary)	
	Any One of the Following course	
POL - 119	Politics of Globalization	5+1
POL - 120	United Nations and Global Conflicts	5+1
	Ability Enhancement (Skill Based)	
	Any One of the following course	
POL - 121	Legislative Practices and Procedures	2
POL - 122	Peace and Conflict Resolution	2
	SEMESTER -V	
POL - 123	Western Political Thought & Theory I	5+1
POL - 124	Indian Political Thought -I	5+1
	Discipline Specific Elective- (DSE):	
	Any Two of the Following course	
POL - 125	Citizenship in a Globalizing World	5+1
POL - 126	Human Rights in a Comparative Perspective	5+1
POL - 127	Development Process and Social Movements in Contemporary India	5+1
POL - 128	Public Policy in India	5+1
	SEMESTER -VI	
POL - 129	Western Political Thought & Theory II	5+1
POL - 130	Indian Political Thought -II	5+1
	Discipline Specific Elective- (DSE):	
	Any Two of the Following course	
POL - 131	Understanding Global Politics	5+1
POL - 132	India's Foreign Policy in a Globalizing world	5+1
POL - 133	Gender & Politics	5+1
POL - 134	Dilemmas in Politics	5+1

Semester I

POL-101 Understanding Political Theory: Concepts

Unit- I

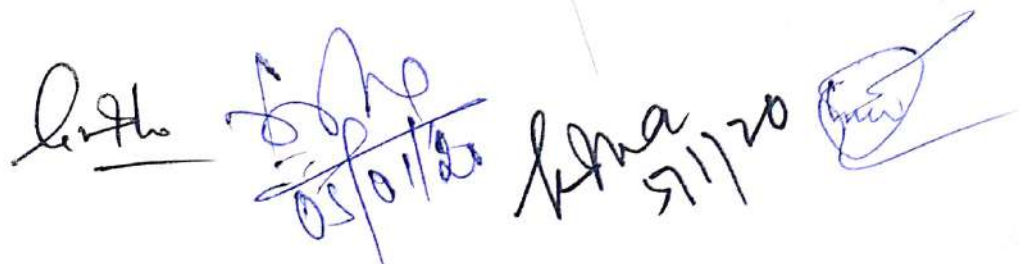
1. Conceptualising politics: meaning of political.
2. Key concepts I: State; Nation; Sovereignty (evolution); Power and Authority--- types and linkages;
3. Key concepts II: Law, Liberty, Equality--- interrelationships.

Unit- II

4. Key concepts III: Rights; Justice (with special reference to Nozick, Rawls); Freedom.
5. Key concepts IV: Democracy (with special reference to David Held); Procedural Democracy, Deliberative Democracy.
6. Key concepts V: Citizenship.

Readings:

- Bhargava, R. (2008) 'What is Political Theory' in Bhargava, R and Acharya, A. (eds.) Political Theory: An Introduction. pp. 2- 16.
- Bellamy, R. (1993) 'Introduction: The Demise and Rise of Political Theory', in Bellamy, R. (ed.) Theories and Concepts of Politics. New York: Manchester University Press, pp. 1-14.
- Glaser, D. (1995) 'Normative Theory', in Marsh, D. and Stoker, G. (eds.) Theory and Methods in Political Science. London: Macmillan, pp. 21-40.
- D. Held: Political Theory Today.
- D. Held: Models of Democracy.
- N. Daniels: Reading Rawls.
- Andrew Heywood: The Basic Political Concepts.
- S. Ramaswamy: Political Theory--- Ideas and Concepts.
- S.P. Verma: Modern Political Theory.
- S. Ball and R. Bellamy: Twentieth Century Political Thought.
- R. Bellamy: Theories and Concepts in Politics: An Introduction.
- C. McKinnan: Issues in Political Theory.
- Menon, Krishna. (2008) 'Justice', in Bhargava, Rajeev and Acharya, Ashok. (eds.) Political Theory: An Introduction, pp. 74- 86.

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Semester-I

POL – 102 Constitutional Government in India

Unit- I

1. Evolution of the Indian Constitution. Role of the Constituent Assembly--- debates (overview). The Preamble.
2. Citizenship. Fundamental Rights and Duties. Directive Principles.
3. Nature of Indian Federalism: Union-State Relations.
4. Union Executive: President, Vice-President: election, position, functions (focus on Emergency Powers), Prime Minister, Council of Ministers, relationship of Prime Minister and President.

Unit- II

5. Union Legislature: Rajya Sabha, Lok Sabha: Organisation, Functions – Lawmaking procedure, Parliamentary procedure, Privileges, Committee system. Speaker.
6. Government in states: Governor, Chief Minister and Council of Ministers: position and functions – State Legislature: composition and functions.
7. Judiciary: Supreme Court and the High Courts: composition and functions – Judicial activism.
8. Constitutional amendment. Major recommendations of National Commission to Review the Working of the Constitution.

Readings:

- Constitution of India: Government of India.
G. Austin: The Indian Constitution.
G. Austin: Working a Democratic Constitution.
S.K. Chaube: The Constituent Assembly--- Springboard of a Revolution (latest edition).
M.V. Pylee: India's Constitution.
S.L. Sikri: Indian Government and Politics.
S.C. Kashyap ed.: Perspectives on the Constitution.
A.G. Noorani: Constitutional Question in India.
G. Austin, (2010) 'The Constituent Assembly: Microcosm in Action', in The Indian Constitution Cornerstone of a Nation, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, 15th print, pp.1-25.
R. Bhargava, (2008) 'Introduction: Outline of a Political Theory of the Indian Constitution'
R. Bhargava (ed.) Politics and Ethics of the Indian Constitution, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 1-40.
D. Basu, (2012) Introduction to the Constitution of India, New Delhi: Lexis Nexis.
S. K. Chaube, (2009) The Making and Working of the Indian Constitution, Delhi: National Book Trust.

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- G. Austin, (2000) 'The Social Revolution and the First Amendment', in Working a Democratic Constitution, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 69-98.
- B. Shankar and V. Rodrigues, (2011) 'The Changing Conception of Representation: Issues, Concerns and Institutions', in The Indian Parliament: A Democracy at Work, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 105-173.
- V. Hewitt and S. Rai, (2010) 'Parliament', in P. Mehta and N. Jayal (eds.) The Oxford Companion to Politics in India, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 28-42.
- J. Manor, (2005) 'The Presidency', in D. Kapur and P. Mehta P. (eds.) Public Institutions in India, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp.105-127.
- J. Manor, (1994) 'The Prime Minister and the President', in B. Dua and J. Manor (eds.) Nehru to the Nineties: The Changing Office of the Prime Minister in India, Vancouver: University of British Columbia Press, pp. 20-47.
- H. Khare, (2003) 'Prime Minister and the Parliament: Redefining Accountability in the Age of Coalition Government', in A. Mehra and G. Kueck (eds.) The Indian Parliament: A Comparative Perspective, New Delhi: Konark, pp. 350-368.
- U. Baxi, (2010) 'The Judiciary as a Resource for Indian Democracy', Seminar, Issue 615, pp. 61-67.
- M. Singh, and R. Saxena (eds.), (2011) 'Towards Greater Federalization,' in Indian Politics: Constitutional Foundations and Institutional Functioning, Delhi: PHI Learning Private Ltd., pp.166-195.
- V. Marwah, (1995) 'Use and Abuse of Emergency Powers: The Indian Experience', in B. Arora and D. Verney (eds.) Multiple Identities in a Single State: Indian Federalism in a Comparative Perspective, Delhi: Konark, pp. 136-159.

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Semester II

POL – 105 Understanding Political Theory: Approaches and Debates

Unit- I

1. Approaches I: Normative; Legal-Institutional; Empirical-Behavioural---Systems Analysis; Structural Functionalism.
2. Approaches II: Liberalism; Social Welfarism; Neo-Liberalism.
3. Approaches III: Postcolonial; Feminist.

Unit- II

4. Marxian approach--- Dialectical Materialism and Historical Materialism.
5. Key ideas: State Class Struggle; Surplus Value; Alienation.
6. Revolution- Characteristic Features, Hegemony and Civil Society: Gramsci.

Readings

- K. Marx and F. Engels: The Communist Manifesto.
V.I. Lenin: The State. John Gray: Liberalism.
David McLellan: The Thought of Karl Marx. David McLellan: Marxism after Marx.
Tom Bottomore ed.: A Dictionary of Marxist Thought.
D. Riaznov ed.: The Communist Manifesto of Marx and Engels. M Cornforth: Dialectical Materialism.
R. Miliband: Marxism and Politics.
Laszek Kolakowski: Main Currents of Marxism (3 volumes).
Ravi Kumar: Contemporary Readings in Marxism.
Kymlicka: Multiculturalism. Marxist Internet Archive: www.marxist.org Gurpreet Mahajan: The Multicultural Path.
R. Young: Postcolonialism: A Very Short Introduction.
Richard Bellamy: Citizenship: A Very Short Introduction.
Margaret Walters: Feminism: A Very Short Introduction.
Arpita Mukhopadhyay: Feminisms

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Semester II

POL - 106 Politics in India: Structures and Processes

Unit- I


1. Party system: features and trends – major national political parties in India: ideologies and programmes. Coalition politics in India: nature and trends. Political parties in Bihar: Overview.
2. Electoral process: Election Commission: composition, functions, role. Electoral reforms.
3. Role of business groups, working class, peasants in Indian politics.

Unit- II

4. Role of :
 - (a) Religion
 - (b) Language
 - (c) Caste
 - (d) Tribe.
5. Regionalism in Indian politics.
6. New Social Movements since the 1970:
 - (a) Environmental movements
 - (b) Women's movements
 - (c) Human rights movements.

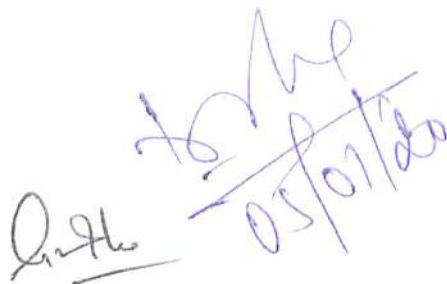
Readings:

- R. Kothari. (2002) 'The Congress System', in Z. Hasan (ed.) Parties and Party Politics in India, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp 39-55.
- E. Sridharan, (2012) 'Introduction Theorizing Democratic Consolidation, Parties and Coalitions', in Coalition Politics and Democratic Consolidation in Asia, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- Y. Yadav and S. Palshikar. (2006) 'Party System and Electoral Politics in the Indian States, 1952-2002: From Hegemony to Convergence', in P. deSouza and E. Sridharan (eds.) India's Political Parties, New Delhi: Sage Publications, pp. 73-115.
- R. Hardgrave and S. Kochanek: India: Government and Politics in a Developing Nation (Latest edition).
- S. Palshikar, (2008) 'The Indian State: Constitution and Beyond', in R. Bhargava (ed.) Politics and Ethics of the Indian Constitution, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 143-163.
- Partha Chatterjee: State and politics in India.
- Sudipta Kaviraj ed.: Politics in India.
- R. Kothari, (1970) 'Introduction', in Caste in Indian Politics, Delhi: Orient Longman, pp. 3-25.
- M. Weiner, (2001) 'The Struggle for Equality: Caste in Indian Politics', in Atul Kohli (ed.)


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- The Success of India's Democracy, New Delhi: Cambridge University Press, pp. 193-225.
C. J. Nirmal ed.: Human Rights in India.
Y. Yadav, (2000) 'Understanding the Second Democratic Upsurge', in F. Frankel, Z. Hasan, and R. Bhargava (eds.) Transforming India: Social and Political Dynamics in Democracy, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 120-145.
C. Jaffrelot, (2008) 'Why Should We Vote? The Indian Middle Class and the Functioning of World's Largest Democracy', in Religion, Caste and Politics in India, Delhi: Primus, pp. 604-619.
Deshpande, (2004) 'How Gendered was Women's Participation in Elections 2004?', Economic and Political Weekly, Vol. 39, No. 51, pp. 5431-5436.
Siddhartha Guha Roy. Human Rights, Democratic Rights and Popular Protest.
G. Shah: Social Movements in India. Raka Ray and M.F. Katzenstein eds.: Social Movements in India.
S. Corbridge and J. Harris: Reinventing India: Liberalization, Hindu nationalism and Popular Democracy.
Bipan Chandra et al.: India after Independence (1947-2000).
Rajni Kothari ed.: Caste in Indian Politics.
Bharati Ray and Aparna Basu eds.: From Independence to Freedom--Indian Women since 1947. Fields of Protest: Women's Movement in India.
D.N. Sen: From Raj to Swaraj.
R. Chatterjee ed.: Politics India--- State-Society Interface.
Sumit Ganguly et al. eds.: The State of India's Democracy.
Z. Hasan: Politics and Party Politics in India.
B.L. Shankar and V. Rodrigues: The Indian Parliament: A Democracy at Work.
Ashutosh Varshney: India and the Politics of Developing Countries.
Achin Vanaik and Rajiv Bhargava: Understanding Contemporary India: Critical Perspectives.
A. Kohli and P. Singh eds.: The Routledge Handbook of India Politics.
N.G. Jayal and P.B. Mehta eds.: The Oxford Companion to Politics in India.
Anil Jana ed., Decentralizing Rural Governance and Development.
Z. Hasan et al eds. India's Living Constitution.


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Semester-III

POL - 109 Comparative Government and Politics:

Unit - I

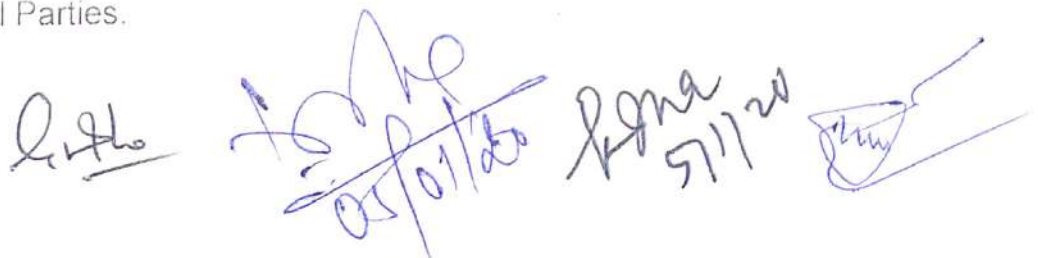
1. Evolution of Comparative Politics. Scope, purposes and methods of comparison. Distinction between Comparative Government and Comparative Politics.
2. Major approaches to the study of comparative politics---Institutional approach (dominant schools: Systems approach and Structural Functional approach)---limitations; New Institutionalism, Political Economy--- origin and key features.
3. Development and democratization: S.P. Huntington.

Unit - II

4. A comparative study of legislature, Executive and judicial system of UK, USA, Switzerland PRC and Nepal.
5. Political Parties: Typology, features and roles (UK, USA, PRC and Nepal). Interest groups: roles (UK and USA).
6. Rights of the citizens of UK, USA and PRC: A comparative study.

Readings:

- Gabriel Almond et al eds.: Comparative Politics Today: A World View (latest edition).
J. Kopstein and M. Lichbach (eds.) Comparative Politics: Interest, Identities and Institutions in a Changing Global Order
Subrata Mukherjee and S. Ramaswamy: Theoretical Foundations of Comparative Politics.
J. Bara and M Pennington eds. Comparative Politics.
J. Kopstein and H. Lichbach eds. Comparative Politics.
J. Harvey and S. Bather: The British Constitution.
J. Wilson: American Government.
S.E. Finer: Comparative Government.
J. Blondel: An Introduction to Comparative Politics. The Constitution of People's Republic of China.
J. Gittings: China Changes Face: The Road from Revolution 1949-89.
M. Burgess: Comparative Federalism: Theory and Practice.
J. McCormick, Jr.: Comparative Politics in Transition.
R. Chatterjee: Introduction to Comparative Political Analysis.
J. Henderson: Constitution of the Russian Federation: A Contextual Analysis.
S.P. Huntington: The Third Wave: Democratization in the Late Twentieth Century.
M. Duverger: Political Parties.

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Semester III

POL - 110

Perspectives on International Relations:

Unit- I

1. Understanding International Relations: outline of its evolution as academic discipline.
2. Major theories:
 - (a) Classical Realism and Neo-Realism
 - (b) Liberalism and Co- Liberalism
 - (c) Marxist Approach.
3. Emergent issues:
 - (a) Development
 - (b) Environment
 - (c) Terrorism
 - (d) Migration.

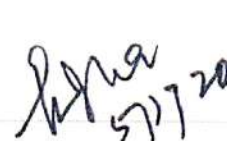

Unit -II

4. Making of foreign policy.
5. Indian foreign policy: major phases: 1947-1962; 1962-1991; 1991-till date.
6. Sino-Indian relations; Indo-US relations.

Readings:

M. Nicholson, International Relations: A Concise Introduction, New York: Palgrave.
Jackson and G. Sorensen, Introduction to International Relations: Theories and Approaches, 3rd Edition.
Joshua. Goldstein and J. Pevehouse, (2007) International Relations.
C. Brown and K. Ainley, (2009) Understanding International Relations
H.J. Morgenthau: Politics among Nations.
K. Booth and S. Smith, (eds), International Relations Theory Today
S.H. Hoffman: Essays in Theory and Politics of International Relations.
K.J. Holsti: International Politics: A Framework for Analysis.
J. Frankel: The Making of Foreign Policy.
J. Frankel: Contemporary International Theory and Behaviour of States.
J. Bennett: International Organizations.
J. Bandopadhyay: The Making of India's Foreign Policy.
D.A. Baldwin ed.: Neo-realism and Neo-liberalism.
M. Smith and R. Little: Perspectives on World Politics.
P.R. Viotti and M.V. Kauppi: International Relations and World Politics.
MuchkundDubey: India's Foreign Policy: Coping with the Changing World. Peu Ghosh: International Relations.
S.D. Muni: Indian Foreign Policy: The Democracy Dimension.
K.P. Bajpai and H.V. Panth: India's Foreign Policy--- A Reader. SumitGanguly: India's Foreign Policy: Retrospect and Prospect.
V.P. Dutt: India's Foreign Policy since Independence.

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V.P. Dutt: Indian Foreign Policy in a Changing World.

Semester III

POL – 111 Public Administration-- Concepts and Perspectives

Unit- I

1. Nature, Scope and Evolution of Public Administration – Private and Public Administration. Principles of Socialist Management.
2. Challenges to discipline of Public Administration and responses: New Public Administration, Comparative Public Administration, Development Administration (Indian context).
3. Major concepts of administration.
 - (a) Hierarchy
 - (b) Unity of Command
 - (c) Span of Control
 - (d) Authority
 - (e) Centralization, Decentralization and Delegation
 - (f) Line and Staff.
4. Public Administration in the era of globalization, liberalization and privatization. Governance, e-governance: features and significance.

Unit - II

5. Bureaucracy: views of Marx and Weber
6. Ecological approach to Public Administration: Riggsian Model.
(d) Administrative Processes: (a) Decision making (b) Communication and Control (c) Leadership (d) Coordination
7. Public Policy: definition, characteristics, Models, Policy implementation.

Readings:

- Nicholas Henry: Public Administration and the State
W. Wilson, (2004) 'The Study of Administration', in B. Chakrabarty and M. Bhattacharya (eds). Administrative Change and Innovation: a Reader, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, pp. 85-101
Mohit Bhattacharya: Public Administration: Structure, Process and Behaviour.
M. Bhattacharya: Public Administration: Issues and Perspectives.
A. Avasthi and S. Avasthi: Public Administration.
M. Bhattacharya: Restructuring Public Administration.
B. Chakrabarty: Public Administration: From Government to Governance.
C. Chakrabarty and M. Bhattacharya eds.: Public Administration: A Reader.
B. Chakrabarty and M. Bhattacharya eds.: The Governance Discourse. Shivani Singh: Governance: Issues and Challenges.
M.P. Sharma: Public Administration in Theory and Practice
Rumki Basu: Public Administration: Concepts and Theories.
G.H. Frederickson: New Public Administration.
R. Prasad et al. eds.: Administrative Thinkers.

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Semester –IV
Political Sociology

Unit - I

1. Social bases of politics. Emergence of Political Sociology.
2. Political culture and Political socialization: nature, types and agencies.
3. Political participation: concept and types.
4. Political development and social change.
5. Political Communication: Concept and structures.

Unit - II

6. Social stratification and politics: caste, tribe, class, elite.
7. Gender and politics: basic issues.
8. Religion and politics: varying perspectives.
9. Military and politics: conditions and modes of intervention.
10. Electorate and electoral behaviour (with special reference to the Indian context).

Readings:

- Michael Rush: Politics and Sociology.
B. Axford et al.: Politics--- An Introduction. Tom Bottomore: Political Sociology.
Amal K. Mukhopadhyay: Political Sociology.
S. Chakraborty ed.: Political Sociology.
Tom Bottomore: Classes in Modern Society.
R. Chatterjee ed.: Religion, Politics and Communalism.
B. Lindenfeld ed.: Reader in Political Sociology. Pradip Basu (ed.) – Political Sociology.
J. Forbes: Women in Modern India.
M. Evans ed.: The Women Question.
P. Worsley: The Three Worlds: Culture and World Development. Samuel Huntington:
Political Order in a Changing Society.
G.A. Almond and J.S. Coleman eds.: The Politics of Developing Areas.

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Semester-IV

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Global Politics since 1945

Unit - I

1. Cold War and its evolution: outline. Emergence of Third World: NAM; Post-Cold War world: Globalization: conceptions and perspectives.
2. Europe in transition: European Union, Brexit (overview).
3. Major institutions of global governance: World Bank, IMF, WTO, Major regional organizations: ASEAN, OPEC, SAFTA, SAARC and BRICS. West Asia and the Palestine question.

Unit - II

4. India and her neighbours I: Pakistan; Bangladesh.
5. India and her neighbours II: Nepal; Bhutan; Sri Lanka.
6. UNO: background; Major organs. Role of UNO in peace-keeping, human rights, and development.

Readings:

- P. Calvocoressi: World Politics since 1945 (latest edition).
R. Mansbach and K. Taylor, (2012) Introduction to Global Politics.
J. Baylis and S. Smith (eds), The Globalization of World Politics: An Introduction to International Relations.
G. Ritzer: Globalization--- A Basic Text.
J.A. Moore, Jr. and J. Pubantz: The New United Nations.
S. Juyal and B. Ramesh Babu: The United Nations and World Peace.
K. Bajpai and H.C. Shukul eds.: Interpreting World Politics.
J. Baylis and S. Smith: The Globalization of World Politics.
L.M. Goodriche: The UN in Changing World.
M.S. Rajan: Essays in Non-Alignment and UN.
Alvin Y. So: Development and Social Change.
J. Haynes: Third World Politics.
Ankie Hoogvelt: Globalization and the Postcolonial World.
N.O. Sullivan ed.: Terrorism, Ideology and Revolution.
D. Nayyar: Governing Globalization.
G. Ritzer: Globalization--- A Basic Text.
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Semester – IV

POL - 118 PUBLIC POLICY AND ADMINISTRATION IN INDIA

Unit – I

1. Public Policy:
 - a. Definition, characteristics and models
 - b. Public Policy Process in India
2. Decentralization:
 - a. Meaning, significance and approaches and types
 - b. Local Self Governance: Rural and Urban
3. Budget:
 - a. Concept and Significance of Budget
 - b. Budget Cycle in India
 - c. Various Approaches and Types Of Budgeting

Unit - II

1. Public Service Delivery
2. Redressal of Public Grievances: RTI, Lokpal, Citizens' Charter and E-Governance
3. Concept and Approaches of Social Welfare
4. Social Welfare Policies:
 - a. Education: Right to Education.
 - b. Health: National Health Mission.
 - c. Food: Right To Food Security
 - d. Employment: MNREGA

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Semester-V
POL – 123 WESTERN POLITICAL THOUGHT AND THEORY I

Unit - I

1. Greek political thought: main features – Plato: justice, communism – Aristotle: state, classifications of constitutions.
2. Contribution of Machiavelli. Significance of Renaissance. Political thought of Reformation.
3. Bodin: Idea of Sovereignty.
4. Hobbes: founder of science of materialist politics.
5. Locke: founder of Liberalism. Views on natural rights, property and consent.
6. Rousseau: views on General will, Freedom and Democracy.

Readings:

- A. Skoble and T. Machan: Political Philosophy: Essential Selections.
D. Boucher and P. Kelly, (eds) Political Thinkers: From Socrates to the Present.
G. H. Sabine and T. I. Thorson: A History of Political Theory.
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S. Mukherjee and S. Ramaswamy: A history of Political Thought: From Plato to Marx.
R. G. Gettell: History of Political Thought.
B. Barker: The Political Thought of Plato and Aristotle.
Q. Skinner: Machiavelli: A Very Short Introduction.
A. K. Mukhopadhyay: Western Political Thought: from Plato to Marx.

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Semester V

POL - 124 Indian Political Thought I

Unit- I

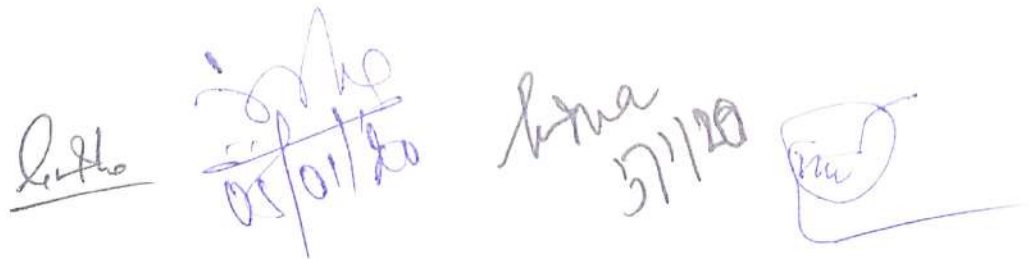
1. Ancient Indian Political ideas: overview.
2. Kautilya: Saptanga theory, Dandaniti, Diplomacy.
3. Medieval political thought in India: overview (with reference to Barani and AbulFazal).
Legitimacy of kingship.
4. Principle of Syncretism.

Unit-II

5. Modern Indian thought: Rammohun Roy as pioneer of Indian liberalism – his views on rule of law, freedom of thought and social justice.
6. Bankim Chandra Chattopadhyay, Vivekananda and Rabindranath Tagore: views on nationalism.
7. M.K. Gandhi: views on State, Swaraj, Satyagraha.

Readings:

- R. S. Sharma: Aspects of Political Ideas and Institutions in Ancient India.
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J. Bandopadhyay: Social and Political Thought of Gandhi.
D.D. Kosambi: Ancient India.
Romila Thapar: From Lineages to State.
K.A. Nizami ed.: Politics and Society during the Early Medieval Period.
B. Bhattacharya: Evolution of the Political Philosophy of Gandhi.
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Partha Chatterjee: Nationalist Thought and the Colonial World. Rabindranath Tagore: Nationalism.
Sudipta Kaviraj: The Unhappy Consciousness: Bankimchandra Chattopadhyay and the Formation of Nationalist Discourse in India
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Semester VI

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WESTERN POLITICAL THOUGHT AND THEORY II

Unit - I

1. Bentham: Utilitarianism. John Stuart Mill: views on liberty and representative government.
2. Hegel: Civil Society and State.
3. T. H. Green: Freedom, Obligation.

Unit - II

4. Marx- Scientific Socialism, Gramsci – Hegemony and Civil Society.
5. Democratic Socialism, Syndicalism, Liberalism, Anarchism, Fascism.
6. Post-Marxism: emergence and basic contentions.

Readings:

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C.E.M. Joad: Political Theory.
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D.K. Das and T. Chattopadhyay. Varieties of Socialism.
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Semester VI

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Indian Political Thought II

Unit - I

1. M.N. Roy: Radical Humanism, Aurovindo - Nationalism.
2. Narendra Deva, Ram ManoharLohia, Jayaprakash Narayan: Socialist ideas
3. Syed Ahmed Khan and Iqbal: views on colonialism and nationalism.

Unit- II

4. Nehru: views on Socialism Secularism and Democracy. Subhas Chandra Bose: views on Socialism and Fascism.
5. Contested notions of 'nation'--- Savarkar, Jinnah.
6. JyotibaPhule and Ambedkar on caste system and untouchability. PanditaRamabai's views on social justice

Readings:

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1. Nationalism in India

Unit I

1. Nationalist, Imperialist, Marxist, and Subaltern Interpretations of Nationalism in India
2. Major Social and Religious Movements in 19th century

Unit II

3. Phases of Nationalist Movement: Liberal Constitutionalists, Swadeshi and the Radicals; Beginning of Constitutionalism in India.
4. Gandhi and Mass Mobilisation: Non-Cooperation Movement, Civil Disobedience Movement, and Quit India Movement.

Unit III

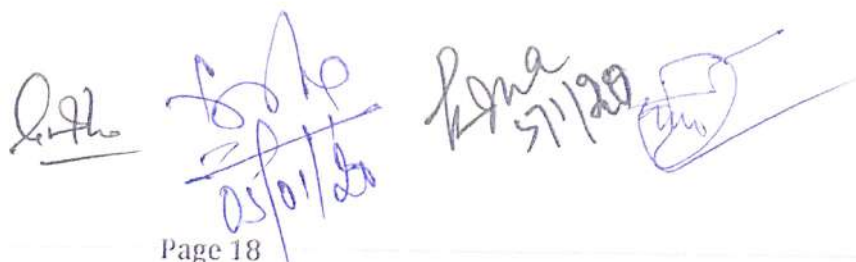
5. The Women's Question: Participation in the National Movement and its Impact.
6. Peasant, Tribals and Workers Movements

Unit IV

7. Communalism in Indian Politics
8. The Two-Nation Theory, Negotiations over Partition

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POL – 104 2. Contemporary Political Economy

Unit I

1. Classical Liberalism, Marxism, Welfarism, Neo-liberalism and Gandhian approach
2. Culture: Media and Television

Unit II

3. European Feudalism and Transition to Capitalism
4. Globalization: Transnational Corporations, World Trade Organization, Non-governmental Organizations (their role in development)

Unit III

5. Big Dams and Environmental Concerns

Unit IV

6. Gender
7. Racial and Ethnic Problems
8. Migration

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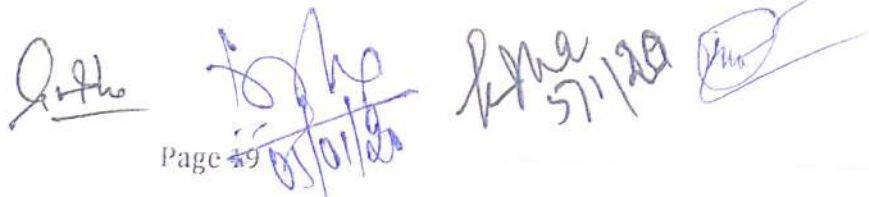
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3. Feminism: Theory and Practice

Unit I

1. Understanding Patriarchy and Feminism.
2. Liberal, Socialist, Marxist, Radical feminism.

Unit II

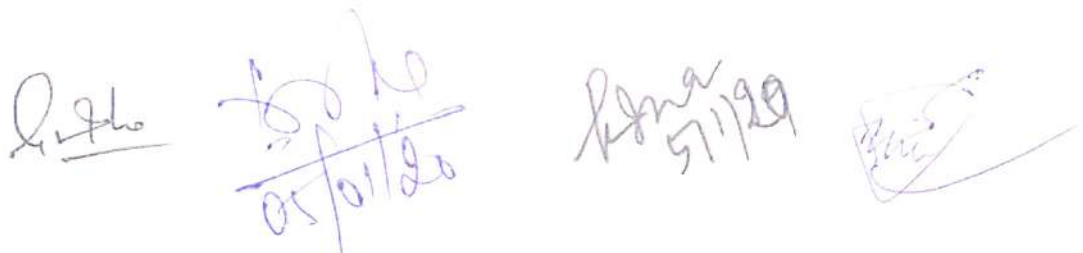
3. Origins of Feminism in the West:
4. Feminist issues and women's participation in anti-colonial and national liberation movements with special focus on India

Unit III

5. Traditional Historiography and Feminist critiques. Social Reforms Movement and position of women in India. History of Women's struggle in India
6. Family in contemporary India. Gender Relations in the Family, Property Rights
7. Understanding Woman's Work and Labour Sexual Division of Labour, Productive and Reproductive labour, Visible-invisible work–Unpaid(reproductive and care), Underpaid and Paid work

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4. Gandhi and the Contemporary World

Unit - I

1. Conception of Modern Civilisation and Alternative Modernity
2. Critique of Development: Narmada Bachao Andolan

Unit II

1. Theory of Satyagraha
2. Satyagraha in Action:
 - a. Peasant Satyagraha: Kheda and the Idea of Trusteeship
 - b. Temple Entry and Critique of Caste
 - c. Social Harmony: 1947 and Communal Unity

Unit III


1. Tolerance: Anti-Racism Movements (Anti-Apartheid and Martin Luther King)
2. Women's Movements
3. Gandhigiri: Perceptions in Popular Culture

Unit IV

1. Swaraj
2. Swadeshi

Readings

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5. Understanding Ambedkar

Unit I

- 1 Approach to Study Polity, History, Economy, Religion and Society
- 2 Caste, Untouchability and Critique of Hindu Social Order
- 3 Religion and Conversion

Unit II

- 1 Rise and Fall of Hindu Women
- 2 Hindu Code Bill

Unit III

- 1 Nation and Nationalism
- 2 Democracy and Citizenship

Unit IV

- 1 Rights and Representations
- 2 Constitution as an Instrument of Social Transformation

Unit V

- 1 Planning and Development
- 2 Land and Labor

Readings

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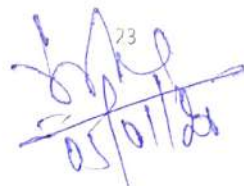
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6.GOVERNANCE: ISSUES AND CHALLENGES

Unit I

1. Role of State In The Era Of Globalisation
2. State, Market and Civil Society

Unit II

1. Strengthening Democracy through Good Governance

Unit III

1. Human-Environment Interaction
2. Green Governance: Sustainable Human Development

Unit IV

1. Democratic Decentralisation People's Participation In Governance

Unit V

1. Electronic Governance
2. Citizens Charter & Right to Information
3. Corporate Social Responsibility

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7. Politics of Globalization

Unit I

1. Concept of Globalisation: Globalisation debate; for and against.
2. Approaches to understanding globalisation:
3. Liberal approach

Unit II

1. World Bank
2. International Monetary Fund
3. The World Trade Organisation

Unit III

1. Issues in Globalisation: Alternative Perspectives on its nature and character, critical dimensions: economic, political and cultural
2. Globalisation and democracy: State, sovereignty and the civil society.

Unit IV

1. Globalisation and Politics in developing countries.
2. Globalisation and social movements.
3. Globalisation and human migration

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8. UNITED NATIONS AND GLOBAL CONFLICTS

Unit I

1. An Historical Overview of the United Nations
2. Principles and Objectives

Unit II

Structures and Functions: General Assembly, Security Council, and Economic and Social Council, the International Court of Justice and the specialised agencies (International Labour Organisation [ILO], United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation [UNESCO], World Health Organisation [WHO] and UN programmes and funds: United Nations Children's Fund* UNICEF + United Nations Development Programme [UNDP], United Nations Environment Programme [UNEP], United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees [UNHCR])

Unit III

1. Peace Keeping, Peace Making and Enforcement, Peace Building and
Resolutions relating to Millennium Development Goals

Unit IV

1. Introduction

2. Role of UN

3. UN and Globalisation

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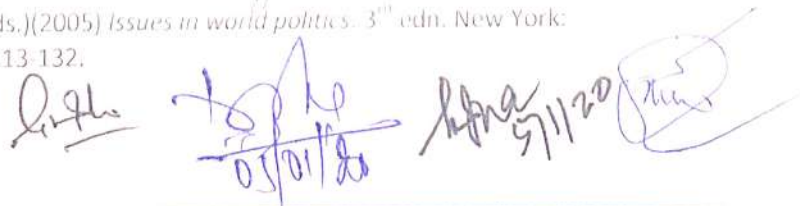
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1. CITIZENSHIP IN A GLOBALIZING WORLD

Unit I

1. Classical conceptions of citizenship

Unit II

1. The Evolution of Citizenship and the Modern State

Unit III

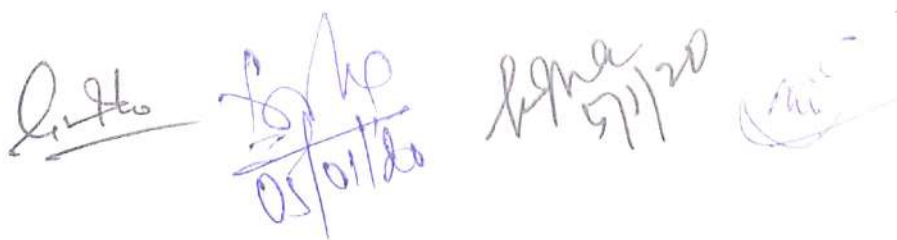
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1. Citizenship beyond the Nation-state: Globalization and global justice

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2.Human Rights in a Comparative Perspective

Unit I

1. Understanding Human Rights: Three Generations of Rights
2. Institutionalization: Universal Declaration of Human Rights
3. Rights in National Constitutions: South Africa and India

Unit II

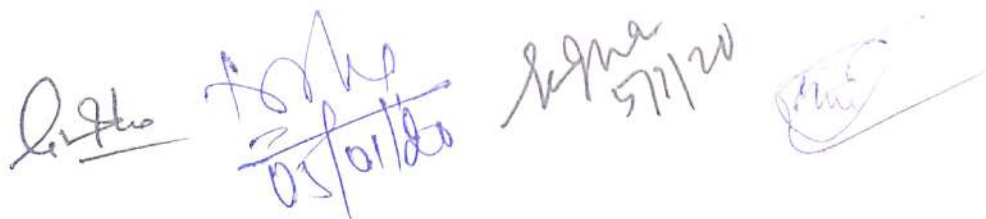
1. Torture: USA and India
2. Surveillance and Censorship: China and India
3. Terrorism and Insecurity of Minorities: USA and India

Unit III

1. Caste and Race: South Africa and India
2. Gender and Violence: India and Pakistan
3. Adivasis/Aboriginals and the Land Question: Australia and India

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POL – 127 3.Development Process and Social Movements in Contemporary India

Unit I

1. State and planning
2. Liberalization and reforms

Unit II

1. Mixed economy, privatization, the impact on organized and unorganized labour
2. Emergence of the new middle class

Unit III

1. Land Reforms, Green Revolution
2. Agrarian crisis since the 1990s and its impact on farmers

Unit IV

1. Tribal, Peasant, Dalit and Women's movements
2. Naxalite movement
3. Civil rights movements

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4. Public Policy in India

Unit I

1. Introduction to Policy Analysis

Unit II

2. The Analysis of Policy in the Context of Theories of State

Unit III

3. Political Economy and Policy: Interest Groups and Social Movements.

Unit IV

4. Models of Policy Decision-Making

Unit V

4. Ideology and Policy: Nehruvian Vision, Economic Liberalisation and recent developments

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5. Understanding Global Politics

Unit I

1. The Sovereign State System
2. Evolution of the state system
3. The concept of Sovereignty

Unit II

4. Discussing the Bretton Woods Institutions and WTO
5. Ideological underpinnings

Unit III

6. Global Inequalities
7. Violence: Conflict, War and Terrorism

Unit IV

8. Global Environment
9. Global Civil Society

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6. India's Foreign Policy in a globalizing world

Unit I

1. India's Foreign Policy: From a Postcolonial State to an Aspiring Global Power

Unit II

2. India's Relations with the USA and Russia

Unit III

3. India's Engagements with China

Unit IV

4. India in South Asia: Debating Regional Strategies

Unit V

5. India's Negotiating Style and Strategies: Trade, Environment and Security Regimes

Unit VI

6. India in the Contemporary Multipolar World

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7. Gender and Politics

Unit I

1. Groundings:

- a. Patriarchy
- b. Sex Gender Debates
- c. Public and Private
- d. Power
- e. Feminism
- f. Family, Community, State

Unit II

2. Movements and Issues:

- a. History of the Women's Movement in India
- b. Violence against women
- c. Work and Labour
- d. Visible and Invisible work
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8. Dilemmas in Politics

Unit I

1. The Politics of Exclusion

Unit II

2. Debates on Human Rights

Unit III

3. Ecology and Political Responsibility

Unit IV

4. Capabilities and the Politics of Empowerment

Unit V

5. Feminism and the Politics of Interpretation

Unit VI

6. Legitimacy of Humanitarian Intervention

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2. Public Opinion and Survey Research

Unit I

1. Definition and characteristics of public opinion, conceptions and characteristics, debates about its role in a democratic political system, uses for opinion poll

Unit II

2. Measuring Public Opinion with Surveys: Representation and sampling:
 - a. What is sampling? Why do we need to sample? Sample design.
 - b. Types of sampling: Non random sampling (quota, purposive and snowball sampling); random sampling: simple and stratified

Unit III

3. Survey Research :
 - a. Interviewing: Interview techniques pitfalls, different types of and forms of interview
 - b. Questionnaire: Question wording; fairness and clarity.

Unit IV

4. Quantitative Data Analysis :
 - a. Introduction to quantitative data analysis
 - b. Basic concepts: correlational research, causation and prediction, descriptive and inferential Statistics

Unit V

5. Interpreting polls: Prediction in polling research; possibilities and pitfalls
Politics of interpreting polling

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3. Legislative Practices and Procedures

Unit I

1. Members of Parliament, State legislative assemblies, functionaries of rural and urban local self - government from Zila Parishad, Municipal Corporation to Panchayat/ward.

Unit II

2. How a bill becomes law, role of the Standing committee in reviewing a bill, legislative consultants, the framing of rules and regulations.

Unit III

3. Types of committees, role of committees in reviewing government finances, policy, programmes, and legislation.

Unit IV

4. Overview of Budget Process, Role of Parliament in reviewing the Union Budget, Railway Budget, Examination of Demands for Grants of Ministries, Working of Ministries.

Unit V

5. Types of media and their significance for legislators; Basics of communication in print and electronic media.

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4. Peace and Conflict Resolution

Unit I

1. International Peace and Conflict Resolution: Sources of War: International and Domestic Issues and Trends

Unit II

2. What is Conflict: Introduction to International Conflict Resolution

Unit III

3. International Conflict Resolution Theory: Models developed by Johan Galtung, Joseph Montville, Merton Deutsch, William Zartman, Levy Jack

Unit IV

4. Conflict resolution: Back ground of Various Peace Movements and Concepts, Principles used to resolve conflict

Unit V

5. Cross-border relationships between the world's peaceful and war-torn zones (migration and information flows, economic transactions, international rules and regulations, normative concepts and political decisions)

Unit VI

6. Current perspective of peace and conflict resolution: Grass-roots level perspective on war and peace

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