

# DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

**Name of the programme: B.A POLITICAL SCIENCE (Hons.) (Under CBCS)**

**Year of Introduction: 2018**

## **Programme Specific Outcomes (PSO)**

**PSO 1:** This course imparts knowledge about some basic concepts of the discipline.

**PSO 2 :** This course contains various approaches to the study of the discipline and provides basic understanding of the Marxian approach.

**PSO 3 :** This course provides knowledge about the constitutional system of India.

**PSO 4:** This course deals with the structures and processes of the Indian political system and the impact of various factors on it.

**PSO 5 :** This course gives an idea about ancient and medieval Indian political thought. It also provides knowledge of the political thoughts of some modern Indian political thinkers.

**PSO 6 :** This course deals with the evolution of comparative politics and major approaches to the study of it. It also discusses constitutional structures of different political systems of the world by comparative analysis.

**PSO 7 :** This course aims at giving students an idea about the major theories and emergent issues of IR and the determinants and phases of Indian Foreign Policy.

**PSO 8 :** This course deals with the political thoughts of various Indian political thinkers of pre and immediate post-independence period.

**PSO 9 :** This course deals with the evolution of global politics since 1945 along with major institutions of global governance. It also discusses India's relationship with its neighbours and the role of UNO.

**PSO 10 :** This course gives an idea about ancient and medieval western political thought and discusses the political thoughts of some eminent western political thinkers.

**PSO 11 :** This course on the one hand discusses political thoughts of some major western political thinkers and on the other hand gives an idea about various types of socialism.

**PSO 12 :** This course deals with a bunch of major concepts of political sociology.

**PSO 13 :** This course gives the basic idea about the key concepts of public administration.

**PSO 14 :** This course provides a basic idea about administration and public policy in India.

## **COURSE OUTCOME (CO)**

### **CORE COURSES**

#### **SEMESTER 1:**

##### **PLSA CC1 (Understanding Political Theory) :**

**CO 1** - The understanding of the basic concepts enable the students to delve into the depth of the discipline.

##### **PLSA CC2 (Understanding Political Theory: Approaches and Debates) :**

**CO 1** - Students get idea about the different approaches to study the subject.

**CO 2** - Principles of Marxism is also introduced to the students.

#### **SEMESTER 2 :**

##### **PLSA CC 3 (Constitutional Government in India):**

**CO 1** - Students will get informed about constitutional system and the various branches of union and state governments of India. It will also teach them their role as future parliamentarians.

##### **PLSA CC4 (Politics in India: Structures and Processes) :**

**CO 1** - Students become aware of the various dynamics of operation of Indian political system which enables them to become more conscious about political actors.

#### **SEMESTER 3 :**

##### **PLSA CC 5 (Indian Political Thought -1) :**

**CO 1** - Students will become aware of the major trends within ancient Indian political thought and will gain knowledge about the actual political philosophy in India, and the response of the Indian intellectuals to political concepts and ideas.

## **PLSA CC 6 (Comparative Government and Politics):**

**CO 1** - Students will gain in-depth knowledge about the constitutional systems of the different countries of the world.

**CO 2** - It will help students to get ideas about the methods of comparison among different governments.

## **PLSA CC7 (Perspective on International Relations):**

**CO 1** - Students will be able to understand the major theories of IR and identify the determinants of Indian Foreign Policy.

**CO 2** - Students will also have a detailed idea on the major phases of Indian Foreign Policy as well as India's relation with USA and China.

## **SEMESTER 4:**

### **PLSA CC 8 (Indian Political Thought II):**

**CO 1** - Students shall acquire knowledge of the political thoughts of some famous Indian political thinkers.

### **PLSA CC 9 (Global Politics since 1945):**

**CO 1** - Students will be able to understand the details of the evolution of cold war and get a proper idea about the emergence of Third World and European Union.

**CO 2** - Students will know about some major institutions of global governance and regional organisations.

**CO3:** Students will also have a detailed idea on the relationship between India and her neighbours and UNO.

## **PLSA CC10 (Western Political Thought and Theory I) :**

**CO 1-** Students can know about some major concepts given by ancient and medieval political thinkers, which are still relevant in modern day politics.

## **SEMESTER 5 :**

### **PLSA CC 11 (Western Political Thought and Theory II) :**

**CO 1-** Students can acquire knowledge about some more western political thinkers and their concepts.

**CO 2:** Students can know about various types of socialism.

### **PLSA CC 12 (Political Sociology) :**

**CO 1** - The students will have knowledge about the major concepts of Political Sociology which will help them to understand political systems better.

## **SEMESTER 6 :**

### **PLSA CC 13 (Public Administration-Concepts and Perspective) :**

**CO 1** - Students will be able to know the nature and evolution of Public Administration as a subject.

**CO2:** Students can gain the idea of some major concepts of administration which will enable them to understand the administrative practices and procedure.

### **PLSA CC 14 – (Administration and Public Policy in India) :**

**CO 1** - It helps the students to know the details of Indian Administration and to gain any important position in future in Administrative service.

## **B.A. (Hons) Skill Enhancement Course (SEC)**

### **PLSA-SEC3-A - (Democratic Awareness Through Legal Literacy) :**

**CO 1** - This course gives the students knowledge about the evolution of Indian legal system from British era to the present days and about common legal terms and some important acts.

### **PLSA-SEC4-B- (Legislative Practices and Procedures) :**

**CO 1** - This course gives the students full information about practices and procedures of Indian parliament.

## **B.A (Hons) Discipline Specific Elective (DSE)**

### **PLSA-DSE-5-A (2) (Understanding South Asia) :**

**CO 1** - This course gives the students a comprehensive idea about South Asian region.

### **PLSA-DSE-5-B(1) (Indian Foreign Policy in a Globalising World) :**

**CO 1** - This course offers the students a broad view of India's relationship with major powers and South Asia.

### **PLSA-DSE-6-A(3)-(Public Policy in India) :**

**CO 1** - This course provides the students an idea about the policy analysis in different types of states and the role of economy, interest groups and social movements in policy making in Indian context.

### **PLSA-DSE-6-B (4) (Human Rights in a Comparative Perspective) :**

**CO 1** - This course provides information to the students about the theory of human rights, its institutionalisation and comparative discussion of status of human rights in India and some other nations.