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DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

PROGRAM OUTCOMES

By the end of the program the students will be able to:

- Acquire do main knowledge.
- Study and analyze political contexts from critical and constructive prospective.
- Have a better understanding of the working of various political institutions including decentralized institutions state legislatures and parliament and relate this functioning to the greater cause of nation building as a responsible citizen.
- Assess how global national and regional development affects polity and society.
- To gain critical thinking and develop the ability to make logical inferences about socio-economic and political issues, on the basis of comparative and contemporary political discourses in India.
- Contemplate about national and international issues involving States having different political ideologies and historical contexts.
- Pursue higher education such as Post Graduate Studies and Research in Political Science and in other interdisciplinary areas to provide qualitative insights to create a better world.



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COURSE OUTCOMES

I SEM: BASIC CONCEPTS IN POLITICAL SCIENCE

- Political Science, theoretically and will gain knowledge to explain and analyze politics at large.
- The dynamics of politics.
- To inculcate the democratic spirit.

I SEM: POLITICAL THEORY

At the end of the course the students shall understand-

- The nature and relevance of Political Theory.
- The different concepts like Liberty, Equality, Justice and Rights.
- To reflect upon some of the important debates in Political Theory.

I SEM: HUMAN RIGHTS

- Explain the basic concept of Human Rights and its various formulations.
- Have necessary knowledge and skills for analyzing, interpreting, and applying the Human Rights standards and sensitize them to the issues.
- Develop ability to critically analyse Human Rights situations around them.

I SEM : WESTERN POLITICS

- And get an introduction to the Schools of Political Thought and Theory making in the West.
- And introduce the richness and variations in the political perceptions of Western Thinkers.
- And familiarize themselves to the Thought and Theory of Western Philosophy.



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II SEM: INDIAN NATIONAL MOVEMENT AND CONSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- Understand how the colonial rule was over thrown by the Indian nationalists.
- Appreciate the ideals and values of Gandhi that resulted in freedom.
- Examine the problem of Independent India and the role played by great leaders in solving them.

II SEM : INDIANPOLITY: ISSUES AND CONCERNS

- Understand the reasons behind the causes of these issues and also the constitutional provisions that existed.
- Familiarize with the debates that emerged.
- Be able to suggest the measures to control such issues.

III SEM: INDIAN GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS

- Learn how the governments both at the union as well state level operates and what are its challenges.
- Understand the characteristics of power structures in India and the response of the political parties to the socio-political dynamics.
- Measure and understand the effects of judicial decisions on policy making and social development in India.

III SEM: PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURES IN INDIA

- Aim at understanding the procedural aspects of parliamentary system of governments.
- Learn about the privileges of people's representatives and match it with their performance.
- Understand the working of committees, budgetary aspects and deliberative mechanism within the parliament.



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III SEM: GENDER AND POLITICS

- Answer how ideologies have shaped the women in politics
- Bring awareness of the relevance of gender issues in politics.
- Through discussions on women and governance understand the ground realities about politics in relation to women.

III SEM: UNDERSTANDING GANDHI

- Be able to explain the idea of truth and non-violence which is the foundation of Gandhian Philosophy.
- Know the position of Gandhi on issues like Hindu-Muslim relations, gender question, cow protection, caste and untouchability questions.
- Answer his reason for his choice of Swadeshi and his critique of modern Civilization.

IV SEM: CITIZEN, CITIZENSHIP THE INDIAN CONSTITUTION

- Take part in social reconstruction as responsible individuals and will learn to develop own identities.
- Demonstrate pro-social behavior towards others, including those belonging to a different race, ethnicity, culture, colour, gender or nationality.
- Understand and appreciate rights and privacy of other fellow citizens.

IV SEM: ANCIENT INDIAN POLITICAL IDEAS AND INSTITUTIONS

- Reflection the native concepts like Dharma, Rajadharma, Nyaya, Viveka etc., in the light of their modern connotations.
- Understand the role of texts and stories in the Indian context by reflecting upon our own experiences.
- Revisit our own socio-political structures through the textual and non-textual sources from the early Indian period in order to quell the European representation of Indian Society and heritage.



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IV SEM: MODERN POLITICAL ANALYSIS

- Understand the key concepts of Political Institutional working and science within them.
- Be familiar with the Phenomenon of politics and various explanations relating to the influences that mould the decision making process.
- Help the students to visualize the working of political institutions and the process of decision making through diagrammatic presentations.

IV SEM: GOOD GOVERNANCE IN INDIA

- Understand the difference between traditional form of Administration and the concept of Governance
- Get a perspective of changing modes of Governance with the examples drawn from central and state Governments.
- Appreciate the participation of citizens in day today Administration through a charter and other programmes like Sakala, Bhoomi etc.,.

IV SEM : POLITICAL JOURNALISM

- Understand the skills of reporting and research insights about the system and its structural contours focusing on Politics.
- Carry out political reporting covering Government and Governance, campaigns and candidates, tactics and strategies and policy issues in the public arena.
- Develop writing and interpretative skills.

V SEM: INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS – BASIC CONCEPTS

- Be in apposition describe National interest, National power and the significance of sovereignty.
- The students will get the basic knowledge of the practical political world, including the operating institutions, processes, and policies.
- The students will be in opposition to describe the nuances of balance of power, collective security and diplomacy.



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V SEM: COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS

- Grasp and understand the working of constitutional systems of these countries.
- Compare and evaluate the working of the governments concerned.
- Understand and explain different forms of executive and their functioning

V SEM: KARNATAKA GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS

- Understand the social and political conditions of Mysore under colonial rule.
- Develop perspective s on the important persons and organizations that were involved in the process of unification.
- Analyse the issues related to regionalism, polarisation, identity politics, water, language, and border issues.