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ACADEMIC ORGANISER-2019-20

PAPER-I, SEMESTER-I,

INTRODUCTION TO POLITICAL SCIENCE

Month	Topic	No. of Classes	Total Classes
June (13)	Unit I: INTRODUCTION 1. Definition and Scope of Political Science. 2. Importance of the study of Political Science. 3. Political Science - Relation with other Social Sciences: History, Economics, Sociology, Psychology, Geography and Law.	4 4 4 1+	13
July (21)	Unit II: APPROACHES 1. Introduction of Approaches to the study of Political Science. 2. Liberal: Institutional and Behavioural. 3. Marxist; Neo Marxist. Unit III: EVOLUTION OF MODERN STATE 1. State: Concept, Definition and its Elements - Distinction between State and Government, Civil Society. 2. Nation: Nation-State, Nationality and Nationalism. 3. Theories of Origin of State: Social Contract and Evolutionary.	3 4 4 4 4 2+	21
August (19)	Unit IV: SOVEREIGNTY 1. Definition and Features of Sovereignty. 2. Kinds of Sovereignty. 3. Theories of Sovereignty: Monism and Pluralism. Introspection in terms of International Law Perspective Unit V: LAW 1. Law: Definition and sources of Law.	2 4 4 4 5	19
September (21)	2. Classification of Law. 3. Rule of Law. Revision	3 4 14	21
October(01)	Revision	01	01
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ACADEMIC ORGANISER-2019-20
PAPER-III, SEMESTER-III,
INDIAN CONSTITUTION AND GOVERNMENT

Month	Topic	No. of Classes	Total Classes
June (13)	Unit I: Nationalist Movement and Constitutional Development: A. Indian National Movement: (Non-cooperation, Civil-disobedience and Quit India) B. Government of India Act, 1909, 1919 and 1935. C. Formation of the Constituent Assembly. D. Philosophical Foundations and Salient Features of the Indian Constitution.	3 3 3 3 1+	13
July (21)	Unit II: Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles: A. Fundamental Rights and Fundamental Duties. B. Right to Food, Education and Employment- Analyse as a Fundamental Right. C. Security Laws: Preventive Detention, Anti-terror and Organized Crime Laws. D. Directive Principles of State Policy. Unit III: Union Government: A. Executive: President – Election, Powers and Functions. B. Legislature: Parliament: Composition, Powers and Functions. C. Judiciary: Supreme Court– Jurisdiction, Judicial Review and Judicial Activism	2 3 3 3 3 3 3 1+	21
August (19)	D. Role of the Prime Minister and Council of Ministers Unit IV: State Government: A. Executive: Governor: Role as the Constitutional Head of the State. B. Legislature: Composition, Powers and Functions. C. Judiciary: High Court: Composition, Powers and Functions. D. Role of the Chief Minister and Council of Ministers Unit V: Centre– State Relations: A. Features of Indian Federal System. B. Constitutional Provisions regarding Centre – State Relations.	2 3 3 3 3 3 2+	19
September (21)	C. Recent Trends in Centre-State Relations. D. Special provisions relating to states: Schedule Areas, Jammu & Kashmir, North East India, Special Status. Revision	1 3 3 14	21
October(01)	Revision	1	1
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PAPER-V, SEMESTER-V,
INDIAN POLITICAL THOUGHT

Month	Topic	No. of Classes	Total Classes
June (10)	Unit I: Ancient Indian Political Thought:		
	A. Buddha: Social and Political Ideas – Dharma and Sangha.	3	10
	B. Manu: Social Laws.	3	
C. Kautilya: Theory of State.	4		
July (17)	Unit II: Social Revolutionaries:		
	A. Basava: Social ideas.	3	17
	B. Raja Ram Mohan Roy: Rights-Social Reformer.	4	
	C. Jyotirao Phule: Critiques of Brahmanism, Social Revolution	3	
	Unit III: Social Reformer and Idealist Political Thinkers:		
	A. Swami Vivekananda: Ideal Society.	3	
B. Sri Aurobindo Ghosh: Spiritual Nationalism	3		
C. Dr.B.R.Ambedkar-Social Justice.	1		
August (15)	Unit IV: Socialist Political Thinkers:	3	
	A. M.N.Roy: Radical Humanism.	3	15
	B. Jayaprakash Narayan: Total Revolution.	4	
	C. Dr.Ram Monahar Lohia: Socialism	3	
	2+		
September (17)	Unit V: Liberal and Progressive Thought:		
	A. M.K.Gandhi: Swaraj- Relevance.	2	17
	B. Jawaharlal Nehru: Democratic Socialism and Secularism.	3	
	C. Vallabhbhai Jhaverbhai Patel: National Integration and Secularism.	3	
Revision	9		
October(01)	Revision	1	1
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PAPER-VI(A), SEMESTER-V,
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Month	Topic	No. of Classes	Total Classes
June (10)	Unit I: Historical Background: 1. International Relations: Evolution, Scope and Significance. 2. Rise of Sovereign State System-Treaty of Westphalia. 3. First and Second World War-Causes and Consequences.	4 3 3	10
July (17)	Unit II: Post War Developments: A. Cold War: Causes, Phases and Impacts. B. Détente: New Cold War, End of Cold War. C. Emergence of Third World: Problems and Prospectus. Unit III: International Organisations: A. UNO: Structure, Role, Need for Reforms. B. Regional Organisations: EU, ASEAN, SAARC.	4 3 3 4 3	17
August (15)	C. Specialized Agencies of UNO. Unit IV: International Political Economy: A. Understanding Globalization and its Alternative Perspectives. B. Anchors of Global Political Economy: IMF, World Bank, WTO, BRIC and TNCs. C. Development Dilemmas: IT Revolution and Debate on Sovereignty Unit V: Contemporary Global Issues: A. Ecological: Historical Overview of International Agreements, Climate Change.	3 4 3 3 2+	15
September (17)	B. Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons. C. International Terrorism: Non-State Actors and State Terrorism. Revision	2 3 3 9	17
October(1)		1	1
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SEMESTER-V
GENERIC ELECTIVE-INTERDISCIPLINARY COURSE
ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION UNDER INDIAN CONSTITUTION

Month	Topic	No. of Classes	Total Classes
June (4)	Unit-I: ADR IN INDIAN CONSTITUTION		
	1. Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles 2. Indian Judicial System-Introduction of ADR.	2 2	4
July (8)	3. The Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996. 4. Lok Adalat. 5. Activities	4 2 2+	8
	Activities	2	
August (8)	Unit-II: INTERNATIONAL PERSPECTIVE		
	1. International Commercial Arbitration 2. New-York and Geneva Convention	2 4	8
September (8)	3. UNCITRAL Model Law, Treaties etc. 4. Enforcement of Foreign Award and Jurisdictional Issues 5. Activities	2 2 4	8
	Assignment /Activities	2	2
October(2)			
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PAPER-II, SEMESTER-II,

CONCEPTS AND INSTITUTIONS IN POLITICAL SCIENCE

Month	Topic	No. of Classes	Total Classes
November (10)	Unit I: CONCEPTS-I 1. Liberty and Equality – Definition and Types. 2. The relationship between Liberty and Equality. 3. Power, Authority and Legitimacy.	4 4 2+	10
December (20)	Unit II: DEMOCRACY & RIGHTS 1. Democracy: Definition and Types; Direct and Indirect Democracy. 2. Participatory Democracy. 3. Rights: Definition and Types; Theories of Rights: Legal, Natural, Individual and Collective and Human Rights. Unit III: FORMS OF GOVERNMENT 1. Unitary and Federal- UK, China, USA and Switzerland. 2. Quasi-Federal State: India.	+2 4 4 4 4 4 2+	20
January (20)	3. Type of Government: Parliamentary and Presidential- A Comparison between UK and USA. Unit IV: ORGANS OF THE GOVERNMENT 1. Introduction to Theory of Separation of Powers. 2. Organs of Government: i. Legislature: Unicameral and Bi-cameral; Powers and Functions, ii. Executive: Powers and Functions, iii. Judiciary: Powers and Functions. 3. Independence of Judiciary; Judicial Review and Activism.	2 4 4 4 4 4 2+	20
February (22)	Unit V: NON-STATE ACTORS 1. Pressure Groups: Meaning and their Role. 2. Mass Media; New Media. 3. Information Technology: Right to Information. Revision	2 4 4 12	22
March (03)	Revision	3	3
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PAPER-VII, SEMESTER-VI,
WESTERN POLITICAL THOUGHT

Month	Topic	No. of Classes	Total Classes
November (09)	Unit I: Ancient & Medieval Political Thought:		
	A. Plato: Theory of Justice and Ideal State.	4	9
	B. Aristotle: Classification of Government, Theory of Revolution and Slavery.	3	
C. Machiavelli: Statecraft.	2		
December (17)	Unit II: Social Contractualist:	1	17
	A. Thomas Hobbes: Individualism and Absolutism.	4	
	B. John Locke: Natural Rights and Limited Government.	3	
	C. J.J.Rousseau: General Will.	3	
	Unit III: Utilitarianism:		
A. Jermy Bentham: Principles of Untilitarianism	3		
B. James Mill: Utility, Property and Political Participation.	3		
January (15)	C. J.S.Mill: Liberty, Representative Government.	4	15
	Unit IV: Idealist:	3	
	A. Kant: Moral Freedoms.	4	
	B. Hegel: State, War and Freedom.	3	
February (18)	C. T.H.Green: Rights and Political Obligation	1+	18
	Unit V: Modern Socialism and Liberal Thought:		
	A. Karl Marx: Dialectical and Historical Materialism.	3	
	B. Robert Nozick: Libertarianism; Theory of Property.	3	
C. John Rawls: Theory of Justice.	3		
Remaining working days Revision Classes	9		
March(1)	Revision	1	1
		60	60

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PAPER-VIII (A), SEMESTER-VI,
INDIA'S FOREIGN POLICY

Month	Topic	No. of Classes	Total Classes
November (9)	Unit I: Postcolonial State to an Aspiring Global Power: A. Principles of India's Foreign Policy. B. Determinates of India's Foreign Policy. C. Non-alignment: Concepts, Policy and relevance.	4 3 2+	9
December (17)	Unit II: India And Global Economy: A. India and World Trade Organisation. B. Demand for New International Economic Order. C. Challenges to India's Trade: Foreign Direct Investment, Import and Export Policy. Unit III: India's Relation with Major Powers: A. Indo-US Relations. B. Indo-Russia Relations.	1 4 3 3 4 2+	17
January (15)	C. Sino-India Relations. Unit IV: India's Relation with Neighbours: A. India and Pakistan. B. India and Bangladesh. C. India and Sri Lanka	1 3 4 3 3 1+	15
February (18)	Unit V: India's Strategic Issues: A. Environment and India. B. India in contemporary multipolar world. C. Permanent membership in the Security Council-Constraints. Revision Classes	3 3 3 9	18
March(1)		1	1
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SEMESTER-VI

GENERIC ELECTIVE

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS (IPR)

Month	Topic	No. of Classes	Total Classes
November (6)	Unit-I: INDIAN LAWS 1. The Indian Copyright Act, 1957. 2. The Trademarks Act, 1999. 3. The Patents Act, 1970.	2	6
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December (8)	4. The Designs Act, 2000. 5. Geographical Indication of Goods, Act, 1999. Activities	2	8
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January (8)	Unit-II: INTERNATIONAL PERSPECTIVE 1. The Agreement of Trade Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights (TRIPS). 2. The World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO). 3. Intellectual Property Rights Treaties. Activities	2	8
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February (8)	4. The World Trade Organisation. 5. Issues of Implementations. Activities/Assignment on Intellectual Property Rights	2	8
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BA II YEAR SEMESTER-VI
CORPORATE LEGAL COMPLIANCES-I (SEC-I)

Month	Topic	No. of Classes	Total Classes
November (6)	UNIT-I: A. Procedure for Registration of a Society/an Institution.	3	6
	B. Rules and Regulations-the Societies Registration Act, 1860.	3	
December (8)	UNIT-I: C. Prepare a draft for Registration of an Educational Institution/Charitable Society(Practical)	4	8
	Activities	4	
January (8)	UNIT-II: A. Procedure for registration to start-up a Company.	3	8
	B. Rules and Regulations- the Companies Act, 1956.	3	
	Activities	2	
February (8)	C. Prepare a draft for Registration of a Company (Practical)	4	8
Assignment/Activities	4		
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