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Nizamabad.



POLITICAL SCIENCE
CBCS – SYLLABUS AND MODEL PAPERS
B.A I, – YEAR
(SEMESTER-I,II)

2019 - 20

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

Proceedings of the Principal, Girraj Government College, Nizamabad

Present : K. Dubba Rajam, Principal (FAC)

Procs. RC. No: _____/Pol. Sci./BOS/GGC/NZB 2019-2021 Date: 24.09.2019

Sub :- Constitution of the BOS in Political Science Department, for the term of 2019-2021 Orders - Issued.

ORDER :-

As per the UGC Guidelines, the Board of Studies in the Department of Political Science is constituted for the term of 2019 with the following members.

01. J. Anasooya

BOS Chairperson
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02. Dr. Ravinder Reddy

Asst. professor, Chairperson
Department of
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University Nominee

03. K. Surekha

Contract lecturer in political science,
Girraj Government College (A),
Nizamabad.

Member K. Surekha

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The tenure of B O S is 2 years only.

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Principal
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BOARD OF STUDIES MEETING

A meeting of Board of Studies Department of Political Science is held on 24-09-2019 under the Lecturer Staff of J. Anasooya, B.O.S. Chairperson in the Department of Political Science T.U. Hyderabad to discuss and approve the new C.B.C.S. Syllabus for B.A. Year wise (1st year) I, II Semesters resolved.

It is unanimously resolved to approve the C.B.C.S. syllabus for B.A. (1st year) I, II semesters WEF in year 2019-2020.

The question paper pattern is as under semester

Semester Examination	-70 marks -	Time -	3 Hours
Internal Assignment	-25 marks -	Time -	30 Minutes

(Internal Assignment of last with average of)

Assignment	- 05 Marks
Total Marks	-100 Marks

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DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

Choice Based Credit System (w.e.f., 2019-2021)

Subject : POLITICAL SCIENCE

TOTAL CREDITS : 34

Sl. No.	Semester	DSL/DSE/GE/SEC	Paper	Title	Credits	Hours
I		DSL	Paper I	Understanding political theory	3	3
		DSL	Paper II	Western political thought	3	3
		DSL	Paper III	Indian government and politics – basis of Indian constitution & citizenship	3	3
II		SEC	Paper I	Language & basic skills in English	1	1
		DSE	Paper IV	Indian government & politics – government & politics	3	3
		SEC	Paper II	Waste Management	2	2
III		DSL	Paper V [compulsory]	Political Thought – Ancient & Medieval Political Thought	4	4
		DSE	Paper II(A) (optional)	International Relations – International Relations in 19 th & 20 th century	4	4
			Paper II(B)	Govt. & Politics in Telangana		
		SLA	Paper III	Citizenship Rights, Duties and Laws	2	2
		GE	Paper I (optional)	Contemporary Political Economy	2	6
IV		DSE	Paper VI (compulsory)	Political Thought – Western & Indian Political Thought		
		DSE	Paper II(A) (optional)	International Relations – International relations in 19 th & 20 th Century	4	4
			Paper II(B)	Govt. & Politics in Telangana		
		SEC	Paper IV	Legislative Practices & Procedures	2	2
V		GE	Paper II (optional)	Human Rights, Gender & Environment	2	6

–DSC (Discipline Specific Course)

–DSE (Discipline Specific Elective)

–GE (Generic/General Elective) or Interdisciplinary Course for Students of Social Sciences other than - Political Science (5 Credits + 1 Tutorial)

–SEC (Skill Enhancement Course)

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B.A Political Science

I st Semester

Paper - I

Understanding Political Theory

Unit- I Political Theory

- What is Political Theory, Evolution, Nature , Significance
- Debates on Political Theory
 - a) Normative
 - b) Empirical

Unit- II What is Political?

- State: Theories of origin of the state, Divine, Social Contract, Evolution Theories
- Power and Authority
- Authoritative allocation of Values
- Sovereign state : Challenges

Unit- III Political Values and Theoretical Perspective

- Liberty :- A) Liberal B) Marxist C) Feminist
- Equality :- A) Liberal B) Marxist C) Feminist
- Justice :- A) Liberal B) Marxist C) Feminist

Unit- IV Political Ideologies

- Liberalism
- **Nationalism** Theories of origin of the state, Divine, Social Contract
- Multiculturalism

Unit- V Political Institutions and Functions

- Legislature, Executive and Judiciary
- Political Parties, Pressure Groups, Media

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Reading List :

1. Rajeev Bhargava & Ashok Acharya , editions. Political Theory: An Introduction, Pearson,2019
2. Sushila Ramaswamy, Political Theory : Ideas and Concept, PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.2015
3. O.P. Gauba, An Introduction to Political Theory, Macmillan, 2019
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14. Norman P. Barry : An Introduction to Modern Political Theory (London Macmillan 1989)
15. Richard Bellamy (ed): Theories and Concepts of Politics (New York, Manchester University Press 1993.)
16. Anthoppny H. Brirch: The Concepts and Theories of Modern Democracy (London Routledge, 2001)
17. Martin Carnoy: The State and Political Theory (Princeton, Princeton University Press, 1984)

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II nd Semester
Paper – II
Western Political Thought

Unit- I Greek Political Thought

- Greek Political Thought - Sophists
- Plato - Concept of Justice , Ideal State , Education and Communism.
- Aristotle :- Forms of Governments, On revolution, Slavery, Best state

Unit- II Medieval and Early Modern Thought

- Thomas Aquinas :- Theory of Laws, Christianized Aristotle
- Church - State Controversy
- Niccolo Machiavelli - Human Nature , StateCraft

Unit- III Social Contractualists

- Thomas Hobbes :- Individualism and Absolute (State) Sovereignty
- John Locke :- Natural Rights Limited Government
- J. J. Rousseau :- Romanticism, General will, Popular Sovereignty

Unit- IV Utilitarian Thought

- Jeremy Bentham :- Utilitarian Principles; Hedonism
- J. S. Mill :- On liberty, Representative Government

Unit-V Philosophy of Dialectics

- G.W.F. Hegal :- Dialectics Purpose of History Geist (Spirt) and State
- Karl Marx:- Historical Materialism, Class war and Revolution.

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Reading List :

1. D.Mackenzie Brown, (1959), **Indian Political Thought from Manu to Gandhi**, University of California Press, Berleley and Los Angeles.
2. George Klosko, (eds), (2011), **The Oxford Handbook of The History of Political Philosophy**, Oxford University Press, New York.
3. Gregory Claeys, (eds) (2013), **Encyclopedia of Modern Political Thought**, Sage Publication, New Delhi.
4. M.P.Singh and Himanshu Roy, (eds), (2011), **Indian Political Thought: Themes and Thinkers**, Pearson, New Delhi.
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Girraj Goverment College (Autonomous), Nizamabad
BA B.Com/B.Sel Year (w.e.f. 2019-20)
Model Question Paper Pattern for Internal Evaluation

Internal Test : 25 Marks

Assignment : 05 Marks

Total = 30 Marks

Internal Test

Time: One Hour

Max.Marks:25

Note (i) Separate Internal Answer booklet will be given to the students. Answers should be written in the answer booklet only, Question paper will be given to the students after internal Examination.

(ii) Two internal tests will be conducted in each semester; Average of two will be taken.

SECTION-A

I. Fill in the Blanks

5x1=5Marks

Note: At least two questions will be given from each module/unit in this part. Module/ Unit I and II will be taken for first internal test and Module / Unit III and IV will be taken for Second Internal Test.

QNo. 1

QNo. 2

QNo. 3

QNo. 4

QNo. 5

SECTION-B

5x2=10Marks

II. Answer any five of the following questions in not exceeding 5 lines.

Note: At least four questions will be given from each module/unit in this part. Module/ Unit I and II will be taken for first internal test and Module/Unit III and IV will be taken for Second Internal Test.

QNo. 6

QNo. 7

QNo. 8

QNo. 9

QNo. 10

QNo. 11

QNo. 12

QNo. 13

SECTION-C

2x5=10 Marks

III. Answer all the following questions in not exceeding one page of each answer. Each question has 5 marks.

Note: Only one question with internal choice will be given from each module/unit in this part. Module/ Unit I and II will be taken for first interital test and Module/Unit III and IV will be taken for Second Internal Test.

QNo. 14 (a) or (b)

QNo. 15 (a) or (b)

Assignment

2x 2.5=05 Marks

Note: Each Assignment consisting of 5 Questions. At least two questions will be given from each Module/Unit from each assignment. Module/ Unit I and II will be taken for first Assignment and Module/ Unit III and IV will be taken for Second Assignment.

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