

SEMESTER-I

Understanding Political Theory

course out come

This course gives knowledge about the meaning of political theory ,its evolution and nature such as empirical and positive .It enables the student to understand the origin of the state its evolution by analysing various theories and can estimate the challenges to the present sovereign state system. Political institutions and their functions and the relationship between the individual and state can be understood and an individual can become a good citizen and can participate in government affairs in a better way and acquire leadership qualities by this knowledge.

- CO1: It explains about the various theories for the origin of the state and analyses the concept of authority and its allocation.
- CO2: One can assess the challenges of the sovereign state and can Evaluate the theory of liberalism, nationalism and multiculturalism
- CO3: It elaborates about the political institutions. Explains about various organs of government legislature, executive, judiciary their composition ,types and functions which enables to know about the different governments existing in the world and their way of functioning.
- CO4: Explains political party meaning, types, the way of functioning and the significance of political parties
- CO5: Explains the role of pressure groups and describes the types of pressure groups. Gives an understanding on the role of mass media and political theory enables the student to think critically about the political institutions developed over a period of time by studying different approaches, concepts related to the relationship between the individual and state can be analysed.

Semester -II

WESTERN POLITICAL THOUGHT(DSC)

- CO1: The course gives an introduction to Political Thought processes and Theory making in the West.
- CO2: From the Greek Political thinkers to down the ages including Utilitarian's, this course introduces the student to the richness and variations in the political perceptions of Western Thinkers.
- CO3: It provides a foundation to students of Political Science in familiarizing themselves to the Thought & Theory of Western Philosophy.
- CO4: It particularly focuses on the evolution of idea and institution of State in the West.
- CO5: It covers ancient, medieval and early modern thinkers

SEMESTER-III

INDIAN POLITICAL THOUGHT (DSC)

- CO1: Tracing the evolution of Indian political thought from ancient India to modern India.
- CO2: The course gives an introduction to Political Thought processes and Theory making in India. From the ancient Political thinkers to down the modern political thinkers in India.
- CO3: this course introduces the student to the richness and variations in the political perceptions of Indian Thinkers.
- CO4: It provides a foundation to students of Political Science in familiarizing themselves to the Thought & Theory of Indian Philosophy.

CO5: It particularly focuses on the relationship between the state and society in ancient India. and evolution of ideas on society and state . It covers ancient, medieval and modern thinkers .which gives the knowledge for the student to understand the Indian state and society from past to the present.

SEMESTER-IV

GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS IN INDIA

CO1: This course Introduces the Indian Constitution with a focus on the evolution ,the role of the Constituent Assembly and the essence of the Preamble.

CO2: it gives the knowledge about the nature of Indian Federalism with focus on Union-State Relations. Critically analyses the important institutions of the Indian Union: the Executive: President; Prime Minister, Council of Ministers; Governor, Chief Minister and Council of Ministers; The legislature: Rajya Sabha, Lok Sabha, Speaker, Committee System, State Legislature, The Judiciary: Supreme Court and the High Courts: composition and functions- Judicial Activism.

CO3: explains the Indian Party system – its development and looking at the ideology of dominant national parties

CO4: Evaluates the role of various forces on Indian politics: religion; language; caste; tribe; regionalism; business; working class and peasants

CO5: gives knowledge about the Electoral Process in India with focus on the Election Commission: Composition, Functions and Role

SEMESTER -V

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (DSE)

CO1: Explains the scope and subject matter of International Relations as an autonomous academic discipline.

CO2: one can explore Approaches and methods to study the discipline through Political realism, Pluralism and Worlds system's Model.

- CO3: Explains about colonialism causes and the process of decolonisation. Describes the Cold War phases and understanding the post-cold War era.
- CO4: Examines the issues of Underdevelopment, Terrorism, Regionalism and Integration that characterizes the Post second world war order.
- CO5: Studies the features of Indian foreign policy and its relationship with USA and China. This course gives knowledge about world affairs in a very systematic way.

Vth Semester- Generic Elective

POLITICS OF DEVELOPMENT

- CO1: The purpose of this module is to examine the effects of political factors on economic development in India. It aims to familiarise students with various theories of economic development, specifically the role of the state and government intervention in development.
- CO2: It will thereby enable students to acquire a nuanced and empirically grounded perspective on the reasons for wide variations in economic development.
- CO3: Acquire a basis for critical and independent analysis of issues of governance and power in the post-colonial world Planning, Mixed Economy, Socialistic Pattern of Society Sectors of Development: Industry, Agriculture, Irrigation enhance their knowledge about theories of how power and governance is related to problems of development in the post-colonial world.
- CO4: Acquire a basis for critical and independent analysis of issues of governance and power in the post-colonial world Planning, Mixed Economy, Socialistic Pattern of Society Sectors of Development: Industry, Agriculture, Irrigation. Be able to recall and compare the major theories and concepts of power and governance
- CO5: Be able to understand Issues of Development in the Post-Economic Reforms period Economic Reforms: Liberalisation, Privatisation, Globalisation, Development and Displacement, Development and Environment

Semester VI

GLOBAL POLITICS (DSE)

- CO1: It allows students to develop an understanding of the local, national, international and global dimensions of political activity, as well as allowing them the opportunity to explore political issues affecting their own lives.
- CO2: Global politics draws on a variety of disciplines in the social sciences and humanities.
- CO3: It helps students to understand abstract political concepts such as Power, Elements of Power, Balance of Power, Growing importance of Soft Power, Security, Collective Security, Bipolarity, Multipolarity, Unipolarity by grounding them in real world examples and case studies.
- CO4: Developing international mindedness and an awareness of multiple perspectives is at the heart of this course.
- CO5: It encourages dialogue and debate, nurturing the capacity to interpret competing and contestable claims.

Semester-VI

CONTEMPORARY POLITICAL THEORY

This course will examine the main theoretical voices in contemporary political thought—specifically ideas and beliefs. Its goal is to introduce students to the major political belief systems, or political ideologies, that have shaped the world. It will examine a range of these ideologies in order to understand what they believe, what they want to accomplish, and what their strengths and weaknesses are. By studying these different ideologies, and comparing them to one another, the course intends to help students clarify and better understand their own political ideology and how it shapes their view of the world.

- CO1: Explain the essential elements of all the Contemporary political theoretical traditions
- CO2: Understand and identify key concepts in political thought from a historical perspective;

CO3: Apply gained knowledge of contemporary political thought on the real politics of today.

CO4: Use the critical and analytical skills in assessing main sources in political thought.

CO5: Assess the main works of leading political thought thinkers.

Programme Specific Outcomes

PSO1: This subject political science in BA programme provides a broad view of this disciplinary development

PSO2: The programme provides a balanced treatment between the Western and the Indian political thought and theory.

PSO3: The programme provides a balanced treatment to both empirical and normative aspects of the discipline of Political Science. The students get a balanced footing on concepts

PSO4: Analyses the Indian constitutional provisions, major legislations and reforms.

PSO5: The programme draws inputs from allied disciplines and empowers the students with an interdisciplinary focus and understanding.

PSO6: The Programme draws on research thrust areas of the Department like India's state and sub-state politics, public policy, India's foreign policy, women and politics and social movements, to name a few.

PSO7: The programme supports problem solving skills, thinking, creativity through assignments, project work, both individual and group based.

PSO8: The programme empowers and motivates students for research in Political Science and related fields.

PSO9: Since the Department has its own dedicated library students get enough opportunity to prepare for competitive examinations.
