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COURSE OUTCOMES

B.A. (Hons.) Political Science

Department of Political Science

Course Outcomes (COs)

B.A. (Hons.) Political Science Part-I

P I: Foundations of Political Science

CO 1.	Analysing what politics is and explaining the approaches to the study of Political Science – Traditional, Contemporary (Behavioural, Post Behavioural, Interdisciplinary)
CO 2.	Assessing the empirical theories of functioning of government (System theory, Structural-Functional Approach)
CO 3.	Explaining the Concept of Rule of Law and Constitutionalism
CO 4.	Analysing and assessing the working of organs of the government (Legislature, Executive, Judiciary)
CO 5.	Explaining the concepts of Liberty, Equality, and Justice and the interrelation between them
CO 6.	Analysing the concepts of Power, Authority and Legitimacy
CO 7.	Explaining the concepts of Nation and Nationalism

P II: Representative Indian Political Thinkers

CO 1.	Tracing the evolution of Indian political thought from ancient India to modern India
CO 2.	Analysing the ideas of Manu, Kautilya and Shukra (Saptang Theory, Kingship, Council of Ministers, Territorial, Financial and Judicial Administration, Inter-state Relations)
CO 3.	Assessing the nationalist thought of Raja Ram Mohan Roy, Gokhale, Tilak, Dayanand Saraswati and Vivekananda
CO 4.	Discussing the nationalism of Gandhi and Vinoba Bhave, discussing Gandhi's social, economic and political ideas, his ideas on Satya, Ahimsa, Satyagraha and Education
CO 5.	Analysing the ideas of J L Nehru, explaining his views on democracy, socialism, nationalism and internationalism
CO 6.	Describing the movements against caste and untouchability, Ambedkar's views on social justice and the depressed classes, discussing political ideas of Ambedkar
CO 7.	Analysing the ideas of M N Roy, his views on democracy, planned economy and radical humanism
CO 8.	Analysing the ideas of Jai Prakash Narayan and Deen Dayal Upadhyay

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B.A. (Hons.) Political Science Part-I

P III: Political Ideologies

CO 1.	Explaining the meaning, nature and scope of Political Ideologies
CO 2.	Analysing the meaning of Liberalism, Classical and Modern aspects of Liberalism
CO 3.	Examining the meaning, features, growth, extreme and modern versions of Idealism
CO 4.	Exploring Socialism and its Varieties: Syndicalism, Guild Socialism, Democratic Socialism, and Anarchism
CO 5.	Analysing the meaning, features, evolution and criticism of Fascism
CO 6.	Exploring Gandhism, political, economic and social views of Gandhi, assessing Gandhi's influence on Modern India, and understanding Gandhi as an idealist
CO 7.	Explaining Radical Humanism and views of M N Roy on it
CO 8.	Analysing the meaning, scope and features of ideologies of Utilitarianism, Environmentalism and Feminism

P IV: Selected Political System

CO 1.	Examining diverse political systems: Liberal-democratic, Authoritarian, and Socialist forms of political systems
CO 2.	Exploring the Constitution of the UK: salient features; The Executive – The Crown, Prime Minister and Cabinet; The Legislature: House of Lords, House Commons, Speaker and Committees; Party System in the UK
CO 3.	Exploring the US Constitution: salient features; the Executive: President; Legislature: Senate House of Representative; Speaker; Judiciary: the composition and role of the Supreme Court; Bill of Rights; Party System
CO 4.	Making a comparative analysis of the following institutions of the UK and USA: Legislature, Executive and Party Systems
CO 5.	Exploring the Chinese Constitution: salient features in the light of the general principles, the Executive Legislature, Judiciary, and the role of the Communist Party
CO 6.	Exploring the constitution of Switzerland, salient features - The Plural Executive, Legislature, Judiciary, and the working of direct democracy in Switzerland
CO 7.	Exploring the Japanese constitution, salient features - The Emperor, Legislature, Executive and Judiciary

Course Outcomes (COs)

B.A. (Hons.) Political Science Part-II

P-V: Indian Freedom Movement and Constitutional Development

CO 1.	Exploring the rise of the Indian National Congress, the emergence of moderates and extremists within Congress and their characteristic features
CO 2.	Explaining the rise and growth of communal politics in India, Wahabi Movement, Fundamentalist Muslims, demand for communal representation, communal movement of Muslim League
CO 3.	Exploring the Salient features and the working of the Government of India and that of 1909, 1919 and 1935
CO 4.	Analysing Lucknow pact, its features and effects
CO 5.	Analysing the 1920 session of Congress, the Non-cooperation movement, the conditions favouring it, its contribution to the national struggle, the rise of the Swaraj party, its principles and programme, the success and work of Swarajists
CO 6.	Analysing the formation, working and report of the Simon Commission, explaining the recommendations of the Nehru report, Gandhi- Irwin Pact and Poona Pact
CO 7.	Analysing the working and recommendations of Round Table Conferences
CO 8.	Exploring Cripps Mission, Quit India movement, Cabinet Mission, Wavell Plan, Mountbatten Plan and India Independence Act of 1947

Course Outcomes (COs)

B.A. (Hons.) Political Science Part-II

P-VI: Indian Political Institutions and Processes

CO 1.	Analysing the process of framing the Indian constitution, trends and approaches in the constituent assembly
CO 2.	Assessing the scope of the Preamble, the nature of the federal system of India and the unitary features of the Indian constitution
CO 3.	Explaining the types, scope and limitations of Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy, a comparison between the two
CO 4.	Exploring the Legislature, Executive and Judicial structure of India with reference to the recent trends and analysing the amendment process of the Indian constitution
CO 5.	Explaining the union-state relationship and describe the working of constitutional and statutory commissions- ECI, UPSC, NHRC
CO 6.	Assessing the working of the Indian parliamentary system, secularism and the role of political parties
CO 7.	Analysing the governance of states and the working of local governments Panchayati Raj and Municipalities with reference to the 73rd and 74th Amendment Act
CO 8.	Discussing the major obstacles in the path of National Integration such as Regionalism, Communalism, etc.

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B.A. (Hons.) Political Science Part-II

P-VIII: International Politics and Foreign Policy of India

CO 1.	Evaluate Idealist theory, Realist theory, Neorealist and Marxist Approach
CO 2.	Analyse the major developments in international politics since 1945 and discuss the origin of the Cold War and its phases
CO 3.	Explore Indian Foreign Policy and its basic tenets, Indian relations with the major powers (USA, China, Russia), and its neighbours (Pakistan, Bangladesh and others). Evaluate the position of India in the contemporary multipolar world
CO 4.	Analysing the emergence, composition and functions of the United Nations and its organs, namely the General Assembly, Security Council, Economic and Social Council, Trusteeship Council, International Court of Justice and the Secretariat
CO 5.	Analysing the reasons behind the demand for a New International Economic Order and its features
CO 6.	Evaluating the position of Asia and Africa in world politics with particular reference to problems in West Asia
CO 7.	Analysing the efforts made for regional cooperation between SAARC, ASEAN, BRICS and IBSA
CO 8.	Exploring the contemporary global issues such as human rights, environmental issues, terrorism, nuclear proliferation and gender justice

Course Outcomes (COs)

B.A. (Hons.) Political Science Part-II

P-VIII(A): Elements of Public Administration

CO 1.	Exploring the meaning, nature and scope of Public Administration and analysing the relevance of Public Administration in a democratic and welfare state
CO 2.	Analysing old and new Organization Theory and Principles of Organization
CO 3.	Discussing Line Staff Relationship and principles of Delegation, Co-ordination, Supervision, Decision making and Communication
CO 4.	Exploring accountable administration and concepts of RTI, Lokpal and Lokayukt
CO 5.	Analysing the concepts of e-Governance and Good Governance
CO 6.	Exploring instruments of control of Legislative, Judicial and Popular nature on Public Administration, limits and role of these controls
CO 7.	Analysing Personnel Administration, recruitment, training, and discipline
CO 8.	Discussing formulation and execution of the Budget

Course Outcomes (COs)

B.A. (Hons.) Political Science Part-II

P-VIII (B): Indian Administration

CO 1.	Exploring the evolution of Administration in India and the British Legacies, the constitutional and political system in India and its administrative implication
CO 2.	Analysing the organisation and working of Union Ministries of Home, Finance and Foreign Affairs
CO 3.	Explaining the state administration and the role of chief secretary and police in the states
CO 4.	Defining the district administration and the role of Collector, Judicial administration at district and sub-district levels
CO 5.	Assessing the changing patterns of Panchayati Raj and district administration in the states
CO 6.	Explaining financial administration in India
CO 7.	Exploring the role of the Estimate Committee and Comptroller and Auditor General in India in budgeting and auditing of problem areas
CO 8.	Defining the role of bureaucracy in economic administration and the administration of public enterprises, analyse the minister and civil service relationship

Course Outcomes (COs)

B.A. (Hons.) Political Science Part-III

P-IX: History of Western Political Thought

CO 1.	Providing an insight into the dominant features of ancient Western political thought: ancient Greek political thought with a focus on Sophists, Socrates, Aristotle and Plato; the Roman political thought: its contributions with particular emphasis on the emergence of Roman law
CO 2.	Examining the features of medieval political Thought with particular reference to the contributions of Aquinas, Marsilio of Padua and the Conciliar movement
CO 3.	Critically examining Bodin's contributions to the theory of Sovereignty
CO 4.	Evaluating Hobbes as the founder of the science of materialist politics; Locke as the founder of Liberalism with a focus on his views on natural rights, property and consent; and Rousseau's views on Freedom and Democracy
CO 5.	Exploring Bentham's Utilitarianism and John Stuart Mill's views on liberty and representative government
CO 6.	Take an insight into Hegel's views on Civil Society and the State, the Scientific socialism of Karl Marx and its basic characteristics
CO 7.	Evaluating the Renaissance; Political Thought of Machiavelli
CO 8.	Providing an insight into the ideas of H J Laski in reference to his Pluralist views

Course Outcomes (COs)

B.A. (Hons.) Political Science Part-III

P-X: Modern Political Analysis

CO 1.	Providing an insight into the evolution of the contemporary perspective of political analysis and theory-building
CO 2.	Evaluating Political Science and the context of its social relevance
CO 3.	Evaluating Political Theory and its decline
CO 4.	Analysing Group Theory, Distribution Approach (Laswell), Communication Theory, Decision-Making theory and Elite theory
CO 5.	Analysing Political processes and change
CO 6.	Evaluating the process of Political Socialization
CO 7.	Assessing Political culture and its variants
CO 8.	Evaluating the Concepts of Political Modernisation and Political Development

Course Outcomes (COs)

B.A. (Hons.) Political Science Part-III

P XI(A): International Law

CO 1.	Exploring the meaning, nature and kinds, sources and codification of International Law
CO 2.	Analysing the evolution of International Law, Recognition, Belligerency and insurgency
CO 3.	Discussing Rights of the States, Succession, Problems of Nationality and Citizenship
CO 4.	Analysing International transactions, Diplomatic immunities- acquisition and loss of territory, maritime belt, continental shelf, law of sea and seabed
CO 5.	Exploring International disputes, the Role of UNO, the International Court of Justice and other specialised agencies
CO 6.	Analysing the Law of war, declaration and renunciation of war, Belligerents, combatants and non-combatants, Prize courts and laws of warfare
CO 7.	Discussing Time armistice and Capitulations
CO 8.	Exploring war crimes and genocide, laws of neutrality, rights and duties of neutrals, blockade, unneutral service, punishment for unneutral services and some leading cases

Course Outcomes (COs)

B.A. (Hons.) Political Science Part-III

P XI(B): Global Politics

CO 1.	Providing an insight into concepts and perspectives of globalisation, political, cultural and technological dimensions of globalisation
CO 2.	Analysing the effect of globalisation on the state system and its sovereignty
CO 3.	Exploring the global economy, the role of global economic institutions: Brettonwoods institutions, World Trade Organization, and transnational and multinational corporations
CO 4.	Giving an insight into contemporary global problems such as Global inequalities, violence, conflict, war, terrorism, war on terror
CO 5.	Analysing the issues of global poverty, development and human security
CO 6.	Assessing global ecological issues such as environmental agreements, climate change and sustainable development
CO 7.	Analysing the proliferation of nuclear weapons and weapons of mass destruction
CO 8.	Assessing the concept of Global civil society

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B.A. (Hons.) Political Science Part-III

P XII: Research Methodology

CO 1.	Providing an insight into the scientific method
CO 2.	Exploring the use of the scientific method in social sciences
CO 3.	Evaluating research and its uses
CO 4.	Assessing Survey as a tool of data collection
CO 5.	Analysing Research Design and its basic steps
CO 6.	Giving an insight into the methods of data collection such as Sampling, Questionnaires and Interviews
CO 7.	Exploring Pre-test and Pilot studies
CO 8.	Analysing the methods of data processing such as Coding, Tabulation and Report writing