

KANNUR UNIVERSITY

FOUR-YEAR UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMME (KU-FYUGP)

SYLLABUS

POLITICAL SCIENCE

2024 Admissions onwards

KANNUR UNIVERSITY

VISION AND MISSION STATEMENTS

Vision

To establish a teaching, residential and affiliating University and to provide equitable and just access to quality higher education involving the generation, dissemination and a critical application of knowledge with special focus on the development of higher education in Kasaragod and Kannur Revenue Districts and the Mananthavady Taluk of Wayanad Revenue District.

Mission

- ➤ To produce and disseminate new knowledge and to find novel avenues for application of such knowledge.
- ➤ To adopt critical pedagogic practices which uphold scientific temper, the uncompromised spirit of enquiry and the right to dissent.
- ➤ To uphold democratic, multicultural, secular, environmental and gender sensitive values as the foundational principles of higher education and to cater to the modern notions of equity, social justice and merit in all educational endeavours.
- > To affiliate colleges and other institutions of higher learning and to monitor academic, ethical, administrative and infrastructural standards in such institutions.
- ➤ To build stronger community networks based on the values and principles of higher education and to ensure the region's intellectual integration with national vision and international standards.
- ➤ To associate with the local self-governing bodies and other statutory as well as non-governmental organizations for continuing education and also for building public awareness on important social, cultural and other policy issues.

PROGRAMME OUTCOMES

PO1: Critical Thinking and Problem-Solving-Apply critical thinking skills to analyze information and develop effective problem-solving strategies for tackling complex challenges.

PO2: Effective Communication and Social Interaction-Proficiently express ideas and engage in collaborative practices, fostering effective interpersonal connections.

PO3: Holistic Understanding-Demonstrate a multidisciplinary approach by integrating knowledge across various domains for a comprehensive understanding of complex issues.

PO4: Citizenship and Leadership-Exhibit a sense of responsibility, actively contribute to the community, and showcase leadership qualities to shape a just and inclusive society.

PO5: Global Perspective-Develop a broad awareness of global issues and an understanding of diverse perspectives, preparing for active participation in a globalized world.

PO6: Ethics, Integrity and Environmental Sustainability-Uphold high ethical standards in academic and professional endeavours, demonstrating integrity and ethical decision-making. Also acquire an understanding of environmental issues and sustainable practices, promoting responsibility towards ecological well-being.

PO7: Lifelong Learning and Adaptability-Cultivate a commitment to continuous self-directed learning, adapting to evolving challenges, and acquiring knowledge throughout life.

INTRODUCTION

The Higher Education System in Kerala has entered a new phase with the implementation of the Four-Year Undergraduate Programme (FYUGP). This program aims to completely change the existing higher education system in the state, driven by both international and national influences. Its main objective is to make the curriculum and courses more student-centric and industry-centric. Aligned with the Kerala Higher Education Regulations and Curriculum Framework, the Kannur University Four-Year Undergraduate Programme emphasizes a more holistic and multidisciplinary education to develop all aspects of human capacity.

The Board of Studies (BoS) in Political Science at Kannur University has introduced the curriculum and syllabus for the four-year undergraduate program with the intention of nurturing critical thinking and problem-solving skills, while also fostering qualities such as citizenship, leadership, and a global perspective among learners.

The BoS in Political Science organised workshop and many rounds of formal and informal discussions with experts to prepare curriculum and syllabus for FYUGP in Political Science. The BoS hopes that once the program is completed, learners will acquire essential skills like critical thinking, problem-solving, a comprehensive understanding of complex issues, citizenship and leadership qualities, and the ability to understand diverse issues and perspectives. On behalf of the Board of Studies, and myself being Chairperson of the BoS, I express my immense and heartfelt thanks to all teachers who have co-operated with this academic exercise. I also express my sincere thanks to Dr B Bindu, Professor, Department of Anthropology, Kannur University, Dr G. Geethika, Assistant Professor, Union Christian College, Aluva to their co-operation to the Board of Studies in syllabus preparation.

Dr Sudheesh K M Chairperson Board of Studies, Political Science Kannur University

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Programme Specific Outcome

- PSO-1. Understand key socio-political theories, ideologies, concepts, human rights, and global and Indian socio-political events and issues.
- PSO-2. Analyze socio-political phenomena, theories, and policies, identifying patterns, relationships, and implications in diverse contexts.
- PSO-3. Critically evaluate socio-political events and policies, identifying strengths, weaknesses, and proposing alternative perspectives or solutions.
- PSO-4. Integrate knowledge from different disciplines to address contemporary socio-political challenges, informing policy-making and advocacy efforts.
- PSO-5. Conduct independent research on socio-political issues, demonstrating proficiency in research methods and ethical standards.
- PSO-6. Communicate political ideas and research findings effectively through various mediums to diverse audiences.
- PSO-7. Participate in civic discourse, community engagement, and leadership roles, advocating for democratic principles, social justice, and responsible governance.

DETAILS OF COURSES OFFERED

$\mathbf{E}\mathbf{R}$			N	IARKS	5	Š	76
SEMESTER	COURSE CODE	COURSE NAME		ESE	TOTAL	CREDITS	HOURS/ WEEK
		1. LIST OF DISCIPLINE-SPECIFIC COURSES	S (DSC))			
	KU1DSCPOL101	Foundations of Political Science	30	70	100	4	4
I	KU1DSCPOL102	Understanding Indian Constitution	30	70	100	4	4
	KU1DSCPOL103	Fundamentals of Political Science	30	70	100	4	4
	KU2DSCPOL104	Indian Constitution: An Introduction	30	70	100	4	4
п	KU2DSCPOL105	Indian Constitution: Institutions and Processes	30	70	100	4	4
	KU2DSCPOL106	Ideas and Concepts in Political Science	30	70	100	4	4
	KU3DSCPOL201	Western Political Thought: Ancient and Medieval	30	70	100	4	4
	KU3DSCPOL202	State and Politics in India	30	70	100	4	4
III	KU3DSCPOL203	Introduction to International Politics	30	70	100	4	4
	KU3DSCPOL204	Political Ideologies	30	70	100	4	4
	KU4DSCPOL205	Theorising Political Concepts	30	70	100	4	4
IV	KU4DSCPOL206	Western Political Thought: Modern Tradition	30	70	100	4	4
	KU4DSCPOL207	Theories and Concepts in International Relations	30	70	100	4	4
	KU5DSCPOL301	Comparative Politics	30	70	100	4	4
V	KU5DSCPOL302	Public Administration	30	70	100	4	4
	KU5DSCPOL303	Issues in International Relations	30	70	100	4	4
		State and Politics in Kerala	30	70	100	4	4
VI	Reobser obsos	Human Rights	30	70	100	4	4
	KU6DSCPOL306	Indian Political Thought	30	70	100	4	4
	KU7DSCPOL401	Indian Administration	30	70	100	4	4
VII	KU7DSCPOL402	Contemporary Political Thought	30	70	100	4	4
RO7DSCI OL403		Philosophy and Practice of Political Science Research	30	70	100	4	4
	KU7DSCPOL404	Public Policy	30	70	100	4	4
	KU7DSCPOL405	Peace and Conflict Studies	30	70	100	4	4

	KU8DSCPOL406	Contemporary Trends in Centre State Relations in India	30	70	100	4	4
VIII	KU8DSCPOL407	Advanced Political Theory	30	70	100	4	4
	KU8DSCPOL408 S	South Asian Politics	30	70	100	4	4
		2. DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE COURSE	ES (DSI	Ε)			l
	KU5DSEPOL301	Philosophy of Social Sciences	30	70	100	4	4
	KU5DSEPOL302	Decentralised Democracy in India	30	70	100	4	4
\mathbf{v}	KU5DSEPOL303	ndia's Foreign Policy	30	70	100	4	4
	KU5DSEPOL304 F	Political Sociology	30	70	100	4	4
	KU6DSEPOL305	nternational Organisations and Regional Arrangements	30	70	100	4	4
	KU6DSEPOL306	Financial Administration in India	30	70	100	4	4
X7X	KU6DSEPOL307	Environmental Politics	30	70	100	4	4
VI	KU6DSEPOL308 F	Political Ideologies	30	70	100	4	4
	KU8DSEPOL401 F	Political Anthropology	30	70	100	4	4
	KU8DSEPOL402	New Social Movement	30	70	100	4	4
	KU8DSEPOL403 F	Politics of Media	30	70	100	4	4
VIII	KU8DSEPOL404	ntellectual Property Rights	30	70	100	4	4
		3. INTERNSHIP					
		(Credit for internship to be awarded only at the end of Semester 6)	15	35	50	2	_
		4. RESEARCH PROJECT					
	KU8RPHPOL401 F	Project (in Honours Programme)	60	140	200	8	_
	KU8RPHPOL402	Research Project	90	210	300	12	_
	1	5. MULTI DISCIPLINARY COURSE (MD	C)				
Ι	KU1MDCPOL101	Media & Politics	25	50	75	3	3
II	KU2MDCPOL102	Environmental Politics	25	50	75	3	3
		6. VALUE ADDED COURSE (VAC)		I	1		I
	KU3VACPOL201	Constitutional Values	25	50	75	3	3
Ш		Artificial Intelligence, Ethics & Constitutional Values in the Digital Age	25	50	75	3	3

	KU4VACPOL203 Electoral Literacy	25	50	75	3	3	
IV	KU4VACPOL204 Human Rights	25	50	75	3	3	

7. SKILLENHANCEMENT COURSE (SEC)

IV	KU4SECPOL201	Disaster Management	25	50	75	3	3
V	KU5SECPOL301	Psephology	25	50	75	3	3
VI	KU6SECPOL302	Legislative Practices & Procedures	25	50	75	3	3

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SEMESTER	COURSE CODE			ESE	TOTAL	CREDITS	HOURS / WEEK
	KU1DSCPOL101	Foundations of Political Science	30	70	100	4	4
I	KU1DSCPOL102	Understanding Indian Constitution	30	70	100	4	4
	KU1DSCPOL103	Fundamentals of Political Science	30	70	100	4	4
	KU1MDCPOL101	Media and Politics	25	50	75	3	3
	KU2DSCPOL104	Indian Constitution: An Introduction	30	70	100	4	4
II	KU2DSCPOL105	Indian Constitution: Institutions and Processes	30	70	100	4	4
	KU2DSCPOL106	Ideas and Concepts in Political Science	30	70	100	4	4
		Environmental Politics	25	50	75	3	3
	KU3DSCPOL201	Western Political Thought: Ancient and Medieval	30	70	100	4	4
	KU3DSCPOL202	State and Politics in India	30	70	100	4	4
Ш	KU3DSCPOL203	Introduction to International Politics	30	70	100	4	4
	KU3DSCPOL204	Political Ideologies	30	70	100	4	4
	KU3VACPOL201	Constitutional Values	25	50	75	3	3
	KU3VACPOL202	Artificial Intelligence, Ethics & Constitutional Values in the Digital Age	25	50	75	3	3
IV	KU4DSCPOL205	Theorising Political Concepts	30	70	100	4	4
11	KU4DSCPOL206	Western Political Thought: Modern Tradition	30	70	100	4	4
	KU4DSCPOL207	Theories and Concepts in International Relations	30	70	100	4	4
	KU4VACPOL203	Electoral Literacy	25	50	75	3	3
	KU4VACPOL204	Human Rights	25	50	75	3	3
	KU4SECPOL201	Disaster Management	25	50	75	3	3
	KU5DSCPOL301	Comparative Politics	30	70	100	4	4
V	KU5DSCPOL302	Public Administration	30	70	100	4	4
		Issues in International Relations	30	70	100	4	4
		Philosophy of Social Sciences	30	70	100	4	4
		Decentralised Democracy in India	30	70	100	4	4
	KU5DSEPOL303	India's Foreign Policy	30	70	100	4	4

	KU5DSEPOL304	Political Sociology	30	70	100	4	4
	KU5SECPOL301	Psephology	25	50	75	3	3
	KU6DSCPOL304	State and Politics in Kerala	30	70	100	4	4
	KU6DSCPOL305	Human Rights	30	70	100	4	4
	KU6DSCPOL306	Indian Political Thought	30	70	100	4	4
VI	KU6DSEPOL305	International Organisations and Regional Arrangements	30	70	100	4	4
	KU6DSEPOL306	Financial Administration in India	30	70	100	4	4
	KU6DSEPOL307	Environmental Politics	30	70	100	4	4
	KU6DSEPOL308	Political Ideologies	30	70	100	4	4
	KU6SECPOL 302	Legislative Practices & Procedures	30	70	100	3	3
	KU6INTPOL301	Internship	15	35	50	2	-
	KU7DSCPOL401	Indian Administration	30	70	100	4	4
VII	KU7DSCPOL402	Contemporary Political Thought	30	70	100	4	4
	KU7DSCPOL403	Philosophy and Practice of Political Science Research	30	70	100	4	4
	KU7DSCPOL404	Public Policy	30	70	100	4	4
	KU7DSCPOL405	Peace and Conflict Studies	30	70	100	4	4
	KU8DSCPOL406	Contemporary Trends in Centre State Relations in India	30	70	100	4	4
	KU8DSCPOL407	Advanced Political Theory	30	70	100	4	4
	KU8DSCPOL408	South Asian Politics	30	70	100	4	4
	KU8DSEPOL401	Political Anthropology	30	70	100	4	4
		New Social Movements	30	70	100	4	4
VIII	KU8DSEPOL403	Politics of Media	30	70	100	4	4
	KU8DSEPOL404	Intellectual Property Rights.	30	70	100	4	4
	KU8RPHPOL401	Project (Honours Programme)	60	140	200	8	-
	KU8RPHPOL402	Research Project (Honours with Research)	90	210	300	12	-

WORK AND CREDIT COURSE DISTRIBUTION

- 4	WORK AND CR		struct		Credit			IARKS	8	-
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SEMESTER	COURSE CODE	L/T	P	Total		on (Hour)	CA	ESE	TOTAL	Total Credit
SE									T	${f T}_0$
	AEC				3	1.5				
	English									
	AEC				3	1.5				
I	Other Languages KU1DSCPOL101 Foundations of Political	4		4	4	2	30	70	100	
1	Science Science	4		4	4	2	30	/0	100	21
	KU1DSCPOL102 Understanding Indian	4		4	4	2	30	70	100	21
	Constitution			-		_		, ,	100	
	KU1DSCPOL103 Fundamentals of	4		4	4	2	30	70	100	
	Political Science									
	KU1MDCPOL101 Media and Politics	3		3	3	1.5	25	50	75	
	AEC				3	1.5				
	English					1.5				
II	AEC				3	1.5				
	Other Languages									
	KU2DSCPOL104 Indian Constitution: An	4		4	4	2	30	70	100	
	Introduction	4		4	4	2	30	70	100	21
	KU2DSCPOL105 Indian Constitution: Institutions and Processes	4		4	4	2	30	70	100	21
	KU2DSCPOL106 Ideas and Concepts in	4		4	4	2	30	70	100	
	Political Science	-		-		_				
	KU2MDCPOL102 Environmental Politics	3		3	3	1.5	25	50	75	
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	KU3DSCPOL201 Western Political	4		4	4	2	30	70	100	
	Thought: Ancient and Medieval KU3DSCPOL202 State and Politics in	4		4	4	2	30	70	100	
Ш	India	4		4	4	2	30	/0	100	
	KU3DSCPOL203 Introduction to	4		4	4	2	30	70	100	
	International Politics									22
	KU3DSCPOL204 Political Ideologies	4		4	4	2	30	70	100	
	KU3MDC Kerala Specific				3	1.5				
	KU3VACPOL201 Constitutional Values	3		3	3	1.5	25	50	75	
	KU3VACPOL202 Artificial Intelligence,	3		3	3	1.5	25	50	75	
	Ethics & Constitutional Values in the Digital Age						-5			

	KU4DSCPOL205 Theorising Political	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	
IV	Concepts			4		20	70	100	_
	KU4DSCPOL206 Western Political Thought: Modern Tradition	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	
	KU4DSCPOL207 Theories and Concepts in International Relations	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	21
	KU4VACPOL203 Electoral Literacy	3	3	3	1.5	25	50	75	-
	KU4VACPOL204 Human Rights	3	3	3	1.5	25	50	75	-
	KU4SECPOL201Disaster Management	3	3	3	1.5	25	50	75	-
	KU5DSCPOL301 Comparative Politics	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	
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\mathbf{V}	KU5DSCPOL302 Public Administration	4	4	4	2	30	70		-
	KU5DSCPOL303 Issues in International Relations	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	
	KU5DSEPOL301 Philosophy of Social Sciences	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	23
	KU5DSEPOL302Decentralised Democracy in India	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	
	KU5DSEPOL303 India's Foreign Policy	4	 4	4	2	30	70	100	**
	KU5DSEPOL304 Political Sociology	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	•
	KU5SECPOL301 Psephology.	3	3	3	1.5	25	50	75	***
	KU6DSCPOL304 State and Politics in	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	
	Kerala		 4	4		20	70	100	
	KU6DSCPOL305 Human Rights	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	_
	KU6DSCPOL306 Indian Political Thought	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	
VI	KU6DSEPOL305 International Organisations and Regional Arrangements	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	
	KU6DSEPOL306 Financial Administration in India	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	23
	KU6DSEPOL307 Environmental Politics	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	
	KU6DSEPOL308 Political Ideologies	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	-
	KU6SECPOL 302 Legislative Practices & Procedures	4	4	3	1.5	25	50	75	-
	KU6INTPOL301-Internship			2		152	35	50	15 2 35
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	KU7DSCPOL401 Indian Administration	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	
VII	KU7DSCPOL402 Contemporary Political Thought	4	 4	4	2	30	70	100	
	KU7DSCPOL403 Philosophy and Practice of Political Science Research	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	
	KU7DSCPOL404 Public Policy	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	20
	KU7DSCPOL405 Peace and Conflict Studies	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	
	KU8DSCPOL406 Contemporary Trends in Centre State Relations in India	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	
	KU8DSCPOL407 Advanced Political Theory	4	 4	4	2	30	70	100	
	KU8DSCPOL408 South Asian Politics	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	
	KU8DSEPOL401 Political Anthropology	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	24
VIII	KU8DSEPOL402 New Social Movements	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	
	KU8DSEPOL403 Politics of Media	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	
	KU8DSEPOL404 Intellectual Property Rights	4	4	4	2	30	70	100	
	KU8RPHPOL401 Project (Honours Programme)			8		60	140	200	
	KU8RPHPOL402 Research Project (Honours with Research)			12		90	210	300	

SEMESTER-III

Course Code	Course Title	CE	ESE	Total	Credit	Hour
KU3DSCPOL201	Western Political Thought: Ancient and Medieval	30	70	100	4	4
KU3DSCPOL202	State and Politics in India	30	70	100	4	4
KU3DSCPOL203	Introduction to International Politics	30	70	100	4	4
KU3DSCPOL204	Political Ideologies	30	70	100	4	4
KU3VACPOL201	Constitutional Values (VAC-1)	25	50	75	3	3
KU3VACPOL202	Artificial Intelligence, Ethics & Constitutional Values in the Digital Age	25	50	75	3	3

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KU3DSCPOL201: WESTERN POLITICAL THOUGHT: ANCEINT & MEDIEVAL

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course	Code	Credits	Total Hours
3	DSC	DSC 200-299 KU3DSCPOL201		POL201	4	60
Learnin	g Approach (Hou	Mar	rks Distributi	on	Duration of	
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE ESE		Total	ESE (Hours)
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 hrs

Course Description:

This course offers students a comprehensive understanding of Western Ancient and Medieval Thought, focusing on the intellectual foundations that shaped political ideas and institutions during these periods. Students will explore the evolution of political theory, governance, and societal structures, gaining insights into how these ideas significantly influenced the development of Western civilization. Additionally, students will critically examine the political institutions, their workings, and key features of these periods. By studying the works of prominent philosophers, political theorists, and the historical contexts that influenced their thinking, students will develop a deeper understanding of the intellectual roots of modern Western political thought.

Course Prerequisite: NIL Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Understand the key historical events and contexts that influenced ancient and medieval political thought.	R
2	Comprehend the foundational concepts and theories proposed by ancient and medieval political thinkers.	U
3	Critically examine the evolution of political thought and its impact on Western civilization.	A
4	Apply theoretical frameworks to analyze and evaluate political structures, and governance systems, prevalent in ancient and medieval civilizations.	An
5	Assess the contributions of ancient and medieval political thought to contemporary political discourse and governance practices.	E

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1	✓						
CO 2		√ 2					
CO 3			✓				
CO 4				√			
CO 5						✓	

COURSE CONTENTS

Contents for Classroom Transaction:

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS	
	Ancien	at Political Thought: The Context	12	
	1	Historical Origin of Ancient Political Ideas in Greece.		
1	2	Historical Origin of Ancient Political Ideas in Rome.		
	3	Political and Institutional Setting of Ancient World in Greece		
	4	Political and Institutional Setting of Ancient World in Rome		
	Ancien	t Political Thought- Thinkers & Ideas	12	
2	Greek Thinkers: Plato- Idealist Philosophy, Theory of Justice, and Ideal State.			
	2	Aristotle: Theory of Origin of State, Slavery, Property, Citizenship, Sovereignty, Justice, Governments & their Classifications, and Revolution.		

	3	Roman Thinkers: Polybius: Classification of Government, and Mixed Constitution.	
	4	Marcus Tullis Cicero: Equality, Justice, Commonwealth & Mixed government.	
	Medi	eval Political Thought-The Context, Thinkers & Ideas	12
	1	Historical origin of Medieval Political Ideas	
3	2	Political and Institutional Settings of Medieval World	
	3	St. Augustine: Two Cities & Justice & Peace	
	4	St. Thomas Aquinas: Faith & Reason, Origin of Society & State, and Theory of Law.	
	Trans	ition from Medieval to Modern-The Context, Thinkers & Ideas	12
	1	Transition from Medieval to Modern- Renaissance	
4	2	Marsilio of Padua: Pope vs Emperor, and Theory of secular political authority.	
	3	Machiavelli: The Beginnings of Modern Political Thought. Human Nature, and Theory of State Power.	
	4	Rise of Liberal Democratic Ideas.	
_	Teach	ner Specific Module	12
5	Direct	tions	

Essential Readings:

- **1.** Jha, Shefali. (2022). *Western Political Thought: From the Ancient Greeks to Modern Times* (Second Edition). Noida: Pearson.
- **2.** Mukhopadhyay, Amal Kumar. (2020). *Western Political Thought: From Ancient Greeks to Modern Political Scientists*. New Delhi: Sage.
- 3. Gauba, O.P. (2011). Western Political Thought (Second Edition). New Delhi: Mayur Paperbacks.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Nelson, Brian R. (2000). Western Political Thoughts: From Socrates to the Age of Ideology (Second Edition). Noida: Pearson.
- 2. Chaurasia, R.S. (2001). *History of Political Thought (Vol. I & II)*. New Delhi: Atlantic Publishers.
- 3. Jayapalan, N. (2011). Comprehensive History of Political Thought. New Delhi: Atlantic.
- 4. Singh, Sukhbir. (2021). *History of Political Thought (Volume II)* (15th Edition), Rastogi Publications, New Delhi.
- 5. Roberts, Peri & Peter Sutch. (2012). *An Introduction to Political Thought: A Conceptual toolkit (2nd Revised edition)*. Edinburgh: Edinburgh University Press.

- 6. Harmon, M Judd. (1996). *Political Thought: From Plato to Present*. New Delhi: McGraw Hill Book Company.
- 7. Sabine, G.H. (2004). *History of Political Theory*. New Delhi: Prentice Hall.
- 8. Ebenstein, William. (1969). Great Political Thinkers, New Delhi: Oxford India.

Assessment Rubrics:

	Evaluation Type	Marks
End	Semester Evaluation	70
Cont	inuous Evaluation	30
a)	Test Paper- 1	10
b)	Test Paper-2/Quiz	10
c) (Assignment/Seminar/Book/Article Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the two)	10
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Employability for the Course:

Studying this course equips students with enhanced historical analysis and research skills applicable in fields such as academia, historical research, and museum curation, strong critical thinking and problem-solving abilities valuable for roles in policy analysis, government agencies, and think tanks, and effective communication skills essential for presenting complex ideas and engaging in debates, beneficial for careers in law, public relations, and diplomacy.

KU3DSCPOL202: STATE AND POLITICS IN INDIA

Semester Course Type		Course Level	Course	Code	Credits	Total Hours
3	DSC 200-299		KU3DSCPOL202		4	60
Learning	g Approach (Hou	Marks Distribution			D4:6	
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 hrs

Course Description:

This course helps to familiarize students about some vital institutions and political processes in India. The course begins with the significance and meaning of the concept of federalism. It assists to identify the issues which are related to federalism in India. The course helps to detect the importance and functions of election commission as the keystone of democracy in the nation, ensuring the sanctity and fairness of elections. It also gives in depth knowledge in the role of political parties as an indispensable actor in India's democratic framework, shaping political discourse, driving policy agendas, and mediating between citizens and the state. Students can identify the vital device for democratic governance and inclusive development at the grassroots level in India, the Panchayati Raj system. This course as whole gives understanding about major constitutional institutions in India and their crucial roles in upholding democracy, maintaining governance, and ensuring the rule of law.

Course Prerequisite: Nil Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains		
1	Describe the concept of federalism and evaluating the nature of Indian Federalism with focus on Union-State Relations			
2	Explain role of Election Commission of India in protecting and promoting democracy and upholding free and fair elections.	Е		
3	Estimate Decentralized form of governance in India, intended to grassroots-level administration and development.	Е		
4	Identifies the significance of judicial institutions and processes in India and compare it with other countries.	Е		
5	Differentiate various institutions constitute the pillars of India's democratic framework, ensuring the separation of powers, checks and balances, and accountability in governance	An		

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
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CO 3	~		~				~

CO 4		✓		✓
CO 5	~			~

COURSE CONTENTS

Contents for Classroom Transaction:

MODUL E	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS				
	Indian Sta	ite	12				
	Indian State- History of State Formation: Colonialism and National Movement						
1	2	Indian State: Liberal Perspectives					
	3 Indian State: Marxian Perspective						
	4	Indian State- Gandhian Perspective					
	State and	Development	12				
	1	Indian Political Economy: Characteristics and Features					
2	2	Planned Economic Development (1950-1991)					
	3	Economic Liberalisation (1991- to present)					
	4	Development and Discontents					
	State and	Society	12				
	1	Casteism, and Marginalisation					
3	2 Ethnicity, Regionalism and Demand for Autonomy						
	3	Communalism: Majority & Minority					
	4	Politics of Reservation					
	State and Working of the Institution						
	1	Parliament					
4	2	The President					
•	3	The Supreme Court					
	4	The Civil Service					
E	Teacher S	pecific Module	12				
5	Directions						

Essential Readings:

1. Aggarwal, Shivali & Gyanaranjan Swain. (2012). *India Politics and the Nature of the State in India: Liberal, Marxist, and Gandhian Approaches*. In The Indian Political System (Eds). By Mahendra Prasad Singh & Subhendra Ranjan Raj. New Delhi: Pearson.

- 2. Pankaj, Ashok K. (2012). Strategies of the Development in India Since Independence. In The Indian Political System (Eds). By Mahendra Prasad Singh & Subhendra Ranjan Raj. New Delhi: Pearson.
- 3. Jayal, Niraja Gopal & Pratap Bhanu Mehta (2012). *Oxford Companion to Politics in India*. New Delhi: OUP.
- 4. Kapur, Davesh, Pratap Bhanu Mehta & Milan Vaishnav (2017). *Public Institutions in India*: New Delhi: OUP.
- 5. Oommen, M.A. (2023). Indian Development and its Discontents. *Social Change*. 53(4),448-468.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Austin, Granville. (2000). Working of a Democratic Constitution, Delhi: Oxford.
- 2. Choudhury, S., M. Khosla & P.B. Mehta, (2016). Oxford Handbook of Indian Constitution, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- 3. Bakshi, P.N. (2008). The Constitution of India. Allahabad: Allahabad Law Publishers.
- 4. Pandey, J.N.(2010). The Constitutional Law of India, Allahabad: Central Law Agency.
- 5. Fadia. & Fadia. (2012). *Indian Administration*. Sahitya Bhavan Publications, Agra.
- 6. Johari, J.C. (2008). *Indian Political System*. New Delhi: Anmol Publications.
- 7. Chakrabarthi, Bidyut. & RajendraKumar Pandey. (2008). *Indian Government and Politics*. New Delhi: Sage.
- 8. Austin, G. (2010). *The Indian Constitution: Cornerstone of a Nation*. New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- 9. Chaube. S. (2009). *The Making and Working of the Indian Constitution*. New Delhi: National Book Trust.
- 10. Singh, M. & R. Saxena. (2011). *Indian Politics: Constitutional Foundations and Institutional Functioning*, Delhi: PHI Learning Private Ltd.
- 11. Abbas, H., Kumar, R. & Alam, M. A. (2011). *Indian Government and Politics*. New Delhi: Pearson.

Assessment Rubrics:

	Evaluation Type	Marks
En	nd Semester Evaluation	70
Co	ntinuous Evaluation	30
a)	Test Paper- 1	10
b)	Test Paper-2/Quiz	10
c)	Assignment/Seminar/Book/A rticle Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the two)	10
	Total	100

KU3DSCPOL203:INTRODUCTION TO INTERNATIONAL POLITICS

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code	Credits	Total Hours
3	DSC	200-299	KU3DSCPOL203	4	60

Learnin	g Approach (Hou	Mai	Duration of			
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 hrs

Course Description:

The paper covers traditional, modern and post-modern approaches of studying International Politics. The course is to enable the students to learn key concepts in international relations.

Course Prerequisite: NIL Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Understanding various theories in International Politics	U
2	Analysing various types of war	An
3	Evaluating power mechanisms in International Politics	Е
4	Identifying the needs and importance of international law in international politics	Α
5	Analysing various concepts in international politics	An

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
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CO 5	~			~			

COURSE CONTENTS

Contents for Classroom Transaction:

MODUL E	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS		
	Introduct	ion	12		
1	1	Meaning, Nature, and Scope of International Politics			
	2	International to Global Politics			
	3	Corollaries of the State System			
	4	Evolution of Modern State System: Treaty of Westphalia, Decolonisation, and Post Cold War.			
	Theories	of International Relations	12		
	1	Liberal Tradition I: Liberal Idealism & Neo Liberal Idealism.			
2	2	Liberal Tradition II-Realism, and Neo Realism			
	3	Marxian Traditions-Dependency Theory and World System Theory			
	4	Non-Marxian: Feminism			
	Major Concept of International Relations				
	1	National Power- Meaning, and Elements.			
3	2	National Interest: Definition, Instruments for the promotion of the National Interest.			
	3	Diplomacy: Definition, Kinds of Diplomacy.			
	4	Foreign Policy: Definition, Determinants of Foreign Policy			
	Global O	rganizations	12		
	1	League of Nations: Structure, Functions and Success			
4	2	United Nations Organisations: Structure, Functions, Working, Success,			
•	3	Global Financial Institutions: World Bank & International Monetary Fund: Evolution, Structure, Functions, Working, and Criticisms.			
	4	World Trade Organisation: Evolution, Structure, Functions, Working, and Criticisms.			
<i>-</i>	Teacher	Specific Module	12		
5	Direction	ıs			

Essential Readings:

- 1. Neuman, Stephanie G.,1998, *International Relations Theory and the Third World*, London: Macmillan.
- 2. Basu, Rumki (Eds), 2012, *International Politics: Concepts, Theories and Issues*. New Delhi: Sage Publications.

- 3. Heywood Andrew, 2014, Global politics. Palgrave Macmillan
- 4. Palmer and Perkins, 2002, *International Relations*, Revised Indian edition, New Delhi: A.I.T.B.S Publisher's
- 5. John Baylis, Steve Smith (ed),2008, *The Globalization of World Politics: An Introduction to International Relations*, 4th edition, New York: Oxford University Press
- 6. Jackson and Sorensen, G., 2008, *Introduction to International Relations: Theories and Approaches*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- 7. S Goldstein Joshua, 2017, International Relations, Pearson.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Holsti, K.J. 1991, *International Politics: A Framework for Analysis*, New Delhi: Prentice Hall of India
- 2. Charles W.Kegley, et.al (ed), 2000, *World Politics: Trends and Transformation*, New York: St:Martins Publications
- 3. Aron, Raymond, 1973, Peace and War: A Theory of International Relations, New York, Anchor Books

Assessment Rubrics:

	, I	Marks		
End S	Semester Evaluation	70		
Conti	nuous Evaluation	30		
a)	Test Paper- 1	10		
b)	Test Paper-2/Quiz	10		
c)	Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the	10		
	Total	100		

KU3DSCPOL204: POLITICAL IDEOLOGIES

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code		Credits	Total Hours
3	DSC	200-299	KU3DSC	CPOL204	4	60
Learning	g Approach (Hou	Marks Distribution			D4:	
Lecture	Lecture Practical/ Internship		CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)
4	-	1	30	70	100	2hrs

Course Description:

This course provides a profound insight into diverse ideas and ideologies that facilitates to see how individuals and societies interpret political events, formulate policies, and navigate the complexities of governance. Course will say the central role of ideologies in shaping political systems and influencing the direction of social and economic development. It helps to identify how individuals and societies make sense of the world around them, navigate complex political issues, and make informed decisions about governance and public policy.

Course Prerequisite: Nil Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Comprehend the meaning of political ideology. Compare and contrast different political ideologies.	U&E
2	Generalise the understanding of liberalism as a political ideology and the core principles of liberalism.	E
3	Modifies the understanding of socialism and identify the socialist ideas and their implications for contemporary politics and society	A
4	Identify the core principles of other ideologies like fascism, feminism, green ideologies.	An
5	Comprehensive understanding and analysis of major political ideologies.	An

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Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
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CO 3			~				~
CO 4			~				~
CO 5	~						~

COURSE CONTENTS Contents for Classroom Transaction:

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS
	Understan	12	
	1	Ideology- Definition, and Features	
1	2	Perspectives on Ideology: Marxist, Liberal, and Conservative.	
	3	Types of Political Ideology: Right, Centre, and Left.	
	4	Traditions of Ideology: Classical & Modern, and Debate on End of ideology.	
	Liberalism	m & Conservatism	12
	1	Origin and Development of Liberalism	
	2	Key Features	
2	3	Traditions: Classical, Modern, and Neoliberal	
	4	Conservatism: Origin, and Development- Key Features and Traditions.	
	Socialism		12
	1	Origin and Development	
3	2	Types: Utopian Socialism/Philanthropic	
	3	Marxian Socialism: Classical, and Neo	
	4	Democratic Socialism, and Social Democracy	
	Other Ide	ologies	12
	1	Anarchism	
4	2	Fascism	
	3	Gandhism	
	4	Feminism	
5	Teacher S	Specific Module	12

Essential Readings:

- 1. Heywood, Andrew. (2022). *Politics* 5th Edition. New Delhi: Bloomsbury.
- **2.** Heywood, Andrew. (2017). *Political Ideologies: An Introduction*. 5th Edition. New Delhi: Palgrave-Mac Millan.
- 3. Gauba, O.P. (2023). *An Introduction to Political Theory*, New Delhi: Lauren Asher. **Suggested Readings:**
- 1. Schwarzmantel, J. (2008). *Ideology and Politics*. London: SAGE Publications.
- 2. Appadorai, A. (2002). Substance of Politics. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- 3. Ball, Alan R. (2008). Modern Politics and Government. New York: Palgrave Macmillan.
- 4. Heywood, Andrew. (2007). Key Concepts in Politics, New York: Palgrave Macmillan.
- 5. Mahajan.V.D. (2009). *Political Theory*, New Delhi: Chand & Company.
- 6. Varma.S.P. (1984). Modern Political Theory. New Delhi: Vikas.
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- 8. Freeden, Michael. (2015). *Liberalism: A Very Short Introduction*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- 9. Newman, Michael. (2020). *Socialism: A Very Short Introduction*. (2nd edn). New Delhi: Oxford University Press.

Assessment Rubrics:

Evaluation Typ	e Marks
End Semester Evaluation	n 70
Continuous Evaluation	30
a) Test Paper- 1	10
b) Test Paper-2/Quiz	10
Assignment/Seminar ticle Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ O Discussion (Any of the	Group 10
Total	100

KU3VACPOL201: CONSTITUTIONAL VALUES

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code		Credits	Total Hours
3	VAC	200-299	KU3VACPOL201		3	45
Learnin	g Approach (Hou	rs/Week)	Marks Distribution			Duration of
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	ESE (Hours)
3	-	-	25	50	75	1.5 hrs

Course Description:

This course aims to provide students with a comprehensive understanding of the values enshrined in the constitution. Through an exploration of historical contexts, ideologies, and contemporary applications, students will delve into the significance of constitutional values in shaping societies and governance systems. The course will analyze key constitutional principles such as justice, liberty, equality, fraternity, dignity, responsibility, secularism, cultural diversity, democratic dissent, and tolerance.

Course Prerequisite: NIL Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Recall the foundational principles and values outlined in the constitution.	R
2	Grasp the historical background, ideologies, and significance of constitutional values in shaping governance systems.	U
3	Apply constitutional values to analyze contemporary issues and challenges, and identifying their relevance.	A
4	Critically assess the implementation of constitutional values in state practices.	An
5	Assess the impact of constitutional values on fostering inclusive societies, addressing disparities, and mitigating conflicts, proposing strategies for enhancing their implementation and enforcement.	E

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1	✓						
CO 2		✓					
CO 3			✓				
CO 4					✓		
CO 5						✓	

COURSE CONTENTS

Contents for Classroom Transaction:

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS
	Introduct	ion	9
	1	Constitution, and Constitutionalism-Key features.	
1	2	Functions of the Constitution, and Constitutionalism	
	3	Constituent Assembly	
	4	Preamble	
	Constitut	ional Values of India- I	9
	1	Sovereignty- Popular Sovereignty	
2	2	Democracy and Republicanism.	
	3	Procedure Established by Law and Due Process of Law.	
	4	Directive Principles of State Policy	
	Constitu	9	
	1	Secularism and Cultural diversity	
3	2	Federalism	
	3	Fundamental Rights	
	4	Fundamental Duties	
	Constitut	ional Values-III	9
	1	Justice	
4	2	Liberty	
	3	Equality	
	4	Fraternity and Dignity	

	Teacher Specific Module	9
	Directions	
5	Organize a debate where students argue for or against the prioritization of certain constitutional values in specific scenarios. Provide case studies highlighting real-world challenges related to constitutional values such as caste discrimination, communalism, or majoritarianism. Divide students into groups to analyze these cases, identify the constitutional values at stake, and propose solutions or actions based on those values. Invite experts in constitutional law, social activism, or public policy to give lectures or participate in panel discussions on specific constitutional values or contemporary issues related to governance and societal norms.	

Essential Readings:

- 1. Bellamy, R. (2023, August 2). Constitutionalism. Encyclopaedia Britannica. https://www.britannica.com/topic/constitutionalism
- 2. Spiro, H. John (2024, May 30). constitution. Encyclopaedia Britannica. https://www.britannica.com/topic/constitution-politics-and-law.
- 3. Basu, D D (2015), Introduction to the Constitution of India. Gurgaon: LexisNexis.
- 4. Laxmikanth, M (2018). Constitution of India. New Delhi: MC Graw Hill.
- 5. Agrawal, P K & Virag Gupta (2023). The Constitution of India Bare Act. New Delhi: Prabhat.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Sharma, B. K. (2022). *Introduction to the Constitution of India*. (11th Ed.). Hariyana: PHI Learning Pvt Ltd.
- 2. Choudhry, S., Khosla, M., & Mehta, P. (2016). *The Oxford Handbook of the Indian Constitution*. New Delhi: Oxford University Press.

Assessment Rubrics:

	Evaluation Type	Marks
En	d Semester Evaluation	50
Coı	ntinuous Evaluation	25
a)	Test Paper- 1	10
b)	Test Paper-2/Quiz	5
c)	Assignment/Seminar/Book/Arti cle Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the two)	10
	Total	75

KU3VACPOL202: Artificial Intelligence, Ethics & Constitutional Values in the Digital Age

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code	Credits	Total Hours
Third	VAC	200-299	KU3VACPOL202	3	45

Learning Approach (Hours/ Week)			Marks Distribution			Dunction of			
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)			
3	-	-	25	50	75	1.5 hrs			

Course Description:

This course examines the ethical and societal implications of Artificial Intelligence (AI) through the lens of constitutional values like justice, equality, and privacy. Students will learn core AI concepts, analyze biases in algorithms (caste, gender, race), and study AI's impact on democracy (elections, deepfakes). Using case studies like COMPAS and Aadhaar, the course explores data protection laws (GDPR, DPDP Act) and ethical frameworks for responsible AI use in governance, healthcare, and social justice. Through debates and practical exercises, students will develop skills to critically assess AI's challenges and propose solutions aligned with constitutional principles.

Course Prerequisite: NIL

Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Recall the fundamental concepts of AI, its applications in social sciences, and key constitutional values in the digital age.	R
2	Understand the ethical implications of AI, including biases (caste, race, gender) and their societal impact through case studies like COMPAS and Aadhaar	U
3	Apply constitutional and ethical frameworks to analyze real-world challenges posed by AI, such as deepfakes, election manipulation, and data privacy concerns	A
4	Critically assess the role of AI in democracy, evaluating its threats (e.g., echo chambers) and opportunities (e.g., fact-checking tools) for informed governance.	An
5	Design awareness campaigns or debate frameworks to advocate for privacy rights, bias mitigation, and ethical AI usage in society.	С

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Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1	✓						
CO 2		✓					
CO 3			✓				
CO 4					✓		
CO 5							

COURSE CONTENTS

Contents for Classroom Transaction:

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS	
	Introduct	duction		
	1	AI-Meaning, Definition, and Evolution		
1	2	AI and it's use in Social Science		
	3	Constitutional Values in Digital age		
	4	Ethics and AI		
	AI and Ju	stice	9	
	1	Justice- Meaning, Definition, and Types		
2	2	Relation between Justice and AI		
	3	Bias in AI- Caste, and Gender		
	4	Case Study: COMPAS Algorithm and Aadhar Exclusion		

	AI and D	emocracy	9
	1	Meaning and Definition of Democracy	
3	2	Importance of Elections in a Democracy	
	3	Challenges to Elections: Deepfake, and Electoral manipulations	
	4	Need for Proper usage of AI for Elections	
	AI and Et	hics	9
	1	Ethics: Meaning, and Definition.	
4	2	Importance of Ethics while using AI	
	3	Data protection laws	
	4	Ethical Standards to be used While Using AI	
	Teacher S	pecific Module	9
5	Directions		
3	Provide ca Data Prote	a debate on Right to Privacy ase studies highlighting real-world challenges related to AI and action a Ethics While using AI	

Essential Readings:

- 1. Russell, S., & Norvig, P. (2021). Artificial Intelligence: A Modern Approach(4th ed.). Pearson.
- 2. Eubanks, V. (2018). Automating Inequality: How High-Tech Tools Profile, Police, and Punish the Poor. St. Martin's Press.
- 3. Sunstein, C. (2017). Republic: Divided Democracy in the Age of Social Media. Princeton UP.
- 4. Zuboff, S. (2019). The Age of Surveillance Capitalism. PublicAffairs.
- 5. Bostrom, N. (2014). Superintelligence: Paths, Dangers, Strategies. Oxford UP.
- 6. Angwin, J., et al. (2016). "Machine Bias," ProPublica.
- 7. Chesney, R. & Citron, D. (2019). "Deep Fakes: A Looming Challenge for Privacy, Democracy, and National Security," California Law Review.
- 8. Government of India. (2023). Digital Personal Data Protection (DPDP) Act.
- 9. European Commission. (2018). General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR).
- 10. Ramanathan, U. (2017). "Aadhaar: A Biometric History of India's 12-Digit Revolution,"

Assessment Rubrics:

	Evaluation Type	Marks
End	Semester Evaluation	50
Cont	inuous Evaluation	25
a)	Test Paper- 1	10
b)	Test Paper-2/ Viva-Voce	5
c)	Assignment/ Seminar/ Book/ Article Review/ Field Report (Any of the two)	10
	Total	75

SEMESTER IV

Course Code	Courses	CE	ESE	Total	Credit	Hour
KU4DSCPOL205	Theorising Political Concepts	30	70	100	4	4
KU4DSCPOL206	Western Political Thought: Modern Tradition	30	70	100	4	4
KU4DSCPOL207	Theories and Concepts in International Relations	30	70	100	4	4
KU4VACPOL203	Electoral Literacy	25	50	75	3	3
KU4VACPOL204	Human Rights	25	50	75	3	3
KU4SECPOL201	Disaster Management	25	50	75	3	3

KU4DSCPOL205 THEORISING POLITICAL CONCEPTS

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code		Credits	Total Hours
4	DSC	200-299	KU4DSC	POL205	4	60
Learnin	Learning Approach (Hours/ Week)		Mai	rks Distributi	on	Duration of
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	ESE (Hours)
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 hrs

Course Description:

This course provides an in-depth exploration of political theory and examines the foundational ideas and key concepts that have shaped political thought and practice throughout history. Through close reading of primary texts and engagement with contemporary issues, students will develop a critical understanding of the diverse perspectives that enlighten political discourse. This course begins with an overview of the theoretical frameworks of political theory. Special attention will be given to state and sovereignty – diverse theories regarding the origin of state, citizenship, democracy - its forms and theories. Throughout the course, students will engage in critical discussions and debates on various concepts and theories.

Course Prerequisite: NIL Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	It provides a deep understanding of political theory, ideology and philosophy and enhances critical thinking and analytical skills into evolving nature of political theory and its relevance to contemporary issues.	1
2	Studying the concept of state enable the students to critically analyse political structures and apply this knowledge to contemporary political issues and debates.	A
3	It helps the students to foster a sense of civic duty and active engagement in political processes.	A
4	While understanding the concepts of democracy, students should be able to analyse the functioning of democratic institutions and practices.	E

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Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

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COURSE CONTENTS

MODU LE	UNIT DESCRIPTION		
	Introduct	ion	12
	1	Political Theory: Meaning, Definition, Nature and Scope.	
	2	Types of Political Theory: Explanatory, Normative, and Contemplative.	
1	3	Political Philosophy, Political Ideology, and Political Theory.	
	4	Debate on Decline and Revival of Political Theory.	
	State & S	overeignty	12
	1	Theories of the Origin of the State: Divine Right Theory, Social Contract Theory, Evolutionary Theory, Class Theory, Utilitarian Theory.	
2	2	Rival Theories of the State: the pluralist, the capitalist, the leviathan & the patriarchal.	
	3	Theories on the Role of the State: Minimal State, Social-Democratic, Neo-Liberal State, Collectivized, Totalitarian & Religious.	
	4	Theories of Sovereignty: Monism and Pluralism	
	Rights, Li	iberty, Justice & Equality	12
	1	Theories of Right: Natural Rights, Legal, Libertarian, and Marxian.	
_	2	Theories of Liberty: Liberal, Marxian, Libertarian & Feminist.	
3	3	Theories of Justice: Utilitarian, Libertarian, Egalitarian, Communitarian, and Feminist.	
	4	Theories of Equality: Liberals, Marxists & Feminists	

	Power,	Democracy, Citizenship & Civil Society	12
	1	Theories of Power: Liberal, Marxian, Elitist, Feminist & Post Modern.	
4	2	Democracy: Elitist, Pluralist, and Marxist.	
	3	Citizenship: Liberal, Libertarian, Communitarian, & Marxist.	
	4	Theories of Civil Society: Liberal and Marxian	
	Teache	er Specific Module	12
5	Direction	ons	
	1.Prepa	re a note on different forms of democracy	

- 1. Bhargava, Rajeev. (2008). What is Political Theory. In Political Theory: An Introduction (Eds). By Rajeev Bhargava & Ashok Acharya. Pearson: New Delhi.
- 2. Bhargava, Rajeev. (2008). *Why Do We Need Political Theory*. In Political Theory: An Introduction (Eds). By Rajeev Bhargava & Ashok Acharya. Pearson: New Delhi.
- 3. Heywood, Andrew. (2021). *Politics* (5nd Edi.). New Delhi: Bloomsbury.
- 4. Ramswamy, S. (2021). *Political Theory: Ideas and concepts*, 2nd Edition. Delhi: PHI Learning.
- 5. Gauba, O P. (2021). *An Introduction to Political Theory*. 9th Edition. New Delhi: National Paperbacks.
- 6. Neera Chandhoke (2024), *State and Civil Society: Explorations in Political Theory*, Atlantic Publishers

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Verma, S.P. (1983). Modern Political Theory. New Delhi: Vikas.
- 2. Pant, S.C. (1998). Political Science Theory. Luknow: Prakash Kendra.
- 3. Dubey, S.N. (2002). Political Science Theory. Agra: Prentice-Hall of India Pvt. Ltd.
- 4. Hoffman, John & Paul Graham (2015). *Introduction to Political Theory*. London: Pearson.
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- 6. Brecht. (1965). *Political Theory: The Foundations of Twentieth Century Political Thought*. Bombay: The Times of India Press.
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	Evaluation Type	Marks
Er	nd Semester Evaluation	70
Co	ntinuous Evaluation	30
a)	Test Paper- 1	10
b)	Test Paper-2/Quiz	10
c)	Assignment/Seminar/Book/A rticle Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the two)	10
	Total	100

KU4DSCPOL206 WESTERN POLITICAL THOUGHT: MODERN TRADITION

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code		Credits	Total Hours	
4	DSC	200-299	KU4DSC	POL206	4	60	
Learnin	g Approach (Hou	rs/ Week)	Marks Distribution			Duration of	
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	ESE (Hours)	
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 hrs	

Course Description:

This course offers a comprehensive investigation of diverse streams within Modern Western Political Thought. It introduces students to fundamental concepts, theories, and key debates that have shaped Western political discourse. Through the study of influential political thinkers, students will gain insight into how their ideas have influenced the development of modern political institutions. By analyzing diverse ideologies, students will examine their impact on governance and society, fostering a clear understanding of contemporary political dynamics.

Course Prerequisite: NIL

Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Students will be able to understand fundamental concepts, theories, and debates within Modern Western Political Thought, including the Social Contract Tradition, Idealism, Modern Conservatism, Marxism, and Positive Liberalism.	U
2	Examine the ideas of influential political thinkers such as Hobbes, Locke, Rousseau, Bentham, Mill, Hegel, Burke, Marx, Lenin, Gramsci, and T. H. Green and analyzing their contributions to political theory and governance.	A
3	Critically assess the impact of diverse ideologies on governance and society, identifying strengths, weaknesses, and implications for contemporary political dynamics.	Е
4	Apply theoretical frameworks and concepts to address modern political challenges, informing policy-making and advocacy efforts.	A
5	Synthesize knowledge from various streams of Modern Western Political Thought to propose innovative solutions and strategies for promoting democratic principles, social justice, and responsible governance.	С

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1		✓					
CO 2			✓				
CO 3						✓	
CO 4			✓				
CO 5							✓

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS
	Social Co	ntract Tradition	12
	1	Social Contract Theory- Key ideas, and Criticisms	
1	2	Thomas Hobbes: Human Nature, Social Contract, and Absolute Sovereign.	
	3	John Locke: Natural Rights, Social Contract, Limited Government, and Political Obligation.	
	4	Jean Jacques Rousseau: Human Nature, Social Contract, and General Will.	
	Utilitaria	nism and Modern Conservatism	12
	1	Utilitarianism- Key Ideas, and Criticisms	
2	2	Jeremy Bentham-Utilitarian Philosophy, Critique of Social Contract, Hedonism, and Economic Doctrine.	
	3	John Stuart Mill-Qualitative Utilitarianism, On Liberty, Representative Government, and Women Freedom.	
	4	Conservatism: Key Ideas, Burke: Critique of French Revolution. Critique of Idea of Natural Rights and Social Contact, Opposition to Democracy and its Institutions.	

	Idealism		12
	1	Idealism-Key Ideas	
2	2	Immanuel Kant: Freedom, Sovereignty, and Law	
3	3	George Wilhem Frederich Hegel- Dialectical Idealism, Theory of State, Theory of Freedom, and Critique of Representative Government.	
	4	T H Green: Theory of Political Obligation, Theory of Positive Freedom and Positive view State	
	Marxism		12
	1	Karl Marx & Frederich Engles: Dialectical Materialism, Historical Materialism, Labour Theory of Value, and Alienation.	
4	2.	Lenin: State & Revolution, and Imperialism.	
	3	Rosa Luxemburg: Role of the Communist Party, and Reform & Revolution.	
	4	Mao: Cultural Revolution, and New Democracy	
_	Teacher	Specific Modul	12
5	Direction	S	

- **1.** Mukhopadhyay, Amal Kumar. (2020). Western Political Thought: From Ancient Greeks to Modern Political Scientists. New Delhi: Sage.
- **2.** Jha, Shefali. (2022). Western Political Thought: From the Ancient Greeks to Modern Times (Second Edition). Noida: Pearson.
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Assessment Rubrics:

	Evaluation Type	Marks
End Se	emester Evaluation	70
Contin	uous Evaluation	30
a)	Test Paper- 1	10
b)	Test Paper-2/Quiz	10
c)	Assignment/Seminar/Book/Article Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the two)	10
	Total	100

Employability for the Course:

Studying this course equips students with enhanced critical thinking and analytical skills applicable in roles such as policy analysis, political consultancy, and research, deep understanding of political theories and ideologies valuable for careers in academia, think tanks, and international relations, ability to assess and adapt to evolving political landscapes beneficial for roles in public administration, advocacy, and diplomacy, proficiency in synthesizing complex ideas and communicating effectively, essential for leadership positions in government, non-profit organizations, and civil society, and transferable skills in research, writing, and strategic planning applicable across diverse professional fields, enhancing employability in competitive job markets.

KU4DSCPOL207: THEORIES AND CONCEPTS IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code		Credits	Total Hours
4	DSC	200 -299	KU4DSCPOL207		4	60
Learnin	g Approach (Hou	rs/Week)	Marks Distribution			Duration of
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	ESE (Hours)
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 hrs

Course Description:

The course is to enable the students to learn the basics concept and ideas of international relations and also analyses the issues involved in the study and research in international relations.

Course Prerequisite: NIL Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Understanding International Relations	U
2	Analysing various concepts in international Relations	An
3	Evaluating certain fundamental issues in International Relations	Е
4	Identifying the needs and importance of international law in international arena.	Α
5	Analysing global security issues and its mechanisms	An

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1	✓			√			
CO 2		✓			✓		
CO 3			✓				√
CO 4			✓			✓	
CO 5	✓			✓			

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS
	Introducti	on	12
	1	Meaning, nature, scope of International Relations.	
1	2	Evolution of the International State System	
_	3	Approaches: Liberal Tradition- Realism, Neorealism and Liberal Idealism & Neo liberal idealism.	
	4	Approaches- Alternative Approaches: Marxism, Critical Theory, Post Colonialism, and Feminism.	

	Major Ac	etors	12
	1	Actors of International Politics: State and Non-State	
2	2	Corollaries of the State System	
	3	Globalisation and State Sovereignty	
	4	International Law: Definition, Evolution, Development, and Sources	
	Major Co	oncepts-I	12
	1	Power: Definition; National Power- Definition & Sources of National Power	
3	2	National Interest: Definition and Sources of National Interest	
	3	Balance of Power: Meaning, Definition, Types & Methods of Miniating Balance of Power	
	4	Collective Security: Meaning, Definition & Principles	
	Major C	oncepts-II	12
	1	Arms race, Arms Control & Disarmament, and Nuclear Proliferation	
4	2	Foreign Policy: Meaning, Definition & Determinants.	
	3	Diplomacy: Meaning, Definition, and Types & Functions and Privileges of Diplomat.	
	4	Colonialism & Imperialism: Definition, Characteristics, Reasons, and Differences	
5	Teacher S	Specific Module	12

- 1. Heywood Andrew, 2014, Global politics. Palgrave Macmillan
- 2. Palmer and Perkins, 2002, *International Relations*, Revised Indian edition, New Delhi: A.I.T.B.S Publisher's
- 3. Holsti, K.J. 1991, *International Politics: A Framework for Analysis*, New Delhi: Prentice Hall of India
- 4. Robert Jackson and George Sorenson(2013), Introduction to International Relations: Theories and Approaches, Fifth Edition, Oxford University Press.
- 5. John Baylis, Steve Smith (ed),2008, *The Globalization of World Politics: An Introduction to International Relations*, 4th edition, New York: Oxford University Press.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Charles W. Kegley, et.al (ed), 2000, *World Politics: Trends and Transformation*, New York: St:Martins Publications.
- 2. Jackson and Sorensen, G., 2008, *Introduction to International Relations: Theories and Approaches*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.

	Evaluation Type	Marks
End Sen	nester Evaluation	70
Continuo	ous Evaluation	30
a)	Test Paper- 1	10
b)	Test Paper-2/Quiz	10
c)	Assignment/Seminar/Book/Article Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the two)	10
	Total	100

KU4VACPOL203: ELECTORAL LITERACY

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code	Credits	Total Hours
4	VAC	200-299	KU4VACPOL203	3	45

Learning Approach (Hours/ Week) Marks Distribution						Duration of
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)
3	-	-	25	50	75	1.5 Hrs

Course Description:

The course aimed to provide electoral literacy among the learners. In a democracy citizens elect their representative by their choice. The success of the democracy depends on participation of the people in electoral process. Therefore, knowledge on electoral process is very essential for widening electoral participation. The course helps learners to different types governing system, electoral systems in democracy, need and importance election in democracy. Various agencies involved in the electoral processes in India and procedure for elections.

Course Prerequisite: NIL Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Students will be able to understand significance of democratic elections, including the rationale behind holding elections and the various types of elections conducted in democratic societies.	U
2	Students will be able to explain the role and functions of electoral institutions such as the Election Commission of India and State Election Commissions, understanding their constitutional status, powers, and responsibilities in ensuring free and fair elections.	U
3	Students will be able to analyze voting trends in India, identifying factors influencing electoral participation.	A
4	Students will be able to analyze the intricacies of the election process, including the delimitation of electoral constituencies, the procedures for declaration of elections, nomination, scrutiny, campaigning, and the use of electoral technology such as EVMs and VVPATs.	An
5	Students will be able to evaluate the significance and reliability of election surveys in predicting electoral outcomes, assessing their methodologies, sampling techniques, and the role they play in shaping political strategies and public opinion.	Е

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1	~			~			
CO 2		~			~		
CO 3			~				~
CO 4			~			~	
CO 5	~			~			

COURSE CONTENTS

MOD ULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS
	Election	and Democracy	9
	1	Liberal Democratic States-Features	
1	2	Political Representation: Definition, and Functions	
	3	Election: Definition, and Functions.	
	4	Types Electoral Systems: First Past Post System & Proportional Representation.	
	Electoral	9	
	1	Electoral System in India-Peoples Representation Act-1951.	
2	2	Election Commission of India.	
	3	Criticisms on the functioning of the Election Commission	
	4	Debates on Reforming Electoral System in India	
	Voters a	9	
	1	Universal Adult Franchise	
3	2	Determinants of voting	
-	3	Types of Voters and Electoral Participation	
	4	Poling rates &Voting Trends	

	Election	n Process	9
	1	Electoral Constituencies & Delimitation, Preparation of Electoral Roll.	
4	2	Declaration of Election, Code of Conduct, Nomination, Scrutiny, and Campaigning	
	3	Ballot, Booth, EVM, VVPAT, Voting, Counting & Declaration of Results	
	4	Exit Poll- Pre and Post Poll.	
	Teache	r Specific Module	9
5	Organiz officers, process Organiz or pollin discuss Arrange and insi Organiz Encoura digital p Conduc local) ir	ent in Voters List. e a mock election in the classroom, assigning roles such as candidates, election, and voters. This hands-on activity to help students understand the election practically. e a field trip to observe a local election process, such as voter registration drives ng station setup. After the trip, facilitate a reflection session where students can their observations and lessons learned. a guest lecture by a local election official or politician to share their experiences ghts into the practical aspects of conducting elections. e a panel discussion on the role of social media in shaping electoral outcomes, age students to analyze case studies and share their perspectives on the influence of olatforms on voter opinions. t a debate on the importance of different types of elections (e.g., national, state, a strengthening democracy. Encourage students to research and present arguments ng their viewpoint.	

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- 3. Laxmikant, M. (2023). *Indian Polity*. New Delhi: McGraw Hill.
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- 2. Evans, Jocelyn (2004). Voting & Voters: London: Sage.
- 3. Orissa, State Election Commission of. *Electronic Voting Machine Instruction Manual* https://sec.odisha.gov.in/wp-content/uploads/2020/02/EVM-INSTRUCTION-MANUALMODEL-CU-7510-BU-7407.pdf
- 4. India, Election Commission of (2018 July). Manual on Electronic Voting Machine and VVPAT.

	Evaluation Type	Marks
En	d Semester Evaluation	50
Coı	ntinuous Evaluation	25
a)	Test Paper- 1	10
b)	Enrol as a voter	5
c)	Assignment/Seminar/Book/Arti cle Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion/ (Any of the two)	10
	Total	75

KU4VACPOL204: HUMAN RIGHTS

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code		Credits	Total Hours
4	VAC	200-299	KU4VACPOL204		3	45
Learnin	g Approach (Hou	Marks Distribution			Dunation of	
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)
3	-	1	25	50	75	1.5

Course Description:

This course examines human rights, aiming to grasp their meaning, how they've evolved over time, and why they're important today. The course explores the ideas behind human rights, look at how organizations protect them, and discuss the rights of different groups like migrants, LGBTQ+ individuals, older and disabled people, and women and children. The focus of the course is helping learners understand and value human rights.

Course Prerequisite: NIL Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Understand and differentiate between rights and human rights.	U
2	Analyze the evolution and ideological basis of human rights.	An
3	Evaluate the effectiveness of institutional and non-institutional mechanisms in promoting human rights.	E
4	Critically examine group rights, including rights of migrants, sexual minorities, elderly, disabled, women, and children.	An
5	Synthesize a comprehensive understanding of human rights and articulate informed perspectives on contemporary debates surrounding human rights.	C

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1		✓					
CO 2				✓			
CO 3						✓	
CO 4				✓			
CO 5							✓

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS
	Understai	nding Human Rights	12
	1	Meaning and Definition, Characteristics and Significance.	
1	2	Rights Vs Human Rights, and Debate on the status of the human rights	
	3	Evolution of the Human Rights	
	4	Three Generations of Rights	
	United Na	tions and Human Rights	
	1	Universal Declaration of Human Rights: Genesis and Features	
2	2	Human Rights Commission: History, Structure, Powers and Functions.	
	3	International Criminal Court: History, Structures, Powers and Functions.	
	4	Other UN Mechanisms: ICCPR & ICSECR	

	Non- Inst	titutional Mechanisms	12
	1	Amnesty International	
3	2	Human Rights Action Centre	
	3	Human Rights Watch	
	4	Human Rights without Frontiers (HRWF)	
	Group R	Rights	12
	1	Rights Migrants & Refugees	
4	2	Socially Marginalised: Dalits & Adivasis	
	3	Rights of Old and Disabled	
	4	Rights of Women, Children & LGBT	

	Teacher Specific Module	5
5	1. Visit nearest old age home, understand their issues, critically evaluate policies taken by the government, and prepare a report with suggestions to improve their conditions.	

- 1. Renteln, Alison Dundes. (1990). International Human Rights: Universalism versus Relativism. California: Sage publication.
- 2. Clapham, Andrew. (2007). Human Rights: A very short introduction. Oxford: Oxford University press.
- 3. Gauba, O.P. (2021). An Introduction to Political Theory. New Delhi: National Paperbacks.
- 4. Rhona K.M. Smith. (2022). International Human Rights Law. Oxford: Oxford University press.
- 5. Donnelly, Jack. (2013. International Human rights. Calorado: Westview Press.
- 6. Mapp, Sussan C. (2014). Human Rights and Social Justice in a global perspective: An introduction to International Social Work. Newyork: Oxford University Press.
- 7. Goodhart, Miachael. (2020). Human rights: Politics and Practice. Oxford University Press.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Alston, P., & Mégret, F. (1992). The United Nations and Human Rights: A Critical Appraisal. OUP.
- 2. Brown, G. (2016). The Universal Declaration of Human Rights in the 21st Century: A Living Document in a Changing World. Global Citizenship Commission. Open Book.
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- 4. Donnelly, J. (2019). The Concept of Human Rights. Routledge.
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- 8. Ishay, M. (2008). The History of Human Rights: From Ancient Times to the Globalization Era. University of California Press.
- 9. International Journal of Human Rights. Routledge, Taylor & Francis Group.
- 10. Journal of Human Rights. Routledge, Taylor & Francis Group.
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- 12. Quataert, J., & Wildenthal, L. (2019). The Routledge History of Human Rights. Routledge.

Evaluation Type	Marks
End Semester Evaluation	50
Continuous Evaluation	25
a) Test Paper- 1	10
b) Test Paper-2/Quiz	5
c) Assignment/Seminar/Book/Article Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Anyof the two)	10
Total	75

KU4SECPOL201: DISASTER MANAGEMENT

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code		Credits	Total Hours
4 SEC 200-299		KU4SECPOL201		3	45	
Learnin	g Approach (Hou	rs/Week)	Mar	Dunation of		
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)
3	-	-	25	50	75	1.5 Hrs

Course Description:

The course Disaster Management aimed to inculcate awareness and perception of Disaster (environmental, technological, biological, man-made etc), Disaster Management, Mitigation of Disaster and preparing for, responding to, and recovering from disasters. It will implant the notion and the urgency of want of awareness and training in the field of Disaster Management among the students. Students can assess and achieve the Strategies and measures for individuals, communities, and organisations to respond effectively to disasters. Finally, this inclusive course will foster a wideranging understanding of disaster management principles, strategies and practices, enabling students to contribute effectively to disaster preparedness, response, and recovery efforts in their communities or organisations.

Course Prerequisite: NIL Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Identify various kinds of disasters, and identification of risk and challenges accompanying with disasters.	An
2	Assess and gage the impending effects of disasters on communities, infrastructure, and the environment.	Е
3	Formulate emergency preparedness arrangements, involving starting communication outlets, evacuation techniques, and resource management strategies.	С
4	Synthesize the skills and talents in coordinating and managing disasters and Develop skills to engage with local stakeholders, and supporting community-based initiatives.	E
5	Infer to effectively prepare for, respond to, and recover from disasters, contributing to the overall resilience and well-being of communities and societies.	E & C

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1		~	~				
CO 2		~	~				
CO3			~	~			~
CO 4			~				~
CO 5			~	~			~

COURSE CONTENTS

Contents for Classroom Transaction:

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS
	DISAST	TER MANAGEMENT- INTRODUCTION	9
	1	Disaster – Meaning & Definition	
1	2	Types: Geological, Biological and Man-Made Disasters	
	3	Natural Disasters in India	
	4	Man-Made Disasters in India	

	DISA	STER MANAGEMENT	9
	1	Disaster Management: Meaning	
2	2	Disaster Prevention	
	3	Disaster Preparedness	
	4	Disaster Mitigation	

	NATIONAL DISASTER MANAGEMENT FR	RAMEWORK 9
	1 The Disaster Management Act 2005	
3	2 National Disaster Management Authori	ty (NDMA)
	3 India Meteorological Department (IMD	0)
	4 Community Based Disaster Manageme	nt (CBDM)

	REHAI	BILITATION	9
	1	Concepts of Rehabilitation	
4	2	Types of Rehabilitation	
	3	Resource Mobilisation	
	4	Civil Society Initiative for Relief	

	Teacher Specific Module	9
5		

Essential Readings:

- 1. Sharma S. C. (2022). *Disaster management*. 2nd Edition. New Delhi: Khanna Publishing.
- 2. Subramanian R. (2018). Disaster Management. New Delhi: Vikas Publishing House.
- 3. Pandey, Mrinalini (2023). *Disaster Management*. 2nd Edition. Wiley.
- 4. Savindra Singh, Jeetendra Singh (2016). *Disaster Management*, Allahabad: Pravalika Publications.
- 5. Mukta Girdhar (2019), Natural Disasters, New Delhi: Amy Publication.
- 6. Gupta, M.C., Vinod K. Sharma, L.C. Gupta, B.K. Tamani (Eds). (2001). *Manual on Natural Disaster Management in India*, National Centre for Disaster Management, New Delhi: IIPA.

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- 1. Carter, W. Nick, 1991, Disaster Management: A Disaster Manager's Handbook, Asian Development Bank, Manila
- 2. Kumar. P, Disaster Management -Second Edition, OakBridge Publishing Private Limited, 2023.
- 3. Lt. Col. (Dr.) Satish Dhage, GKP Disaster Management in India: Issues, Perspectives & Concerns for Civil Services Examinations (Preliminary & Mains) GK Publications, 2024.
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- 5. Brian Tomaszewski , Geographic Information Systems (GIS) for Disaster Management- CRC Press, 2014.
- 6. Talwar, Arun Kumar, Juneja and satish, Encyclopedia of Disaster management (10 volumes)-saujanya books, Delhi, 2008.
- 7. Keith Smith, Environmental Hazards: Assessing Risk and Reducing Disaster. Routledge Publication,2004
- 8. Alexander David, Introduction in Confronting Catastrophe, Oxford University Press, 2000.
- 9. Govt. of India: Disaster Management Act 2005, Government of India, New Delhi.
- 10. Bryant Edwards ,Natural Hazards, Cambridge University Press, U.K.2005

	Evaluation Type	Marks
En	d Semester Evaluation	50
Coı	ntinuous Evaluation	25
a)	Test Paper- 1	10
b)	Test Paper-2/Quiz	5
c)	Assignment/Seminar/Book/Article Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the two)	10
	Total	75

SEMESTER V

Sem	Course Code	Course Title	CE	ESE	Total	Credits	Hrs.	Page No
	KU5DSCPOL301	Comparative Politics	30	70	100	4	4	88-92
	KU5DSCPOL302	Public Administration	30	70	100	4	4	93-96
	KU5DSCPOL303	Issues in International Relations	30	70	100	4	4	97-99
V	KU5DSEPOL301	Philosophy of Social Sciences	30	70	100	4	4	100-103
	KU5DSEPOL302	Decentralised Democracy in India	30	70	100	4	4	104-107
	KU5DSEPOL303	India's Foreign Policy	30	70	100	4	4	108-111
	KU5DSEPOL304	Political Sociology	30	70	100	4	4	112-115
	KU5SECPOL301	Psephology	25	50	75	3	3	116-119

KU5DSCPOL301 COMPARATIVE POLITCS

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code		Credits	Total Hours
5 DSC 300-399		KU5DSC	POL301	4	60	
Learnin	g Approach (Hou	Marks Distribution			Duration of	
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	СЕ	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 Hrs

Course Description: This course provides a comprehensive introduction to the field of comparative politics, focusing on theoretical frameworks, methodological approaches, and the analysis of political systems across different countries. Students will explore various dimensions of political systems, including constitutions, governments, political actors, and processes, with a critical lens towards understanding the complexities and details of comparative analysis.

Course Prerequisite: NIL Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Students will be able to define the scope of comparative politics, understanding its evolution over time and its relevance in contemporary political analysis.	
2	Students will be able to analyze and compare various methodological approaches used in comparative politics to understand how political systems are studied and compared.	
3	Students will be able to critically evaluate major theoretical approaches in comparative politics.	E
4	Students will be able to compare features of constitutions and governments.	An
5	Students will assess the typologies and features of political parties, party systems, and electoral systems, identifying emerging trends.	E

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1		✓					
CO 2				✓			
CO 3						✓	C
CO 4				✓			
CO 5						✓	

COURSE CONTENTS

MOD ULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS					
	Introdu	ection	12					
	1	1 Definition, Nature, Scope, Evolution, and Significance.						
1	2	Why Compare? & Methods of Comparison: How and What to Compare?						
	3	Approaches-Traditional Approaches, and Modern Approaches.						
	4	Political Culture & New Institutional Approach.						
	Compa	ring Powers and Functions of Institutions	12					
	1	Comparing Constitutions: Un written-Britain, Written-USA & India						
2	2	Powers of Legislative Institutions & Legislative Processes: Britain, USA, Switzerland, and China.						
4	3	Forms of Government in Liberal Democracies: Parliamentary-UK, Presidential-USA, Collegiate System- Switzerland, and Chinese Model of Government.						
	4	Judicial Organisations and Features: Britian- Single Integrated Judiciary, USA- Dual Court Systems, France- Administrative Law and Judicial System in China						

	States	and Political Regimes	12		
	1	Classification of States: Aristotle's Classification; Effective, Weak and Failed States.			
3	2	Features of Unitary and Federal Systems.			
	Working of Unitary Systems -Britain, and France- and its Defects and Working of Federal Systems -USA, Canada and India and its Defects.				
	4	Types of Regimes: Features of Liberal Representative Democracy (UK, USA & India), Totalitarianism, and Authoritarianism.			
***************************************	Politic	al Representation, Voting, Electoral Systems & Party Dynamics	12		
	1	Representation: Definition, Evolution and Theories of Representation.			
4	2	Electoral Systems: Definition, and Methods.			
	3	Party and Party System.			
	4	Interest groups and Politics: the USA, the UK and India.			
_	Teacher Specific Module				
5	Directions				

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- 2. Verma, Babita. (2019). *Party and Party Systems*. in Pusha Singh & Chetna Sharma (2019), Comparative Government and Politics. pp: 258-267. New Delhi: Sage.
- 3. Singh, Pusha. (2019). *Political Representation, Voting and Electoral Systems in Comparative Perspective*. in Pusha Singh & Chetna Sharma (2019), Comparative Government and Politics. Pp: 245-249. New Delhi: Sage.
- 4. Roskin, Michael G etal (2022). *Political Science: An Introduction*.14th Edition. New Delhi: Pearson.
- 5. Ray, S.N (2021). *Modern Comparative Politics*. Delhi: PHI Learning Private Limited.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Chilcote, Ronald H. (2018). Theories of Comparative Politics: The Search for Paradigm Reconsidered. (2nd Edition). London: New York: Routledge.
- 2. Adam Przeworski (2007). Is the Science of Comparative Politics Possible? Above Essay is an adaption from: Henry Tueneand Adam przeworski (1970). The knowledge of Comparative Social Inquiry. New York: Wiley Interscience.
- 3. Almond, G.A. et., 2000: Comparative Politics: A World View, New York: Harper/Collins.
- 4. Bara, J and Pennington, M. (eds.). (2009) Comparative Politics. New Delhi: Sage.
- 5. Caramani, D. (ed.). (2008) Comparative Politics. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- 6. Daniele Caramani (2017). Comparative Politics. (4th ed.). United Kingdom: Oxford University Press.
- 7. Dirk Berg-Schlosser (2012). Mixed Methods in Comparative Politics, Principles and Applications. London: Palgrave Macmillan.
- 8. Gabriel Abraham Almond and James Smoot Coleman (2015). The Politics of Developing Areas. New Jersey: Princeton University Press.
- 9. Goran Hyden (2006). African Politics in Comparative Perspective. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- 10. Hague, R. and Harrop, M. (2010) Comparative Government and Politics: An Introduction. (Eight Edition). London: Palgrave McMillan.
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- 12. Ishiyama, J.T. and Breuning, M. (eds.). (2011) 21st Century Political Science: A Reference Book. Los Angeles: Sage.
- 13. Johari, J.C., 2006: New Comparative Government, New Delhi: Lotus Press
- 14. Jorgen Rasmussen (2009). The Process of Politics. A Comparative Approach. New Jersey: Transaction Publishers.
- 15. Kenneth newton and Jan W. Van Deth (2016). Foundations of Comparative Politics- Democracies of the Modern World. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- 16. Mark Kesselman, et al. (2018). Introduction to Comparative Politics: Political Challenges and Changing Agendas. Australia: Cengage.
- 17. O'Neil, P. (2009) Essentials of Comparative Politics. (Third Edition). New York: WW. Norton and Company, Inc.
- 18. Palekar, S.A., 2009: Comparative Politics and Government, New Delhi, PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.
- 19. Wiarrds, H. J. (2005). Comparative Politics: Critical Concepts in Political Science. London: Rutledge.

Evaluation Type	Marks
End Semester Evaluation	70
Continuous Evaluation	30
a) Test Paper- 1	10
b) Test Paper-2/Quiz	10
c) Assignment/Seminar/Book/Article Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the two)	10
Total	100

KU5DSCPOL302: PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course	Code	Credits	Total Hours
5	DSC	300-399	KU5DSC	POL302	4	60
Learnin	g Approach (Hou	rs/Week)	Marks Distribution			Duration of
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	ESE (Hours)
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 hrs

Course Description: Public Administration is a comprehensive course designed to introduce students to the principles, theories, and practices that underpin the functioning of government and public organizations. This course aims to equip students with a deep understanding of how public agencies are managed and functioned. It covers both traditional and contemporary approaches to public administration, emphasizing the evolving nature of the field in response to global and local challenges.

Course Prerequisite: NIL Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	To understand the administrative theories and concepts to make sense of administrative practices.	U
2	To Understand the difference between traditional form of Administration and the concept of Governance.	U
3	To have necessary knowledge, skills, and competency required for understanding conceptual and practical dimensions of administrative process.	U&R
4	To acquire practical skills in public sector management, including strategic planning, human resource management, and organizational behaviour.	Α
5	To equipped with critical thinking and problem-solving skills to make effective decisions in complex and dynamic public sector environments.	R & An

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1							
CO 2							
CO 3							
CO 4							
CO 5							

COURSE CONTENTS

MODUL E	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS		
	Introduc	tion	12		
	1	Meaning, Definition, Scope & Evolution of Public Administration.			
1	2	Public Vs Private Administration			
	3	Theories: Scientific Management (FW Taylor), Human Relations (Elton Mayo), Rational Choice & New Public Management.			
	4	Emerging Trends: Governance, Good Governance & E-Governance.			
	Principle	s of Organisation	12		
	1	Organization; Definition and Meaning			
•	2	Bases of Organization-(4 Ps)			
2	3	Principles of Organisation: Hierarchy, Span of Control, Unity of command, Delegation, Coordination, Centralisation and Decentralisation.			
	4	Line, Staff & Auxiliary Agencies			
	Personnel Administration				
	1	Bureaucracy-Meaning, Characteristics & Functions.			
3	2	Bureaucracy-Marx Webber & Karl Marx			
	3	Recruitment: Definition, Methods & Issues			
	4	Training: Definition, Methods & Types			
	Control o	over Administration & Recent Developments	12		
	1	Legislative Control			
4	2	Issue of Transparency- Right to Information Act			
	3	Implications of Liberalisation on Administration: Government to Governance			
	4	Digital Governance			
	Teacher S	Specific Module	12		
5	Direction	S			

- 1. Fadia, B. L., & Fadia, K. (2024). Public Administration: Administrative Theories (17 Revised ed.). Sahitya Bhawan Publications.
- 2. Laxmikanth. (2022). Public Administration (2 ed.). McGraw Hill Education.
- 3. Maheshwari, S. R. (2000). Administrative Theory: An Introduction. Macmillan.
- 4. Naidu, S. P. (2005). Public Administration: Administrative Theories and Concepts. New Age International.
- 5. Prasad, R., Prasad, V. S., & Satyanarayana, P. (2018). Administrative Thinkers (Revised ed.). Sterling Publishers Private Limited.
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- 1. Denhardt, J. V., & Denhardt, R. B. (2007). The New Public Service: Serving, Not Steering. M.E. Sharpe.
- 2. Holzer, M., & Schwester, R. W. (2015). Public Administration: An Introduction. Routledge.
- 3. Shafritz, J. M., & Hyde, A. C. (Eds.). (2012). Classics of Public Administration. Wadsworth/Cengage.

Evaluation Type	Marks
End Semester Evaluation	70
Continuous Evaluation	30
a) Test Paper- 1	10
b) Test Paper-2/Quiz	10
Assignment/Seminar/Book/Arti cle Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the two)	10
Total	100

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code	Credits	Total Hours
5	DSC	300-399	KU5DSCPOL303	4	60

Learnin	g Approach (Hou	Mar	Duration of			
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	ESE (Hours)
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 Hrs

Course Description:

The course provides visions into major issues that are largely the legacies of the Cold War era and also identifies some of the other new problem areas that need critical consideration in the study of current International Relations.

Course Prerequisite: NIL

Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains	
1	Understanding various actors in International Relations	U	
2	Analysing the role of regional organisation in International Relations	An	
3	Evaluating certain fundamental issues in International Relations	Е	
4	Identifying the needs and importance of the UN in new world order	A	
5	Analysing security paradigms, threats, and conflict dynamics at various	Λn	
	levels	An	

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Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1							
CO 2							
CO3							
CO 4							
CO 5							

MO DU LE	UNI T	DESCRIPTION	HOURS
	Shifting	g Power Equations in Global Politics	12
	1	Uni-Polar to Bi-Polar, and Multi-Polarism	
1	2	Brexit and Future of European Union.	
	3	Crisis in Europe: Russia-Ukraine War and involvement of NATO.	
	4	Crisis in Middle East: Isreal and Palestine Conflict.	

	Interna	ational-Regional and Multi-lateral Institutions	12
	1	United Nations Organisations	
2.	2	World Bank, International Monetary Fund & World Trade Organisation	
	3	Regional Organizations – ASEAN, European Union, and African Economic Groupings.	
	4	Multilateral Economic Initaitves: BRICS, and Belt and Road	
		Initiatives.	

	Globa	Security Issues: Traditional and Non-Traditional	12	
	1	Terrorism.		
	2	Global Environmental Issues.		
3	3 Weapons of Mass Destruction			
***************************************	4	Development and Security, and Refugee		
	Relev	12		
	1	Role and Relevance of U N		
	2	Peace Keeping- UN, and Climate Change: UNFCCC		
4	3	Global Poverty-Role of IMF and World Bank.		
	4	Global Trade- WTO		
5	Teach	Teacher Specific Module		

- 1. Basu, Rumki. (2012). *The Global Environment: Issues and Debates* (Eds). In International Politics: Concepts, Theories and Issues. By Rumki Basu. New Delhi: Sage. Pp:354-371.
- 2. Raju, Sugunakara S.R.T.P. (2012). *The Nation State System: National Power, Balance of Power and Collective Security* (Eds). In International Politics: Concepts, Theories and Issues. By Rumki Basu. New Delhi: Sage. pp:3-49.
- 3. Basu, Rumki. (2012). *Development and Security: Changing Paradigms*. (Eds). In International Politics: Concepts, Theories and Issues. By Rumki Basu. New Delhi: Sage. Pp:393-418.
- 4. Farooqui, Adnan. (2012). *Terrorism* (Eds). In International Politics: Concepts, Theories and Issues. By Rumki Basu. New Delhi: Sage. Pp:376-390.
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- 6. John Baylis, Steve Smith (ed),2008, *The Globalization of World Politics: An Introduction to International Relations*, 4th edition, New York: Oxford University Press

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Charles W.Kegley, et.al (ed), 2000, World Politics: Trends and Transformation, New York: St:Martins Publications
- 2. Saxena K.P,2003, Reforming the United Nations, The Challenges and Relevance, New Delhi: Sage, New Delhi.
- 3. Gulam Mohammed Dar, 2008, An Introduction to International relations, New Delhi : Rajath Publications.

Assessment Rubrics:

	Evaluation Type	Marks		
End S	emester Evaluation	70		
Contin	uous Evaluation	30		
a)	Test Paper- 1	10		
b)	Test Paper-2/Quiz	10		
c)	Assignment/Seminar/Book/Article Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the two)	10		
	Total	100		

KU5DSEPOL301 PHILOSOPHY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

	Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code	Credits	Total Hours	
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5	5 DSE		KU5DSE	POL301	4	60
Learnin	g Approach (Hou	Mar	rks Distributi	on	Duration of	
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)
4 -		1	30	70	100	2 hrs

Course Description:

The course aims to develop an understanding of what social sciences are, how they have evolved, the role of science within social sciences, and how they differ from natural sciences. It explores the relevance of social sciences in addressing social issues, introduces the various branches of social sciences, examines the debate on objectivity and subjectivity in social science research, and presents different research approaches. The course is designed to offer new perspectives on social issues and to equip learners with the skills to propose effective remedies.

Course Prerequisite: NIL

Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	
1	Describe the nature, scope, and historical evolution of social sciences and differentiate them from natural sciences.	R
2	Explain the scientific principles within social sciences and their significance in understanding social phenomena.	U
3	Identify and categorize the major branches of social sciences and assess their relevance to real-world social issues.	Е
4	Critically analyze the debate on objectivity and subjectivity in social science research.	An
5	Apply social science theories and approaches to evaluate social issues and propose appropriate remedies.	A

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	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1	✓						
CO 2		✓					
CO 3						✓	
CO 4				✓			
CO 5			✓				

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNI T	DESCRIPTION	
	Introdu	iction	12
	1	Social Science, Definition; Emergence of the Social Science-Philosophical Foundations: Middle Ages, Renaissance, Enlightenment, and Development of Scientific Spirit.	
1	2	Theories of nature of society: Thomas Hobbes, John Locke, and Rousseau	
	3	Social Science Vs Natural Sciences.	
	4	Relevance of Social Sciences in Understanding and Solving Contemporary Problems	

	Branches of Social Sciences		
	1	Social Science- Characteristics, Nature and Scope	
2	2	Branches of Social Sciences- Definition & Subject Matter of Sociology, Anthropology, Economics, Political Science, and History.	
	3	Interdisciplinary and Transdisciplinary Approaches in Social Sciences.	
	4	Questioning Scientific Theories- Reason	

	Objectivity Vs Subjectivity		
3	1	Objectivity Vs Subjectivity- Meaning & Features	
	2	Limitation of Objectivity in Social Science.	
	3	Issue of Subjectivity in Social Science	
	4	Ethical Issues in Research	

	Appr	roaches	12
	1	Normativism	
4	2	Positivism	
	3	Materialism	
	4	Individualism	
	Teacl	her Specific Module	12
5	Directions		

- 1. Kundu. Abhijit (2009). The Social Sciences: Methodology and Perspectives. Pearson: New Delhi.
- 2. Hollis, Martin (2002). The Philosophy of Social Sciences. New Delhi: Cambridge University Press.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Colander, David C & Elgin F Hunt (2019). Social Sciences: An Introduction to the Society 17th Edition. New Delhi: Routledge.
- 2. Porta, Donatella Della, & Michael Keating (2008). Approaches and Methodologies in the Social Sciences: A Pluralistic Perspectives: New Delhi: Cambridge University Press.

	Evaluation Type	Marks
En	d Semester Evaluation	70
Co	ntinuous Evaluation	30
a)	Test Paper- 1	10
b)	Test Paper-2/Quiz	10
c)	Assignment/Seminar/Book/A rticle Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the two)	10
	Total	100

KU5DSEPOL302 DECENTRALISED DEMOCRACY IN INDIA

Semester	Semester Course Type Course Level 5 DSE 300-399		Course Code	Credits	Total Hours
5			KU5DSEPOL302	4	60

Learning Approach (Hours/ Week)			Marks Distribution			Denetion of
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 hrs

Course Description:

The course titled 'Decentralised Democracy in India' aims to provide a comprehensive and critical understanding of decentralised democracy in India. The course introduces learners to the meaning, types, and theoretical debates surrounding the idea of democratic decentralisation. It also helps learners gain an in-depth understanding of the history and attempts at decentralised governance prior to 1992. Additionally, the course enables learners to understand and critically evaluate the 73rd and 74th Amendments of the Indian Constitution, along with their significance and limitations.

Course Outcomes:

C No.	Expected Outcome				
1	By the end of this course, learners will be able to explain the meaning, types, and conceptual foundations of decentralised democracy in the Indian context.	U			
2	Learners will be analyze various theoretical perspectives and debates on democratic decentralisation.	An			
3.	Learners will be able to evaluate the historical evolution and institutional attempts at decentralised governance in India before the 73rd and 74th Constitutional Amendments.	E			
4	Learners will be able to critically assess the provisions, significance, and limitations of the 73rd and 74th Amendments to the Indian Constitution.	An			
5	Learners will be able to demonstrate a comprehensive understanding of the role of decentralisation in deepening democracy and participatory governance in India.	A			

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1	✓						
CO 2				✓			
CO 3						✓	
CO 4				✓			
CO 5			✓				

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS
	Understan	ding Decentralisation	12
	1	Meaning, Definition, Evolution & Significance	
1	2	Dimensions of Decentralisation-Administrative, Fiscal and Political	
	3	Theoretical Perspectives: Liberal, Marxian, Radical Democratic and Gandhian.	
	4	Idea of Democratic Decentralisation	

	History of	Decentralised Democracy in India	12
	1	Colonial Period- Resolution of 1882 (Rippon Resolution), Royal Commission of 1901, Govt. of India Act of 1919 & Government of India Act of 1935.	
2	2	Independent India: Balwant Rai Mehta Committee Report (1957)	
	3	Ashok Mehta Committee Report (1977)	
	4	L M Singhvi 1986 and 64 th & 65 th Constitutional Amendment Bills	

	73 rd Constitutional Amendment Act (1992)		
	1	Significance, Features, and Limitations	
3 2		11 th Schedule of the Constitution	
	3	Resources for Panchayati Raj Institutions (PRIs)	
	4	Types of Panchayati Raj Institutions- Grama Panchayat, Block Panchayat, Zilla Parishad: Powers, Functions.	

	74 th Const	itutional Amendment Act (1992)	12
	1	Significance, Features, and Limitations	
4 2 12 th Schedule		12 th Schedule	
	3	Resources for Functioning	
	4	Types: Municipalities & Municipal Corporations- Powers, Functions.	

5	Teacher Specific Module	12	

Essential Readings

- 1. Joseph, T.M (2007). *Local Governance in India: Ideas, Challenges, and Strategies*. New Delhi: Concept Publishing Company.
- 2. Kumar, Girish (2006). Local Democracy in India, New Delhi: Sage Publications.
- 3. Mishra, Sweta (1994). *Democratic Decentralisation in India*, New Delhi. Mittal Publications.
- 4. Khanna, B.S (1994). Panchayati Raj in India, New Delhi: Deep and Deep Publications.
- 5. Basu, D.D. (2012). Introduction to the Constitution of India. 20th Edition: Reprint. Nagpur: LexisNexis Butterworths Wadhwa.

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- 1. Mark Bevir (Ed.), The Sage Handbook of Governance, Sage, 2011
- 2. S. L Goel, Good Governance An Integral Approach, New Delhi: Deep and Deep13. Publications Private Limited, 2007
- 3. Manor, James Manor, The Political Economy of Democratic Decentralisation, Washington DC, 1999
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- 8. Khanna and Khanna: Rural Local Government in India and South Asia, New Delhi: Deep and Deep, 1998

- 9. Lakshmi Narasaiah and Raju, Finances of Local Government, New Delhi, Sonali Publications, 2009
- 10. Kashyap, Subhash, 2003, "Institutionalisation of Grassroots Governance" Grassroots
 Evolution of Local Governance (Before 73rd and 74th) Amendment 217 Governance, Vol. I,
 No.1.
- 11. S.N. Mishra, Rural Development and Panchayati Raj, Concept Publishing, Company, New Delhi, 1981

	Evaluation Type	Marks
En	d Semester Evaluation	70
Co	ntinuous Evaluation	30
a)	Test Paper- 1	10
b)	Test Paper-2/Quiz	10
c)	Assignment/Seminar/Book/Arti cle Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the two)	10
	Total	100

KU5DSEPOL303 INDIA'S FOREIGN POLICY

Semester	Course Type Course Level		Course Code	Credits	Total Hours
5	DSE	300-399	KU5DSEPOL303	4	60

Learning Approach (Hours/ Week)			Marks Distribution			Denetion of
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 Hrs

Course Description:

The core aim of this course is to provide a comprehensive understanding of India's foreign policy dynamics to learners. The course helps learners to grasp the objectives, principles, and domestic and international determinants of India's foreign policy. The course also helps the learner to critically evaluate change and continuity in India's foreign policy in the cold war and post-cold war period. The course helps learners to understand and analyse its relationship with Asian countries and to find out answers to many recent issues.

Course Outcomes:

C No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Students will be able to grasp the objectives, principles, and domestic and international determinants of India's foreign policy.	U
2	Students will be able to critically evaluate change and continuity in India's foreign policy in post-cold war period especially in relation to USA and Russia (former Soviet Union).	E
3.	Students will be able to analyse relevance of India's policy of non-alignment in the post-cold war period.	An
4	Students will be able to understand the historical contexts that shape India's relation with its neighbouring countries.	U
5	Students will be able to evaluate India's involvement in alliances like and BRICS & QUAD and its implications on India's relation with China.	E

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1		✓					
CO 2				✓			
CO 3		✓					
CO 4				✓			
CO 5					✓		

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS
	Understan	ding India's Foreign Policy	12
	1	Meaning, Definition and Objectives.	
1	2	Evolution of India's Foreign Policy.	
	3	Basic Principles.	
	4	Determinants- National & International.	
1	3	Evolution of India's Foreign Policy. Basic Principles.	

	Foreign Policy in the Cold War and Post Cold War Era				
	1	Non-Alignment- Meaning, Definition, Features.	Č		
2	2	Practise of Non-Alignment in the Post Cold War Era.			
	3	Changing India's Relation with USA in the Post Cold War era.			
	4	India's Relation with USSR and Russia: Change or Continuity.			

	India's Re Asia	lationship with Asian Countries & Other Associations in	12
3	1	Relation with South Asian Countries: Pakistan, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka & Nepal.	
3	2	India's Relationship with China and Japan.	
	3	India's Relationship with SAARC.	
	4	India's Relationship with ASEAN.	

	Changing Trends		12
	1	India and United Nations.	
4	2	Nuclear Policy-NPT, CTBT and FMCT.	
	3	India's Soft Power and Cultural Diplomacy.	
	4	Commitment to Multi-polarity- BRICS & QUAD.	

5 Teacher Specific Module	12
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Essential Readings

- 1. Malone, David, Mohan. C Raja and Raghavan Sreenath (2017). *The Oxford Handbook of Indian Foreign Policy*. New Delhi: Oxford India Paper Backs.
- 2. Appadurai, A and Rajan M S. (1985). *India's Foreign Policy and Relations*. New Delhi: Asia Book Corp.
- 3. Ganguly, Sumit (2011). *India's Foreign Policy: Retrospect and Prospect*. New Delhi: Oxford India Paper Backs.
- 4. Alam, Mohammed Badrual. (2012). *Basic Determinants of India's Foreign Policy and Bilateral Relations*. In International Politics: Concepts, Theories and Issues (eds). By Rumki Basu. New Delhi: Sage. pp 425-482.
- 5. Dutt, V P. (2014). *India's Foreign Policy: Since Independence*. New Delhi: National Book Trust India.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Pande, Aparna," From Chankya to Modi: The Evolution of India's Foreign Policy" (New Delhi: Harper Collins, 2020).
- 2. Bajpai, P Kanti and Pant V Harsh "India's National Security: A Reader" (New Delhi: Oxford India Paper Backs, 2013).
- 3. Bajpai, Kanti "India versus China: Why they are not friends" (New Delhi: Juggernaut Publication, 2023)
- 4. Baru, Sanjay "India and the World: Essays on Geo Economics and Foreign Policy" (New Delhi: Academic Foundation, 2018)

- 5. Bhatnagar, Stuti "India's Pakistan Policy: How Think Tanks are Shaping Foreign Relations" (New Delhi: Routledge India, 2020)
- 6. Jaishankar, S, "The India Way: Strategies for an Uncertain World" (New Delhi: Harper Collins India, 2020).
- 7. Khilani, Sunil, "The Idea of India" (New Delhi: Penguin India, 2004).
- 8. Mohan, C Raja, "Crossing the Rubicon: The Shaping of India's New Foreign Policy" (New Delhi: Palgrave, 2003)
- 9. Menon, Shiv Shankar, "India and Asian Geopolitics: The Past, Present" (New Delhi: Penguin Allen Lane, 2021)

Evaluation Type	Marks
End Semester Evaluation	70
Continuous Evaluation	30
a) Test Paper- 1	10
b) Test Paper-2/Quiz	10
c) Assignment/Seminar/Book/Arti cle Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the two)	10
Total	100

KU5DSEPOL304 POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code	Credits	Total Hours
5	DSE	300-399	KU5DSEPOL304	4	60

Learning	g Approach (Hou	rs/ Week)	Marks Distribution			D .: C				
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)				
4		1	30	70	100	2 Hrs				

Course Description:

This course provides a comprehensive understanding of political sociology. The course helps learners to explore origin, development, and relevance of Political Sociology in contemporary society. Students explore the intellectual foundations and various approaches to political sociology, notably those of Karl Marx and Max Weber. Major concepts and theories such as power, authority, political socialization, and political culture are critically examined.

Course Outcomes:

C No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Students will be able to grasp the foundations of political sociology, including its historical development and contemporary significance.	U
2	Students will be able to apply sociological concepts to real-world contexts, enabling them to assess political phenomena and societal dynamics with depth and precision.	A
3.	Students will be able to anlayse diverse approaches to political sociology, focusing on key thinkers like Karl Marx and Max Weber, to comprehend varied perspectives on societal dynamics.	An
4	Students will be able to interpret power structures within societies through the lens of elite theories, pluralist theory, and the Marxian perspective, enhancing their ability to analyze complex social phenomena.	An
5	Students will be able to evaluate major concepts and theories such as power, authority, political socialization and political culture, fostering a critical understanding of their roles in shaping societies.	E

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1		✓					
CO 2				✓			
CO 3		✓					
CO 4				✓			
CO 5					✓		

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS
	Understan	ding Political Sociology	12
	1	The concept of the State and Society	
1	2	Relationship between Political Science and Political Sociology	
	3	Definition, Meaning & Origin	
	4	Nature, Scope and Relevance	

	Intellectua	al Foundations & Approaches	oural
	1	Intellectual Foundations- Karl Marx, and Marx Webber	
2	2	Liberal Approach I-Behavioural, and Post Behavioural	
2	3	Liberal Approach- System Theory & Structural Functionalism, Political Culture, and Political Socialisation.	
	4	Marxist Approaches-Base Super Structure, Concept of Relative Autonomy-Hegemony and Civil Society, and Ideological State Apparatus.	

	Major Concepts/ Theories-I				
	1	Legitimacy: Webber, and Gramsci			
3	2	Elite Theorists: Vilfredo Pareto, Gaetano Mosca, Robert Michaels, and C Wright Mills			
	3	State Theory: Pluralist Theory, Marxist Theory, and Post Modern.			
	4	Political Modernisation, and Political Development and Decay			

	Interest g	roups, Pressure groups & Social Movements	12
4	1	Interest groups- Definition, Types, Functions, and Characteristics.	
	2	Pressure groups-Definition, Functions, Characteristics, difference between interest and pressure groups, role of interest and pressure groups in democracies.	
	3	Social Movements- Definition, features, and types	C
	4	New Social Movements- Definition, features, types and difference between old and new social movements.	

5	Teacher Specific Module	12
5	Directions	

Essential Readings

- 1. Dasgupta, Samir. (2011). Political Sociology. Delhi: Pearson.
- 2. Asharaf, Ali & L N Sharma. (2022). *Political Sociology: A New Grammar of Politics*. Hyderabad: University Press.
- 3. Chilcote, Ronald H. (2018). Theories of Comparative Politics: The Search for Paradigm Reconsidered. (2nd Edition). London: New York: Routledge.
- 4. Heywood, Andrew (2017). Politics, Palgrave: New Delhi. 4th Edition.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Bottomore, T. B (1980). *Political Sociology*, Bombay: B. I. Publications.
- 2. Dowse, Robert E. and John A Hughes. (1971). Political Sociology. New York: Basic Books.
- 3. Nash, Kate & Alan Scott. (2004). *The Balckwell Companion to Political Sociology*. London: Blackwell Publishers.
- 4. Mitra, Subrata. K., Matte Pehl & Clemene Spiess. (2010). *Political Sociology-The State of the Art*. Opladen and Farmington Hills: Barbara Budrich Publishers.

Evaluation Type		Marks
En	d Semester Evaluation	70
Coı	ntinuous Evaluation	30
a)	Test Paper- 1	10
b)	Test Paper-2/Quiz	10
c)	Assignment/Seminar/Book/Arti cle Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the two)	10
	Total	100

KU5SECPOL301 PSEPHOLOGY

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code	Credits	Total Hours
5	SEC	300	KU5SECPOL301	3	45

Learni	Learning Approach (Hou		Marks Distribution		D .: 6			
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)		
3	-	-	25	50	75	1.5 Hrs		

Course Description:

The course deal with science of poll surveys. It helps the learners to gain knowledge about history and significance of electoral studies, its evolution in India, contributions of Centre for Development Studies to popularise it, theories on voting behaviour, variables affecting voting pattern of voters and method of conducting electoral studies. The course impart skill on gaining necessary knowledge on analysing elections and forecast electoral outcomes effectively.

Course Outcomes:

C No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Students will be able to gain understating history and significance of electoral studies.	U
2	Students will be able to gain knowledge on major theories on voting behaviour.	U
3.	Students will be able to examine and anlayse variables affecting voters.	An
4	Students will be able to apply theories of voting behavior and evalue electoral outcomes.	E
5	Students will be able to gain necessary skill to examine and forecast electoral outcomes.	С

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1		✓					
CO 2		√					
CO 3				✓			
CO 4						✓	
CO 5							✓

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS
	Understan	ding Psephology	9
	1	Meaning and Definition	
1	2	History & Significance of conducting electoral studies	
	3	Evolution of Psephology in India	
	4	Contribution of Lokniti- CSDS & National Election Studies to electoral studies in India	

	Theories on Voting Behavior		
	1	Psychosocial Model Theory	
2	2	Rational Choice Theory	
	3	Humanistic Theory of Voting Action	
	4	Sociological Theory	

	Variables	Affecting Voting Patter	9
	1	Gender, age, caste, class, religion, region, and ethnicity	
3	2	Party Preferences, and Strategic Voting	
	3	Preference to Individual Candidates	
	4	Emotions and Social Networks	

	Stages in	volved in conducting Election studies	9
	1	Method of Data Collection- Survey, and Interview	
4	2	Selection of Population- Sampling	
	3	Data Analysis and Data Interpretation	
	4	Report Writing	

5	Teacher Specific Module	12	
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Essential Readings

- 1. Arzheimer, K., Evans, J. J., & Lewis-Beck, M. S. (2012). The SAGE Handbook of Electoral Behaviour. Sage Publications.
- 2. Atkeson, L. R., & Alvarez, R. M. (Eds.). (n.d.). The Oxford Handbook of Polling and Survey Methods. Oxford University Press.
- 3. Clarke, H. D., Kavanagh, D., & Simpson, D. (2019). The Oxford Handbook of Electoral Systems. Oxford University Press.
- 4. Evans, J. A. J. (n.d.). Voters and Voting: An Introduction. Sage Publications.
- 5. Thakur, D. (1996). Psephology and Elections Forecasting.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Blais, A., & Indridason, I. H. (Eds.). (2015). Making Political Choices: Canada and the United States. University of Toronto Press.
- 2. Chawla, N. (2019). Every Vote Counts: The Story of India's Elections. HarperCollins India.
- 3. Johnston, R., & Pattie, C. (Eds.). (2018). The Routledge Handbook of Elections, Voting Behavior and Public Opinion. Routledge.
- 4. Lewis-Beck, M. S., & Rice, T. W. (1992). Forecasting Elections. Congressional Quarterly Press.
- 5. Lijphart, A. (1999). Patterns of Democracy: Government Forms and Performance in Thirty-six Countries. Yale University Press.
- 6. Moon, N. (1999). Opinion Polls: History, Theory and Practice. Manchester University Press.
- 7. Nadeau, R., Niemi, R. G., & Yoshinaka, A. (Eds.). (2012). Comparing Democracies 4: Elections and Voting in a Changing World. Sage.
- 8. Norpoth, H., & Lewis-Beck, M. S. (Eds.). (2003). The American Voter Revisited. University of Michigan Press.
- 9. Roy, J., Singh, S. P., & Fournier, P. (n.d.). The Power of Polls?: A Cross-National Experimental Analysis of the Effects of Campaign Polls. Cambridge University Press.

- 10. Roy, P., & Sopariwala, D. R. (2019). The Verdict: Decoding India's Elections. HarperCollins India.
- 11. Shah, A., & Lupu, N. (Eds.). (2016). The Oxford Handbook of Electoral Systems. Oxford University Press.
- 12. Yadav, Y. (2020). Making Sense of Indian Democracy: Theory in Practice. Permanent Black. **Assessment Rubrics:**

	Evaluation Type	Marks
En	d Semester Evaluation	50
Coı	ntinuous Evaluation	25
a)	Test Paper- 1	10
b)	Test Paper-2/Quiz	5
c)	Assignment/Seminar/Book/Review/ Field Review/ Group Discussion/Viva Voce	10
	Total	75

SEMESTER VI

Sem	Course Code	Course Title	CE	ESE	Total	Credit	Hrs.	Page No
	KU6DSCPOL304	State and Politics in Kerala	30	70	100	4	4	121-125
	KU6DSCPOL305	Human Rights	30	70	100	4	4	126-129
	KU6DSCPOL306	Indian Political Thought	30	70	100	4	4	
VI		International Organisations and Regional Arrangements	30	70	100	4	4	130-133
	KU6DSEPOL306	Financial Administration in India	30	70	100	4	4	134-137
	KU6DSEPOL307	Environmental Politics	30	70	100	4	4	138-141
	KU6DSEPOL308	Political Ideologies	30	70	100	4	4	142-144
	KU6SECPOL302	Legislative Practices & Procedures	25	50	75	3	3	145-147

KU6DSCPOL304: STATE AND POLITCS IN KERALA

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code		Credits	Total Hours	
6	DSC	300-399	KU6DSC	POL304	4	60	
Learning	g Approach (Hou	rs/ Week)	Marks Distribution			D4:	
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)	
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 Hrs	

Course Description:

This course offers a comprehensive understanding of the society, economy, and politics of Kerala. It helps learners explore the history of Kerala from ancient times to the present. The course examines the unique caste-class structure of Kerala society, shedding light on the inequalities, suppression, and exploitation inherent in the caste system. Additionally, it discusses the role of social reformers, movements, and progressive political initiatives in shaping modern Kerala. The course also covers the progressive legislation that has made Kerala's development model unique, both within India and internationally. It further enables learners to understand the state's role in the social development of its people. Furthermore, the course addresses contemporary issues faced by the state, such as the fiscal crisis and the marginalization of certain communities from mainstream development.

Course Prerequisite: Nil

Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Learners will be able to develop a comprehensive understanding of Kerala's historical evolution	U
2	Learners will be able to analyse the caste-class structure of Kerala society.	An
3	Learners will be able to evaluate the impact of social reformers and progressive movements in shaping modern Kerala.	Е
4	Learners will be able to understand the progressive legislation and policies that have contributed to Kerala's distinctive development model.	U
5	Learners will be able to identify and critically analyse pressing contemporary issues in Kerala	E

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1	✓						
CO 2				✓			
CO 3						✓	
CO 4		✓					
CO 5						✓	

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS
	Making of	Modern Kerala	12
	1	Evolution of the Caste and Class Structure of the Kerala Society (Ancient to Early 20 th century).	
1	2	Early Movements for Representation and Recognition - Malayali and Ezhava Memorials, NSS, SNDP, Sadhu Janaparipalana Sangham	
*	3	Social Reformers: Chattambi Swamikal, Narayana Guru, Sahodaran Ayyappan, Ayyankali, Poykayil Appachan,VT Bhatathiripadu, VakkomMoulavi	
	4	Colonialism and its impact on society, economy and politics- Introduction of centralised administration, introduction of English education, modernisation of agriculture, development of industries.	

	Struggle	for Democratising Kerala Society and Politics	12
	2.	Struggle for Civil Rights- Temple Entry Struggles: Vaikkom & Guruvayoor Struggles. Struggle for Equality of Opportunity: Civil Right League.	
2	2.	Representation in the Legislature and Responsible Government in Travancore: Abstention Movement & Struggle for Responsible Government.	
	2.	Nationalist Movement in Movement in Malabar. Struggle against British Imperialism, Landlordism and Political Absolutism in Malabar & Travancore: Formation of the Communist Party of India, Activities, & Major Struggles: Karivellur, Kayyur, & Punnapra- Vayalar	
	2.	Aikya Kerala Movement: Reasons, Significance and Outcome	

	Politics, 1	Development and Resistance	12
	1	Foundations of Kerala Development: Kerala Govt. of 1957; Land Reforms, Educational Reforms & Liberation Struggle.	
3	2	Kerala Model of Development: Definition, features, agencies, question of sustainability, and critique of Kerala Model: Outlier tendencies: Dalits, Tribes, Fisherfolks & Women.	
	3	Politics of Decentralisation: Peoples Planning Campaign and aftermath., Women Empowerment: Kudumbasree	
	4	Party System: evolution and features	

	Contemp	orary Issues	12
	1	Economic Crisis: Unique Pattern of Development, Constraints on Industrialisation, Changes in Centre State Relations, Globalisation and Associated Issues.	
4	2	Casteism, Communalism, Gender Parity, and Issues of the Aged	
	3	Ecological Crisis	
	4	Land Issues	
5	Teacher S	Specific Module	12

Essential Readings:

- 1. Department. Kerala State Gazetteers. (2024). Perspectives on Kerala History: The Second Millennium Vol. II, Thiruvanathapuram: Kerala Council for Historical Research.
- 2. Robin Jeffry (2013) Chapter 1, 3 & 4 in Decline of Nair Dominance, DC Books, Kottayam.
- 3. P. Sivanandan (1979) Caste, Class and Economic Opportunity in Kerala: An Empirical Analysis, *Economic and Political Weekly*, Vol. 14, no. 7/8, pp. 475-480.
- 4. A. Sreedhara Menon (1997) Kerala and Freedom Struggle, DC Books, Kottayam.
- 5. T. M. Thomas Isaac (1986) The National Movement and the Communist Party in Kerala, *Social Scientist*, Vol. 14, No. 8/9 pp. 59-80.
- 6. G. Gopa Kumar (1984) The Congress Party and State Politics, Deep and Deep Publications, New Delhi.
- 7. J. Prabhash (2020) Caste/Communal Politics and Democratic Order, in K N Panikkar (ed) Caste in Kerala, Primus Books, Delhi, pp. 238-254.
- 8. M. K. Das (2203) Kerala: Politics of Pressure Groups, *Economic and Political Weekly*, Vol-38, no.31, pp. 2334-3235.
- 9. George Mathew (1989) Communal Road to Secular Kerala, Concept Publishing, Delhi.
- 10. K. K. Kailash (2011) Political Outsourcing as a Coalition Strategy in Kerala," in Gurpreet Mahajan (ed.). *Accommodating Diversity: Ideas and Institutional Practices*, OUP, New Delhi, pp.82-205.
- 11. Radhakrishnan, P (1981) Land Reforms in Theory and Practice: The Kerala Experience, *Economic and Political Weekly*, vol 16, no 52, pp. 129-137.
- 12. Ronald J Herring (1980) Abolition of Landlordism in Kerala- A Redistribution of Privilege, *Economic* and Political Weekly, Vol 15, no. 26, pp-59-69.
- 13. George Kurian, Amrutha Jose Pampackal (2017) Question of Land, Livelihood and Development: Tribal Resettlement and Development Mission, Kerala, Economic and Political Weekly, Vol. 52, Issue No. 7, pp. 99-106.
- 14. Rammohan. K. T (2008) Caste and Landlessness in Kerala: Signals from Chengara, Economic & Political Weekly, Vol. 43, no. 37 pp.14-16.
- 15. Parayil, Govindan (ed.) (2000): Kerala: The Development Experience, London: Zed Books **Suggested Readings:**
- 1. Thomas Isaac and Franke (2000): Local Democracy and Development: People's Campaign for Decentralized Planning in Kerala, Leftword, New Delhi.
- 2. Georges Kristoffel Lieten (1970) Progressive State Governments: An Assessment of First Communist Ministry in Kerala, Economic and Political Weekly, Vol. 14, no. 1, pp. 29-39.

Evaluation Type	Marks
End Semester Evaluation	70
Continuous Evaluation	30
a) Test Paper- 1	10
b) Test Paper-2/Quiz	10
Assignment/Seminar/Bo e Review/Field Report/ Voce/ Group Discussion the two)	
Total	100

KU6DSCPOL305: HUMAN RIGHTS

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code		Credits	Total Hours
6	DSC	300-399	KU6DSCPOL305		4	60
Learning Approach (Hours/ Week)			Marks Distribution			Duration of
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	ESE (Hours)
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 Hrs

Course Description:

This course explains about human rights theory, practice, and contemporary challenges on both a global and local scale with this comprehensive course. Explore the philosophical underpinnings, legal structures, and socio-political intricacies that form the foundation of human rights. Special attention is given to understanding how these rights are applied and actualized today. Through an interdisciplinary approach, students will gain the tools to critically examine historical shifts, modern dilemmas, and the various stakeholders influencing the ongoing discourse on human rights.

Course Prerequisite: NIL

Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Learners will be able to understand the philosophical underpinnings, legal structures, and socio-political intricacies that form the foundation of human rights	U
2	Learners will be able to identify issues and problems relating to the realization of human rights.	R
3	Learners will be able to develop investigative and analytical skills in the field of human rights	An
4	Learners will be able to gain the tools to critically examine historical shifts, modern dilemmas, and the various stakeholders influencing the ongoing discourse on human rights.	An
5	Learners will be able to critically assess the role and limitations of various agencies in promoting and protecting human rights.	Е

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1		✓					
CO 2	√						
CO 3				✓			
CO 4				✓			
CO 5						✓	

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS		
	Introduction to Human Rights				
	1	Human Rights: Meaning, Definitions, Characteristics, and Significance			
1	2	Theories of Human Rights: Liberal, Marxian, and Communitarian			
	3	Evolution of Human rights &			
	4	Three Generations of Human Rights: Civil and Political, Socio-Economic and Cultural & Group Rights.			
	Perspectiv	ves on the Human Rights	12		
	1	Liberal perspective			
2	2	Marxian Perspective			
-	3	Feminist Perspective			
	4	Post colonial and Critical Perspective			
	International Agencies and Human Rights				
	1	The Universal Declaration (UDHR),			
	2	ICCPR, ICESCR			
3	3	Other UN Mechanisms: The General Assembly, Security Council, International Criminal Court and Human Rights Council (HRC).			
	4	International Redcross, Amnesty International, Human Rights Watch, Medecins Sans Frontiers (MSF)			
	Human Rights Issues				
	1	Rights of marginalized groups: women, children			
4	2	LGBTQ+ Rights, Rights of indigenous peoples, and rights persons with disabilities.			
	3	Displacement, Refugees and Human trafficking			
	4	War, Terrorism, Armed Conflicts, and the humanitarian crisis			
5	Teacher S	pecific Module	12		

Essential Readings:

- 1. Manzar, Mehtab. (2012). *Human Rights and International Politics* (eds). In International Politics: Concepts, Theories, and Issues. By Rumki Baus. New Delhi: Sage. Pp. 336-353.
- 2. Gauba, O. P. (2021). *An Introduction to Political Theory*. 9th Edition. New Delhi: National Paperbacks.
- 3. Donnelly, J. (2019). The Concept of Human Rights. Routledge.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Alston, P., & Mégret, F. (1992). The United Nations and Human Rights: A Critical Appraisal. OUP.
- 2. Alston, P. (2000). Promoting Human Rights through Bills of Rights: Comparative Perspectives. OUP.
- 3. An-Na'im, A. (2014). Human Rights: Old Problems, New Possibilities. The University of Chicago Press.
- 4. Boersema, D. (2018). Philosophy of Human Rights: Theory and Practice. Routledge.
- 5. Brown, G. (2016). The Universal Declaration of Human Rights in the 21st Century: A Living Document in a Changing World. Global Citizenship Commission. Open Book.
- 6. Chakrabarty, B., & Pandey, R. K. (2008). Indian Government and Politics. Sage.
- 7. Evans, T. (2019). International Human Rights Law. Oxford University Press.
- 8. Freeman, M. (2011). Human Rights: An Interdisciplinary Approach. Polity Press.
- 9. Halme-tuomisaari, M., & Slotte, P. (Eds.). (2015). Revisiting the Origins of Human Rights. Cambridge University Press.
- 10. Halder, D., Brahmbhatt, & Shrut, S. (2021). Advancement of Human Rights in India: Contemporary and Emerging Challenges. Sage.
- 11. Ignatieff, M. (2001). Human Rights as Politics and Idolatry. Princeton University Press.
- 12. Ishay, M. (2008). The History of Human Rights: From Ancient Times to the Globalization Era. University of California Press.
- 13. Krishna Iyer, V. R. (1980). Minorities, Civil Liberties and Criminal Justice. People's Publishing House.
- 14. Malik, L. (Ed.). (2020). Judicial Review: Process, Powers, and Problems (Essays in Honour of Upendra Baxi). Cambridge University Press.
- 15. Manindranath, D. S. (2015). Judicial Activism in Post-emergency Era. Notion Press.
- 16. Mégret, F., & Alston, P. (2020). The United Nations and Human Rights: A Critical Appraisal. OUP.
- 17. Moyn, S. (2014). Human Rights and the Uses of History. Verso Books.
- 18. Mukherjee, R., Kumar, & Sumant. (2017). Protection of Child Rights in India: An Uncertain Future. S.K. Books.
- 19. Quataert, J., & Wildenthal, L. (2019). The Routledge History of Human Rights. Routledge.
- 20. Sudarshanam, G. (2019). Human Rights in India: Prospective and Retrospective. Rawat.
- 21. Thukral, E. G. (2002). Children in Globalising India: Challenging Our Conscience. HAQ Centre for Child Rights.

Evaluation Type	Marks	
End Semester Evaluation	70	
Continuous Evaluation	30	
a) Test Paper- 1	10	
b) Test Paper-2/Quiz	10	
Assignment/Seminar/Book/Articl e Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the two)	10	
Total	100	

KU6DSCPOL306: INDIAN POLITICAL THOUGHT

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code		Credits	Total Hours
6	DSC	300-399	KU6DSCPOL306		4	60
Learning Approach (Hours/ Week)			Marks Distribution			Daniel or of
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)
4	-	1	30	70	100	2

Course Description:

This course provides a thorough understanding of Indian political thought, from ancient to modern times. It helps learners critically evaluate the debate on the originality of Indian political ideas and covers various traditions, such as nationalist, spiritual, liberal, and socialist thought. The course also equips students with the tools to engage critically with current Indian political issues.

Course Prerequisite: Nil Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Learners will be able to critically assess and analyze the originality and development of Indian political thought across different time periods.	An
2	Learners will gain a solid understanding of various political traditions in India, including nationalist, spiritual, liberal, and socialist thought, and their influence on modern political discourse.	U
3	Learners will develop the ability to critically engage with and evaluate current political issues in India, applying insights from historical political thought.	A
4	Learners will be able to compare and contrast ancient and modern Indian political philosophies, understanding how they shape contemporary political practices.	A &U
5	Learners will be able to articulate and defend their perspectives on Indian political issues, demonstrating an ability to engage in informed political discussions and debates.	С

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1				✓			
CO 2		✓					
CO 3			✓				C
CO 4	✓			✓			
CO 5							✓

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS
	Introd	uction	12
	1	Debate on originality of Indian Thought	
1	2	Broad streams of Indian Thought I: Hindu, Buddhist Liberal, & Gandhian.	
	3	Broad streams of Indian Thought II: Marxist Dalit-Bahujan Post Colonial and Feminist	
	4	Kautilya: Theory of State Craft	
	Reform	nist, Marginalised, and Spiritual Indian Thought	
	1	Rajaram Mohan Roy: Reason and Liberty	
2	2	Pandita Ramabhai: Emancipation of Women	
	3	Jyotirao Phule: Problems of Caste Slavery	
	4	Spiritual Thought: Vivekananda: Vibrant Nation and, Aurobindo Gosh: Spiritual Nationalism.	

	Nationalist, Cosmopolitan, Gandhian & Liberal Indian Thought	12
	1 B. G. Tilak: Extremist Nationalism	
3	2 Rabindra Natha Tagore: Cosmopolitan Nationalism	
	3 M K Gandhi: Satyagraha, Ahimsa, Swaraj, Sarvodaya, Trusteeship, & Critique of Modernity.	
	4 Jawaharlal Nehru: Secular Nation	
	Dalit, Socialist and Radical Thought	12
	1 B R Ambedkar: Annihilation of Caste	
4	2 Jaya Prakash Narayan: Total Revolution & Rammanohar Lohia: New Socialism	
	Periyar E V Ramaswami: Self-Respect Sree Narayana Guru: Human Emancipation and Social Reform	
	3 M N Roy: Integral Humanism & K. Damodaran	
5	Teacher Specific Module	12

Essential Readings:

- 1. Aiyar, S.P (1972). Some Aspects of the Study of the Modern Indian Political Thought. Indian Journal of Indian Political Science. Vol.33, No.4.
- 2. Pantham, Thomas. & Kenneth L Deutsch (1986). Political Thought in Modern India (eds.). Sage: New Delhi.
- 3. Jafferlot, Christophe. (2007). Hindu Nationalism: A Reader (eds.). Princeton University Press: Delhi.
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	Evaluation Type	Marks
En	d Semester Evaluation	70
Continuous Evaluation 30		30
a)	Test Paper- 1	10
b)	Test Paper-2/Quiz	10
c)	Assignment/Seminar/Book/Articl e Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the two)	10
	Total	100

KU6DSEPOL305: INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS AND REGIONAL ARRANGEMENTS

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code	Credits	Total Hours
6	DSE	300-399	KU6DSEPOL305	4	60

Learnin	Learning Approach (Hours/ Week)			Marks Distribution			
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)	
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 Hrs	

Course Description: This course provides an in-depth understanding of international organizations and regional arrangements, their roles in global governance, and their impact on international relations. The course will explore the history, structure, functions, and contemporary issues faced by these institutions.

Course Prerequisite: NIL Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	To understand the historical evolution and theoretical foundations of international organizations and regional arrangements.	U
2	Illuminate the diverse frameworks for contemplating the complexities of international politics.	R
3	Grasp the profound significance of state sovereignty and national interest in the realm of International Relations	R
4	To cultivate critical thinking skills by delving into the analysis of case studies and current events related to international organizations	C
5	Assess the merits and limitations of diverse approaches to interpreting, comprehending, and appraising contemporary international politics	Е

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1	~			~			
CO 2		✓			✓		
CO 3			~				~
CO 4			~			✓	
CO 5	~			~			

COURSE CONTENTS

MODUL E	UNI T	DESCRIPTION	HOURS			
	Introduc	ction to International Organizations	12			
	Origins and development of international organizations, Key milestones in the evolution of global governance, and Treaty of Westphalia					
1	2	League of nations-Principles- Objectives- Structure, and The League of Nations: Successes and Failures				
	3	Post-World War II Developments: Evolution of UN, Purposes, Principles, and Main Organs				
	4	Subsidiary Organs of UN & Evaluation of UN activities				
	Regional	lism and Regional Organisations	12			
	1	Regionalism - Origin and Growth				
2	2	Regional Groupings- South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC), European Union (EU), and African Union (AU)				
	3	Association of South East Asian Nation (ASEAN) and Shanghai Cooperation Organisation (SCO)				
	4	Bay of Bengal Initiative for Multi-Sectoral Technical and Economic Cooperation (BIMSTEC) and Indian Ocean Rim Association (IORA)				
	Security	and Regional Associations	12			
	1	NATO and Five Eyes Alliance.				
3	2	SEATO and Collective Security Council.				
3	3	Organisation for Security and Co-operation in Europe. (OSCE), and AU Peace and Security Council.				
	4	Global Security Initiative, and Quadrilateral Security Dialogue (QUAD)				
	New Wo	rld Order	12			
	1	Bretten wood Institutions- IMF Objectives, Functions, Role of IMF in facilitating liberalisation and deregulation, and Major Criticisms				
4	2	World bank – Objectives, Functions, Role of World Bank in facilitating liberalisation and deregulation and Major Criticisms				
	3	GATT, WTO- Objectives, Functions, and Criticisms.				
	4	New International Economic order (NIEO) & G-20				
5	Teacher	Specific Module	12			

Essential Readings:

- 1. Barkin, J. S. (2006). International Organizations: Theories and Institutions. Palgrave Macmillan.
- 2. Baylis, John; Steve Smith; Patricia Owens (2008). The Globalization of World Politics. Oxford University Press.
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Suggested Readings:

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Evaluation Type	Marks
End Semester Evaluation	70
Continuous Evaluation	30
a) Test Paper- 1	10
b) Test Paper-2/Quiz	10
Assignment/Seminar/Book/Articl e Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the two)	10
Total	100

KU6DSEPOL306: FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION IN INDIA

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code		Credits	Total Hours
6	DSE	300-399	KU6DSEPOL306		4	60
Learnin	g Approach (Hou	Marks Distribution			Duration of	
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	СЕ	ESE	Total	ESE (Hours)
4		1	30	70	100	2 Hrs

Course Description:

This course provides an in-depth understanding of the financial administration system in India, focusing on its structure, processes, and policies. It examines the role of various governmental bodies, institutions, and stakeholders in managing public finances. The course also explores the challenges and reforms in India's financial administration.

Course Prerequisite: NIL Course Outcome:

CO No.	Expected Outcome			
1	Learners will be able to explain the principles and practices of financial administration in India	Е		
2	2 Learners will be able to analyse budgetary documents, fiscal policies, and financial reports.			
3	Learners will be able to critically assess the challenges and reforms in India's financial administration.	С		
4	Learners will be able to apply theoretical knowledge to analyse real-world financial issues and policies.	A		
5	Learners will be able to critically evaluate by changes brought about by the liberalisation in the Indian Financial Administration.	Е		

Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1						✓	
CO 2				✓			
CO 3							✓
CO 4			✓				
CO 5						✓	

COURSE CONTENTS

Contents for Classroom Transaction:

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS	
	Financial Administration- An Introduction			
	1	Concept, Scope, and importance of the Financial Administration.		
1	2	Evolution of the Financial Administration.		
	3	Processes and Agents involved in the Financial Administration.		
	4	Evolution of the Financial Administration in India, Fiscal Vs Monetary Policies		
	Budgetary Proc	cess and Fiscal Policy in India	12	
	1	Budget: Meaning, Evolution, & Significance		
2	2	Types of Budgets: Surplus, Zero-Based, and Deficit Budget.		
	3	Budget Preparation: Agencies involved in the Budget Preparation		
	4	Presentation and Passage in the Indian Parliament		
	Agencies involv	ed in the Implementation and Monitoring in the	12	
		al Administration.	12	
	1	Finance Ministry: Tax Collection		
3	2	Finance Commission & NITI Ayog: Allocation of Financial Resources, and Issues related tax devolution.		
Ū	3	Parliamentary Control Over Public Expenditure- Estimates Committee-Public Accounts Committee- Committee on Public Undertaking,		
	4	Other Mechanisms: Comptroller and Auditor General		
	Issues related to Financial Administration			
	1	Economic Liberalization and Financial Sector Reforms.		
4	2	Goods and Services Tax (GST) and Fiscal Federalism.		
	3	Public Debt Management and Fiscal Deficit: Fiscal Responsibility Act.		
	4	Challenges in Financial Administration: Corruption, Accountability, and Transparency.		
5	Teacher Specifi		12	

Essential Readings:

- **1.** Bhattacharya, B. B., & Chakrabarti, R. (2018). *Financial Management: Principle and Applications*. New Delhi: Pearson India.
- 2. Mahajan, Kumar Sanjeev and Puri Anupama Mahajan. (2014). *Financial Administration in India*. New Delhi: PHI Learning Private Limited.
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- 1. Ahluwalia, M. S., & Debroy, B. (2002). *Economic reforms in India*: Agenda for the next decade. Oxford University Press.
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	Evaluation Type	Marks
En	d Semester Evaluation	70
Cor	ntinuous Evaluation	30
a)	Test Paper- 1	10
b)	Test Paper-2/Quiz	10
c)	Assignment/Seminar/Book/Articl e Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the two)	10
	Total	100

KU6DSEPOL307-ENVIRONMENTAL POLITICS

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code	Credits	Total Hours
6	DSE	300-399	KU6DSEPOL307	4	60

Learning Approach (Hours/ Week)			Marks Distribution			Duration of
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 Hrs

Course Description: This course is designed to provide a comprehensive understanding of the environment. It helps learners grasp the need and purpose of studying the environment, along with various theoretical perspectives on the relationship between humans and their ecosystems, including the intersection between the environment and politics. The course also enables learners to understand different sources of resources provided by the environment and addresses major issues related to the overexploitation of natural resources by humans. Additionally, the course explores initiatives by environmentalists, movements, political parties, and global institutions such as the UN to protect nature. Furthermore, it helps learners examine environmental issues in India, including related initiatives, legislation, and adjudications. The course also critically evaluates the measures taken by the Indian state to protect and promote environmental justice.

Course Prerequisite: NIL Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome					
1	Learners will be able to explain the significance and purpose of studying the environment, recognizing its impact on human life and society.					
2	Learners will be able to critically examine various theoretical perspectives on the relationship between humans and their ecosystems, and understand the intersection between environmental issues and politics.	An				
3	Learners will be able to identify and assess the major environmental issues arising from the overexploitation of natural resources, and understand the consequences of human activity on nature.	E				
4	Learners will be able to evaluate the roles of environmental movements, political parties, and global institutions, such as the UN, in protecting the environment, as well as understand their impact on global sustainability.	E				
5	Learners will be able to analyze the environmental initiatives, legislations, and adjudications in India, critically evaluating the measures taken by the Indian state to promote environmental justice and sustainability.	An				

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1		✓					
CO 2				✓			
CO 3						✓	
CO 4						✓	
CO 5				✓			

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNI T	DESCRIPTION	HOURS
	Introduction		
	1	Definition, Scope & Importance of studying environment	
	2	Environment: Significance, relation between politics & environment	
1	3	Eco System: concept, structure, and functions; types of eco system- forest eco system, grassland eco-system, desert eco system, aquatic eco system (ponds, streams, lakes, rivers, oceans); producers, consumers & decomposers; energy flow into eco system,	
	4	Theories Eco-Centrism & Anthropo-Centrism, Eco-Feminism, & Eco Socialism	
	Resou	arces in the Environment & Issues	12
	1	Renewable & Renewable Resources-I: Forest, Land, Mineral, Food, Energy and Water	
2	2	Bio Diversity and its conservation: Definition; Types: Genetic, Speciese, and Plants; Value of Bio diversity; Threats to Bio-diversity: habitat loss, poaching of wild life, and man and wild life conflict, and conservation of bio diversity.	
	3	Pollution: Definition; Causes; Effects, and Types: Air, Water, Soil, Marine, Noise, Thermal, and nuclear hazards;	
	4	Climate Change: Definition; Causes; and Types: Global Warming, Acid Rain, Ozone Layer Depletion, nuclear Accidents and holocaust	

	Environment Movements & Sustainable Developmental Practises	12
3	1 Individual Initiatives:	
	2 Green Movements & Parties	
	3 Global Initiatives: UNFCC & IPCC; Kyoto Protocol; Paris Agreement; Global Climate Action Summit	
	4 Sustainable Development & Sustainable Development Practises	
	Environmental Issues and Mechanisms to protect the Environment in India	12
	1 Major Environmental Issues: Topography of India; Floods, Drought, Landslide, and Heatwave.	
4	2 Individual & Movements: Environmentalist: Medha Patkar, Sundar Lal Bahuguna, Salim Ali & Johnsy Jacob. Movements: Chipko, Silent Valley, Narmada Bachao Andoloan, and Sastra Sahitya Parishad.	
	3 Legislations: Environmental Protection Act, Air Pollution (Prevention and Control) Act, Wildlife Protection act, Forest Conservation Act & Limitations of these Acts. Sustainable Development Practises: Surya Ghar, Waste Management Practises- Swachh Bharat Mission, Malinya Muktha Kerala and, Haritha Karma Sena.	
	4 Adjudication Mechanism: National Green Tribunal: Origin, Functions	
5	Teacher Specific Module	12

Essential Readings:

- 1. UGC, Erach. (2004). Text Book for Environmental Studies for UG Students in Undergraduate courses. UGC. New Delhi.
 - https://www.ugc.gov.in/oldpdf/modelcurriculum/env.pdf
- 2. Gauba, O P (2016). Western Political Thought, Mayur Paperbacks. Delhi.
- 3. Dobson, Andrew. (2016). *Environmental politics: A very short introduction*. Vol. 457. Oxford University Press.
- 4. Shah, Ghanashyam (2004), Social Movements in India: A Review. Sage, New Delhi.
- 5. Raj, Subhendu Ranjan (2012), *India's Environmental Policy*. In Indian Political System (eds). By Mahendra Prasad Singh & Subhendu Ranjan Raj, Pearson: Delhi.
- 6. Kanwal, Poonam, (2012), *Environmental Movements in India*. In Indian Political System (eds). By Mahendra Prasad Singh & Subhendu Ranjan Raj, Pearson: Delhi.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Amold, David and Ramchandra Guha. (1995). *Nature, Culture, Imperialism: Essays on the Environmental History of South Asia*, Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- 2. Rosenbaum, Walter A.(1991). *Environmental Politics and Policy*, New Delhi: East-West Press Pvt.Ltd,1991.
- 3. Doyle, T., McEachern, D., & MacGregor, S. (2015). Environment and politics. Routledge.

- 4. Cunningham, William P., and Cunningham, Mary Ann. (2019). Environmental Science: Principles and Practice, McGraw-Hill Education.
- 5. Krishna, Sumi. (1996). *Environmental Politics: Peoples Lives and Choices*, New Delhi: Sage Publications.

Evaluation Type	Marks
End Semester Evaluation	70
Continuous Evaluation	30
a) Test Paper- 1	10
b) Test Paper-2/Quiz	10
Assignment/Seminar/Book/Articl e Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the two)	10
Total	100

KU6DSEPOL308: POLITICL IDEOLOGIES

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code	Credits	Total Hours
6	DSE	300-399	KU6DSEPOL308	4	60

Learning	g Approach (Hou	rs/ Week)	Mar	Dunction of		
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 Hrs

Course Description:

This course offers students a thorough understanding of major political ideologies. It offers critical insights into how ideas shape everyday politics and the administrative systems in which we live. The course explores the science behind ideology and examine its various types of ideologies. It gives thorough understanding about the emergence of major ideologies, their central ideas, and the diverse currents within them. Additionally, students will learn to critically evaluate how political parties apply political ideology in their daily activities.

Course Prerequisite: Nil Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains			
1	Students will be able to understand major political ideologies and their impact on everyday politics and administrative systems.				
2	Students will be able to understand the historical origins of major ideologies, grasp their central ideas, and recognize the diverse currents within each ideological framework.	U			
3	 Identify and distinguish between various types of ideologies, exploring their fundamental principles and real-world applications. Analyze the influence of ideas on political landscapes and governance structures, gaining critical insights into how ideology shapes society. 				
4					
5	Students will be able to critically assess how political parties apply ideology in their daily activities, fostering a refined understanding of the relationship between ideology and political practice.	E			

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1		✓					
CO 2		✓					
CO 3		✓					
CO 4				✓			
CO 5							

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS			
	UNDERST	ANDING POLITICAL IDEOLOGY	12			
	1	Role of Ideas in Politics				
1	2	2 Meaning, Definition & Features of Ideology				
	3	Ideological Spectrum: Right, Centre & Left				
	4	Dabate on End of Ideology				
	Liberalisn	n	12			
	1	Origins and Development				
2	2	Central Themes				
_	3	Liberal Democracy: Origin, Development and Features.				
	4	Currents of Liberalism: Classical Liberalism- Key features, Positive Liberalism- Key features & Neo Liberalism- Key features				

	Socialism	1	12
	1	Origins and Development	
3	2	Central Themes	
	3	Revolutionary Socialism- Marxism: Key Principles, Currents Marxism: Orthodox Marxism and Neo Marxism	
	4	Evolutionary Socialism: Social Democracy, Ethical, Revisionist and Neo Revisionism (Third Way)	
	Conserva	tism, Fascism & Post Modernism	12
	1	Conservatism: Origins & Development	
4	2	Central Themes, Currents of Conservatism: Authoritarian, Paternalist, Libertarian and New Right	
	3	Fascism: Origins, Development, and Central Themes	
	4	Post Modernism: Origin, Development, and Central Themes	
5	Teacher S	Specific Module	12

Essential Readings:

- **1.** Heywood, Andrew. (2021). *Political Ideologies: An Introduction*. New Delhi: Bloomsbury Academic.
- 2. Wetherly, P. (2017). *Political Ideologies*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- 3. Shukla, Rachana. (2023). Definitive Guide to Political Ideologies, Scholastic.
- 4. Freeden, Michael. (2015). *Liberalism: A Very Short Introduction*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
- 5. Newman, Michael. (2020). *Socialism: A Very Short Introduction*. (2nd edn). New Delhi: Oxford University Press.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Schwarzmantel, J. (2008). *Ideology and Politics*. London: SAGE Publications.
- 2. Heywood, Andrew. (2007). Key Concepts in Politics, New York: Palgrave Macmillan.
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Evaluation Type	Marks
End Semester Evaluation	70
Continuous Evaluation	30
a) Test Paper- 1	10
b) Test Paper-2/Quiz	10
Assignment/Seminar/Book/Articl e Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the two)	10
Total	100

KU6SECPOL302 LEGISLATIVE PRACTICES & PROCEDURES

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code	Credits	Total Hours
6	SEC	300-399	KU6SECPOL302	3	45

Learnin	g Approach (Hou	rs/Week)	Mar	Duration of			
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)	
3	-	-	25	50	75	1.5 Hrs	

Course Description: This course offers a thorough understanding of parliamentary systems and practices in India. Its primary goal is to cultivate vital skills and knowledge in legislative processes and practices within India. Participants will gain valuable insights into how laws are crafted, executed, and, how Indian parliament oversees administration.

Course Prerequisite: NIL

Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Learners will be able to understand the fundamental principles underlying legislative practices in India.	U
2	Learners will be able to develop proficiency in the legislative process, including the procedure for convening parliamentary sessions and the functioning of parliamentary committees	U
3	Learners will be able to gain competence in the budgetary process, including analyzing the annual financial statement and understanding the relationship between parliamentary systems and budgeting.	An
4	Learners will be able to gain mastery in parliamentary practices aimed at controlling administration, such as raising parliamentary questions, addressing urgent public issues, and understanding parliamentary privileges.	U
5	Learners will be able to develop an awareness of the challenges and reforms in Indian parliamentary practices, allowing them to critically analyze current practices and contribute to initiatives aimed at improving legislative processes and governance in India.	An

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1		✓					
CO 2		✓					
CO 3				✓			
CO 4		✓					
CO 5					✓		

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS		
	Fundament	12			
	1	Parliamentary System of Governance: Evolution			
1	2	Significance of Parliamentary Practices			
	3	Evolution of Parliamentary System in India			
	4	Significance of Procedures and Conventions in India			
	Parliament	ary Procedure: Law Making & Committees	12		
	1	1 Procedure for convening Parliamentary Sessions			
2	2	Legislative Process			
	3	Parliamentary Committees: Role and Functions			
	4	Debate on declining status of Parliament			
	Budgetary	Process	12		
	1	Annual Financial Statement			
3	2	Parliamentary System & Budget			
	3	Budgetary Process in India			
	4	Budgetary Committees			

	Parliamentary Practises to Control Administration					
	1	Parliamentary Questions				
4	2	Procedure for raising urgent public important issues				
	3	Parliamentary Privileges				
	4	Challenges and Reforms in Indian Parliamentary Practises.				
5	Teacher Spec	Teacher Specific Module				

Essential Readings:

Kaul, M N & S L Shakdher. (2016). Practice and Procedure of Parliament (7th Edition) Editor: Anoop Mishra, Lok Sabha Secretariat.

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- 2. Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs (2016), Manual of Parliamentary Procedures in the Government of India, Government of India,

https://mpa.gov.in/sites/default/files/Manual2018_0_0.pdf

Evaluation Type	Marks
End Semester Evaluation	50
Continuous Evaluation	25
a) Test Paper- 1	10
b) Test Paper-2/Quiz	5
Assignment/Seminar/Book/Articl e Review/Field Report/Viva Voce/ Group Discussion (Any of the two)	10
Total	75

SEMESTER VII

Sem	Course Code	Course Title	CE	ESE	Total	Credit	Hrs.	Page No.
	KU7DSCPOL401	Indian Administration	30	70	100	4	4	160-163
VII	KU7DSCPOL402	Contemporary Political Thought	30	70	100	4	4	164-168
		Philosophy and Practice of Political Science Research	30	70	100	4	4	169-173
	KU7DSCPOL404	Public Policy	30	70	100	4	4	174-177
	KU7DSCPOL405	Peace and Conflict Studies	30	70	100	4	4	178-181

KU7DSCPOL401: INDIAN ADMINISTRATION

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code		Credits	Total Hours
7	DSC	300	KU7DSCPOL401		4	60
Learnin	Learning Approach (Hours/ Week)			Marks Distribution		
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)
4		1	30	70	100	2 Hrs

Course Description:

This course offers an in-depth understanding of Indian administration, covering the evolution of the independent Indian administrative system and the institutions involved in policymaking and implementation at various levels. It also enables learners to critically assess the challenges faced by Indian administration. Additionally, the course explores technology-driven mechanisms that bring administration closer to citizens and provides insights into grievance redressal mechanisms. Learners will also critically evaluate the effectiveness and limitations of the Indian administrative system and its grievance redressal processes.

Course Prerequisite: NIL Course Outcome:

Learning CO No. **Expected Outcome Domains** 1 Learners will be able to understand Indian administration, covering the evolution of the independent Indian administrative system and the IJ institutions involved in policymaking and implementation at various levels. 2 Learners will be able to critically assess the challenges faced by Indian Ε administration 3 Learners will be able to understand technology-driven mechanisms that U bring administration closer to citizens. 4 Learners will be able understand grievance redressal mechanisms available Α to the citizens. Learners will be able to critically evaluate the effectiveness and limitations 5 Ε of the Indian administrative system and its grievance redressal processes.

Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1							
CO 2						✓	
CO 3		✓					
CO 4			✓				
CO 5						✓	

COURSE CONTENTS

M O D U L E	U N I T	DESCRIPTION	HOURS						
	Evolution of India Administration								
	1	Ancient Indian Administration-Vedic Period, Mauryan Administration and Kautilya							
1	2	Medieval Indian Administration- Mughal Period							
	3	Colonial Administration: East India Company, Govt. of India Act 1858, Minto- Morely Reforms, Montague Chelmsford Reforms and Govt. of India Act 1935							
	4	Post Independent Indian Administration- Features							
	Adn	ninistration at the Union	12						
	1	Departmental Organisation- Public Services							
2	2	All India Civil Service: Recruitment, Types & Functions							
	3	Cabinet Secretariate & Cabinet Secretary							
	4	PMO- Origin, Organisation and Structure							

	Adr	ninistration at the State, District & Rural levels	12			
	1	State Secretariate: Organisation & Role				
3	2	Chief Secretary: Role and Functions				
	3	District Administration: Collector				
	4 Local governance: Rural and Urban					
	Issu	es, Challenges & Prospects of Indian Administration	12			
	1	Issues: Minister-Civil Servants Relations, Generalist Vs Specialists, Issues between Lateral Entrant Vs Bureaucrats.				
4	2	Issue of Corruption, Redressal Mechanisms & Limitations: Lokpal, Lokayukta, Right to Information Act, Central Vigilance Commission				
	3	Reforms in Indian Administration: Recommendations of First Administrative Reforms Commission (1966) & Second Administrative Reforms Commission (2005)				
	4	Shift to government to governance, E-governance, M-governance and Issues of E-governance.				
	Tea	cher Specific Module	12			
5	Directions					

Essential Readings:

- 1. Arora, Ramesh. K & Rajani Goyal (2007). Indian Public Administration: Institution & Issues. New Age International: New Delhi.
- 2. Bussell, Jenniffer (2012). Corruption and Reform in India: Public Service in the Digital Age. Cambridge University Press: New Delhi.
- 3. Jain, R.B(2001). Public Administration in India:21st Century Challenges for Good Governance. Deep & Deep Publications: New Delhi.
- 4. Maheswari, Sriram. (2006). Public Administration in India: The Higher Civil Service. Oxford University Press: New Delhi.
- 5. Maheswari, S.R. (2005). Indian Administration. Orient Longman: New Delhi.
- 6. Sarkar, Siuli (2010). Public Administration in India. PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd: New Delhi.
- 7. Sharma. M (2004). Indian Administration. Anumol Publications: New Delhi.
- 8. Singh. Hoshiar and Pandey Singh. (2011). Indian Administration. Pearson: New Delhi.
- 9. Eames, E. & Saran, P. (1988). District Administration in India. New Delhi, India: Vikas Publication.
- 10. Ram, D. S. (1996). Dynamics of District Administration: A New Perspective. New Delhi, India: Kanishka Publishers.
- 11. Sapru, R. (2018). Indian Administration: A Foundation of Governance. New Delhi, India: Sage.
- 12. Sen, S.N. (1999). Ancient Indian History and Civilization. New Delhi, India: New Age International.

	Marks	
End Sem	nester Evaluation	70
Continuo	30	
a)	Test Paper- 1	5
b)	Test Paper-2/Viva Voce	5
c)	Assignment/Seminar	10
e)	Book/ Article Review/Field Report	10
	100	

KU7DSCPOL402 CONTEMPORARY POLITICAL THOUGHT

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code	Credits	Total Hours
7 DSC 400-499		400-499	KU7DSCPOL402	4	60

Learning	Learning Approach (Hours/ Week)			Marks Distribution			
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)	
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 hrs	

Course Description:

This course aims to introduce learners to the ideas of contemporary political thinkers. It helps students understand the political theories of thinkers from different traditions, ranging from post-colonialism to neoliberalism. The course also encourages learners to critically analyze and evaluate contemporary state policies based on the ideas of these thinkers. Furthermore, it enables students to understand the limitations of contemporary political policies and propose alternative solutions. Additionally, the course provides a strong theoretical foundation to support learners in their further research studies.

Course Prerequisite: NIL

Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Learners will be able to understand the political ideas of contemporary thinkers from various ideological traditions, including neoliberalism, post-colonialism, and others.	U
2	Learners will be able to develop the ability to critically analyse and evaluate contemporary political policies using the perspectives of major political thinkers.	An & E
3	Learners will be able to identify and assess the limitations of contemporary state policies and propose alternative solutions grounded in theoretical frameworks.	R& C
4	Learners will be able to apply the ideas of political thinkers to contemporary political issues, demonstrating an ability to bridge theory and practice.	A
5	The course will enhance students' research skills, equipping them with the theoretical foundation necessary for further academic inquiry into political science and related fields.	С

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1	✓						
CO 2				✓		✓	
CO 3	✓						✓
CO 4			✓				
CO 5							✓

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS
	Liberal Tr	radition & Communitarian	12
	1	Robert Nozick (Distributive Justice and Entitlement Theory of Justice, and Individual Autonomy) F W Hayek (Individualism)	
1	2	John Rawls (Theory of Justice- Justice as Fairness) Amartya Sen (Social Justice and Ethics, Capability Approach)	
	3	Michael Sandel (Communitarianism) Michael Walzer (Spheres of Justice)	
	4	Will Kymlika and Charles Tylor (Multiculturalism)	
	Marxian T	radition	12
	1	Gramsci (Ideology, Hegemony and state and Civil Society)	
2	2	Miliband (On state) & Poulantzas (Relative autonomy of state)	
	3	Clause Off, and Louis Althusser (Structural Marxism & Theory of Ideology)	
	4	Hebert Marcus (One Dimensional Man), and Habermas (Public Sphere & Principle of Democracy)	

	Feminism		12
	1	First Wave Feminism: Betty Friedan	
3	2	Second Wave Feminism: Shela Rowbatham	
	3	Third Wave Feminism: Simone de Beauvoir	
	4	Sex and Gender: Judith Butler	
	Post Color	nialism	12
	1	Frantz Fanon: (The problem of Blackness & The Wretched of the Earth)	
4	2	Edward Said: Orientalism	
	3	Gayatri Chakravorty Spivak (Post Colonialism and Can the subaltern speak)	
	4	Homi K. Bhabha (Post Colonialism and Concept of Hybridity)	
5	Teacher S	pecific Module	12

Essential Readings

- **1.**Steven Wall (2007), *The Cambridge Companion to Liberalism*, Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- 2. Ralph Miliband (1977), Marxism and Politics, Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- 3. Bell hooks (1984), Feminist Theory: From Margin to Center, Boston: South End Press.
- 4. Robert J.C. Young (2003), *Postcolonialism: A Very Short Introduction*, Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- 5. Andrew Heywood (2012), *Political Ideologies: An Introduction*, London: Palgrave Macmillan.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. John Rawls (1971), A Theory of Justice, Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press.
- 2. Michael Walzer (1983), Spheres of Justice: A Defense of Pluralism and Equality, New York: Basic Books.
- 3. Robert Nozick (1974), Anarchy, State, and Utopia, New York: Basic Books.
- 4. Antonio Gramsci (1971), Selections from the Prison Notebooks, New York: International Publishers.
- 5. Ralph Miliband (1969), The State in Capitalist Society, New York: Basic Books.
- 6. Nicos Poulantzas (1973), Political Power and Social Classes, London: New Left Books.
- 7. Louis Althusser (1965), For Marx, London: Verso.
- 8. Betty Friedan (1963), The Feminine Mystique, New York: W.W. Norton & Company.
- 9. Simone de Beauvoir (1949), The Second Sex, New York: Alfred A. Knopf.

- 10. Shulamith Firestone (1970), The Dialectic of Sex, New York: William Morrow and Company.
- 11. Judith Butler (1990), Gender Trouble: Feminism and the Subversion of Identity, New York: Routledge.
- 12. Frantz Fanon (1961), The Wretched of the Earth, New York: Grove Press.
- 13. Edward Said (1978), Orientalism, New York: Pantheon Books.
- 14. Gayatri Chakravorty Spivak (1999), A Critique of Postcolonial Reason: Toward a History of the Vanishing Present, Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press.
- 15. Homi K. Bhabha (1994), The Location of Culture, London: Routledge.

Evaluation Type	Marks
End Semester Evaluation	70
Continuous Evaluation	30
a) Test Paper- 1	5
b) Test Paper-2/Quiz	5
c) Assignment/Seminar	10
d) Book/ Article Review/Field Report	10
Total	100

KU7DSCPOL403: PHILOSOPHY AND PRACTICE OF POLITICAL SCIENCE RESEARCH

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code	Credits	Total Hours
7	DSC	400-499	KU7DSCPOL403	4	4

Learning Approach (Hours/ Week) Marks Distribution				Dyration of		
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 hrs

Course Description:

The course is designed to introduce learners to the methodology of conducting research in political science. It helps students understand the meaning and definition of research, as well as the major differences between research in the natural sciences and the social sciences. Students will also gain insights into the importance and need for conducting research in political science. The course will provide an understanding of the distinctions between qualitative and quantitative research methods. Additionally, the course equips students with the skills to identify political issues, conduct in-depth studies on these issues in a systematic and scientific manner, and propose solutions to these problems. Furthermore, the course prepares students to approach real-world issues and find solutions in their future careers. **Course Prerequisite: NIL**

Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Students will be able to define research, differentiate between research in natural sciences and social sciences, and explain the unique characteristics of political science research.	R
2	Students will gain a comprehensive understanding of the differences between qualitative and quantitative research and will be able to apply both methods to political science research.	U & A
3	Students will develop the ability to identify current political issues, analyze them systematically, and understand their significance in the context of political science.	R& An
4	Students will be able to independently conduct thorough and well-structured research on political topics, utilizing appropriate methods, data, and analysis.	Е
5	Students will be able to offer informed, scientifically grounded solutions to political issues and demonstrate the application of research in addressing societal problems.	С

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1	✓						
CO 2		✓	✓				
CO 3	✓	ő		✓			
CO 4						✓	
CO 5							✓

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS
	Introduction	to Research	12
	1	Research: Meaning, Definition, Significance and Characteristics of good research.	
1	2	Difference between Research in Science & Social Sciences	
	3	Nature and Significance of Research in Political Science	
	4	Types of Research in Political Science: Quantitative & Qualitative	
		Stages of Research-1	12
	1	Review of Literature: Definition, Need and Significance &. Identification of Problem	
2	2	Statement of the Problem: The need and its significance & Formulate Research Objectives: need and characteristics of good research objectives.	
	3	Hypothesis: Significance, & Types, Characteristics, Research Question	
	4	Research Design, Synopsis	

	Data Collec	tion	12
	1	Sources of Data Collection: Primary & Secondary	
	2	Methods of Data Collection: Quantitative and Qualitative Methods.	
3	3	Quantitative Methods: Survey (Preparation of Questionnaire: characteristics of good questionnaire, types of questions in questionnaire, merits and demerits. Sampling Techniques: Types, Pilot Study	
	4	Qualitative Methods: Observation, Interview & Ethnography	
	Data Proces	ssing, Analysis and Issues in Research	12
	1	Data Processes and Analysis: Use of Software- SPSS	
4	2	Writing Report: Style of Report Writing, Citation Styles, References.	
	3	Research Ethics	
	4	Plagiarism	
5	Teacher Sp	ecific Module	12

Essential Readings

- **1.** McNaab, David E (2010). *Research Methods for Political Science: Quantitative and Qualitative Approach.* New Delhi: Routledge.
- 2. Denzin N.K. (2011). The Sage Handbook of Qualitative Research. New Delhi: Sage.
- **3.** Johnson, J B & H T Reynolds (2012). *Political Science Research Methods*. New Delhi: CQ Press Publications.
- **4.** Kumar, Ranjit (2010). Research Methodology: A Step-by-Step Guide for Beginners. New Delhi: Sage.
- **5.** Kothari C R. (2008). Research Methodology: Methods and Techniques. New Delhi: Age International.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. W Lawrence Neuman, *Social Research Methods Qualitative and Quantitative Approaches*, (Boston: Allyn and Bacon Pub, 2000).
- 2. Strauss, Anselm L.; Corbin, Juliet M., *Basics of Qualitative Research: Techniques and Procedures for Developing Grounded Theory*, (London: Sage Publications, Inc., 1996).
- 3. Bruce J. Caldwell, *Beyond Positivism: Economic Methodology in the Twentieth Century*, (London: Rutledge, 1994).
- 4. Earl Babbie, *The Basics of Social Research (Fifth Edition)*, (Belmont: Wadsworth, 2011).

- 5. Gareth Morgan and Linda Smirch, "The Case for Qualitative Research," *The Academy of Management Review*, Oct., 1980, Vol. 5, No. 4 (Oct., 1980), pp.491-500.
- 6. John W Creswell, Research Design: Qualitative, Quantitative and Mixed Method Approaches (LA: Sage, 2009).
- 7. Alan Bryman, Social Research Methods (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2012)
- 8. Alan Bryman, Quantity and Quality in Social Research, (London: Routledge, 1988)
- 9. Alan Bryman and Robert Burgess (eds.) *Analyzing Qualitative Data*(London: Routledge, 2002)
- 10. Malcolm Williams and Tim May, *Introduction to the Philosophy of Social Research* (London: UCL Press Limited, 1996)
- 11. Donald Polkinghorne, *Methodology for the Human Sciences: Systems of Inquiry* (Albany: State University of New York Press, 1983)

	Evaluation Type				
End Semo	ester Evaluation	70			
Continuou	Continuous Evaluation				
a)	Test Paper- 1	5			
b)	Test Paper-2/	5			
c)	Assignment/Seminar	10			
e)	e) Book/ Article Review/Field Report				
Total		100			

KU7DSCPOL404 PUBLIC POLICY

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code		Credits	Total Hours
7	DSC	400-499	KU7DSCPO	L404	4	60
Learnin	Learning Approach (Hours/ Week)			Marks Distribution		
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	СЕ	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)
4		1	30	70	100	2 hrs

Course Description:

This course is designed to provide a thorough understanding on meaning, nature, characteristics need, types and evolution of Public Policy. It introduces key theories on decision-making and helps learners to identify and differentiate various models of decision making. The course helps learners understand stages involved and actors influences decision making process. It also opens new avenues for research and critical inquiry into social transformation.

Prerequisite: NIL Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Learners will be able to explain meaning, nature, characteristics need, types and evolution of Public Policy	R
2	Learners will be able to analyse key theories on decision-making	An
3	Learners will be able compare various models of decision making and reach a conclusion on most suitable model of decision-making model.	R& An
4	Learners will be able to understand stages involved and actors influences decision making process and evaluate role of various actors.	E
5	Learners will be equipped with the conceptual tools and critical perspective to pursue further research in the field of public policy and contribute to knowledge production.	С

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1	✓						
CO 2				✓			
CO 3	✓			✓			
CO 4						✓	
CO 5							✓

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS
	Introduction		12
	1	Meaning, Nature and Characteristics of Public Policy	
1	2	Scope and Challenges of Public Policy	
	3	Types of Public Policy	
	4	Evolution of Public Policy & Policy Science	
	Theories of the	e Decision-Making	12
	1	Rational Actor Models.	
2	2	Incremental Models.	
	3 Bureaucratic Organisation Models.		
	4	Belief System Models.	
	Stages in the F	Policy Process	12
	1	Policy Initiation and Policy Formulation	
3	2	Policy Implementation: Key Elements	
	3	Factors influencing Policy Implementation (Political, Administrative, Economic and Social)	
	4	Policy Evaluation: Administrative and Ethical Considerations in Policy Evaluation	
	Determinants	of Public Policy Making	12
	1	Policy Regimes: (Democracy, Military and Theocracy)	
4	2	Political Parties & Ideology	
	3	Interest Groups, Pressure Groups, and Civil Society Organizations	
	4	Public Opinion and Mass Media	

5	Teacher Specific Module	12

Essential Readings:

- 1. Kraft, M. E., and Furlong, S. R. (2020). Public Policy: Politics, Analysis, and Alternatives. CQ Press.
- 2. Sabatier, P. A., and Weible, C. M. (Eds.). (2014). Theories of the Policy Process. Westview Press.
- 3. Birkland, T. A. (2015). An Introduction to the Policy Process: Theories, Concepts, and Models of Public Policy Making. Routledge.
- 4. Dunn, W. N. (2017). Public Policy Analysis. Routledge.
- 5. Hill, M., and Varone, F. (2017). The Public Policy Process. Routledge
- 6. Weible, C. M., and Workman, S. (Eds.). (2022). Methods of the Policy Process. Routledge.
- 7. Chakrabarti, R., and Sanyal, K. (2016). Public Policy in India. Oxford.
- 8. Heywood, Andrew. (2022). Politics. 5th Edition. New Delhi: Bloomsbury.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. Bardach, E., and Patashnik, E. M. (2020). A Practicum Guide for Policy Analysis: The Eightfold Path to More Effective Problem Solving. CQ Press.
- 2. Stone, D. (2011). Policy Paradox: The Art of Political Decision Making. W. W. Norton and Company.
- 3. Layard, R and Glaister, S (Eds.). (2009). Cost-benefit analysis in public policy. Cambridge University Press
- 4. Torres, R., Yao, J., Maltby, E., Rocha, R., and Udani, A. (2023). Crossed wires: Understanding policy feedback in varying policy environments. Journal of Public Policy1
- 5. Ladi, S., Moury, C., and Stolfi, F. (2023). Sociopolitical reputation and the reform of pharmacies in Greece and Portugal. Journal of Public Policy1
- 6. Song, Y., and Li, Y. (2023). How are policy pilots managed? Findings from the New Rural Cooperative Medical Scheme in China. Journal of Public Policy1
- 7. Neubauer-Shani, M., and Lepicard, E. (2023). Policymaking in a plural society: the case of human experiments in medicine in Israel. Journal of Public Policy1
- 8. Guo, J., and Feng, M. (2023). Social media exposure's effects on public support toward three child policy in China: Role of cognitive elaboration, perceived negative effects, and institutional trust. Journal of Public Policy

Evaluation Type	Marks
End Semester Evaluation	70
Continuous Evaluation	30
a) Test Paper- 1	5
b) Test Paper-2/Viva Voce	5
c) Assignment/Seminar	10
d) Book/ Article Review/Field Report	10
Total	100

KU7DSCPOL405 PEACE AND CONFLICT STUDIES

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code		Credits	Total Hours
7	DSC	400-499	KU7DSCPOL405		4	60
Learnin	Learning Approach (Hours/ Week)			Marks Distribution		
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 hrs

Course Description:

This course is designed to provide a comprehensive understanding of Peace and Conflict. It helps learners understand the scientific meaning and definition of peace and conflict, as well as explore Western and Indian perspectives on conflict. The course also covers the sources, types, and methods of conflict management. Students will examine various methods of peacekeeping and gain an understanding of the challenges faced by the contemporary world in maintaining peace. Finally, the course enables learners to critically evaluate the role of the United Nations in conflict management and maintaining global peace.

Course Prerequisite: NIL Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Students will be able to define peace and conflict from a scientific perspective and recognize the different interpretations in different contexts	R
2	Students will gain a thorough understanding of the sources, types, and dynamics of conflict.	U
3	Learners will be able to identify and apply various methods of conflict management, including negotiation, mediation, and diplomacy.	R
4	Students will critically examine different peacekeeping methods and their effectiveness in resolving conflicts at both national and international levels.	An
5	Learners will evaluate the role of the United Nations in conflict management and its effectiveness in promoting and maintaining global peace.	E

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1							
CO 2		✓					
CO 3	✓						
CO 4				✓			
CO 5							✓

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS
	Introducti	on to Peace and Conflict Studies	12
	1	Meaning, Definition & Scope.	
1	2	Origin and Development of Peace and Conflict Studies: Phases, Pioneers & Traditions	
	3	Theories of Conflict I- Liberal, Marxian & Feminist	
	4	Theories of Conflict II- Gandhian, Kwame Nkrumah, and Yassir Arafath	
	Basic Con	cepts of Peace and Theories in Peace Building	12
	1	Conflicts: Sources, Typology & Nature	
2	2	Conflict Management, Conflict Resolution and Conflict Transformation	
	3	Liberal, Idealist, Realist and Structural Theory of Peace Building	
	4	Sustainable and Alternative theory of Peace Building	

	Peace Bu	ilding Strategies	12
	1	Reconciliation, Reconstruction & Development	
3	2	Demilitarisation & Demobilisation	
	3	Actors and Post Conflict Reconstruction	
	4	Peace Agreement & Role of UN in Peace Building	
	Peace and	d Security in the Contemporary World	12
	1	Traditional and Non-traditional Threats International Conflicts to Intra State Conflicts Ethnic Conflicts and Terrorism	
4	2	Conventional and Non-Conventional notion of Security	
	3	Human Security: Nuclear Security, Cyber Security, Climate Security	
	4	Human Security and Development	
5	Teacher !	Specific Module	12

Essential Readings

- 1. Jeong, Ho-Won (2001), Peace and Conflict Studies: An Introduction, Ashgate.
- **2.** Bercovitch, J., & Jackson, R. (2009). *Conflict resolution in the twenty-first century: Principles, methods, and approaches.* Ann Arbor, MI: University of Michigan Press.
- 3. Barsh and C.Webel, (2009) Peace and Conflict Studies, London Sage Publications PP. 91-117.
- 4. P. Wallentein, (2007) Understanding conflict Reselution (2nd -Ed.) London: Sage Publications.
- 5. Pruitt, D.G. and S.H. Kim. (2004). Social Conflict: Escalation, Stalemate, and Settlement. Boston: McGrawHils,
- 6. Barash, D. (2000), Approaches to Peace. A Reader in Peace Studies. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- 7. Featherstone, A. (2000), "Peacekeeping, Conflict Resolution and Peace building: A Reconsideration of Theoretical Frameworks", International Peacekeeping 7 (1):190-218.
- 8. Galtung, J. (1969) "Violence, Peace, and Peace Research", Journal of Peace Research 6 (3):167-191.
- 9. Gawerc, M. (2006), "Peace-Building: Theoretical and Concrete Perspectives", Peace and Change, 31 (4):435-478. Jeong, H. (2005), Peace Building in Post conflict Societies, Strategy and Process. Boulder, CO/London:
- 10. Lynne Rienner. Lederach, J. P. (1997), Building Peace. Sustainable Reconciliation in Divided Societies, Washington, D.C.: United States Institute of Peace Press.
- 11. Buzan B., Waever O., &de Wilde. J. (1998), Security: A New Framework Analysis
- 12. Croft. S.m Terrif T. (eds), (2000), Critical Reflections on Security and Change, London, Frank Cass.
- 13. Newman E, (2010), Critical Human Security Studies, Review of International Studies, 36(1), 77-94.

Suggested Readings:

- 1. O. Ramsbotham, T. Woodhouse and H. Miall, (2011) 'Understanding Contemporary Conflict', in Contemporary Conflict Resolution, (Third Edition), Cambridge: Polity Press, pp.94-122.
- 2. S. AyseKdyificOrellana, (2009), Ethno-Relious Conflicts, Exploring the Role of Religion in Conflict Resolution, In J. Bercovitch, V.Kremenyuk and I. Zartman (eds.) the Sage Hands Book of Conflict Resolution, London: Sage Publications, PP. 264-284.
- 3. Lederach, J.P. The Moral Imagination: The Art and Soul of Building Peace. Boston: Oxford University Press.

Evaluation Type	Marks
End Semester Evaluation	70
Continuous Evaluation	30
a) Test Paper- 1	5
b) Test Paper-2/Viva Voce	5
c) Assignment/Seminar	10
e) Book/ Article Review/Field Report	10
Total	100

SEMESTER VIII

Sem	Course Code	Course Title	CE	ESE	Total	Credit	Hrs.	Page No.
		KU8DSCPOL406 Contemporary Trends in Centre State Relations in India		70	100	4	4	183-186
	KU8DSCPOL407	Advanced Political Theory	30	70	100	4	4	187-190
	KU8DSCPOL408	South Asian Politics	30	70	100	4	4	191-195
	KU8DSEPOL401	Political Anthropology	30	70	100	4	4	196-198
	KU8DSEPOL402	New Social Movements	30	70	100	4	4	200-203-
VIII	KU8DSEPOL403	Politics of Media	30	70	100	4	4	204-208
	KU8DSEPOL404	Intellectual Property Rights.	30	70	100	4	4	209-211
	KU8RPHPOL401	Project (Honours Programme)	60	140	200	8	-	
	KU8RPHPOL402	Research Project (Honours with Research)	90	210	300	12	-	

KU8DSCPOL406 CONTEMPORARY TRENDS IN CENTRE-STATE RELATIONS IN INDIA

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code	Credits	Total Hours
8	DSC	400-499	KU8DSCPOL406	4	60

Learnin	g Approach (Hou	rs/Week)	Mar	rks Distributi	on	Duration of	
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)	
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 Hrs	

Course Description:

This course aims to develop a comprehensive and in-depth understanding of Indian federalism. It helps learners understand the context and evolution of the idea of federalism and examine the merits and demerits of both federal and unitary systems. The course also enables learners to evaluate the nature of Indian federalism and critically analyze the intersection between politics and federalism in its evolution. Furthermore, it examines how the Union government encroaches upon state subjects, thereby curtailing the autonomy of states. Overall, the course provides a strong foundation for further research in the area of Indian federalism.

Course Prerequisite: NIL

Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Learners will be able to explain the historical context and theoretical foundations of federalism, with a special focus on its evolution in India.	U
2	Learners will be able to critically assess the merits and demerits of federal and unitary systems of governance, using comparative examples.	An
3	Learners will be able to evaluate the structure and functioning of Indian federalism, identifying its unique features and challenges.	Е
4	Learners will be able to critically analyze how political factors have influenced the development and functioning of federalism in India.	An
5	Learners will be able to investigate how and why the Union government may encroach on state subjects and assess the impact on state autonomy.	Е

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1		✓					
CO 2				✓			
CO 3						✓	
CO 4				✓			
CO 5						✓	

COURSE CONTENTS

MOD ULE		DESCRIPTION	HOURS					
	Intro	duction	12					
	1	Federalism Vs Unitary System: Definition, Characteristics, and Merits and Demerits.						
1	2	Origin of Federalism and Types of Federalism: Dual Federalism, Co-operative, Competitive, Fiscal federalism, and New Federalism.						
	3	Historical Origin of Indian Federalism: Govt. of India Act 1935 & Constituent Assembly Debates						
	4	Basis & Nature of Indian Federalism: Constitutional Provision- 7 th Schedule, Complementary & Contradictory nature of Indian Federalism						
	Evolution of Indian Federalism							
	1	Union-State Relations- 1952-1967 (Hegemonic Party System)						
2	2	Union-State Relations- 1967-1987 (Decline of Congress Hegemony in States but Continued Dominance at the Union)						
	3	Union-State Relations -1987-2014 (Federalisation India Party Politics and its impact on centre state relations)						
	4	Union -State Relations-2014 and after (Revisit of one-party dominant system)						

V	Major Institutional Mechanisms:					
	1	Finance Commission- Tax Devolution				
3	2	National Development Council, Planning Commission, and NITI Ayog				
	3	3 Interstate Councils, Dispute Settle Mechanisms & Commissions Report on Centre-State Relations- Sarkaria Commission & Punchi Commission				
	4	GST Council				
	Eme	erging issues	12			
	1	Unilaterally expanding Union and Concurrent List.				
4	2	Appointment and working of governors in the state				
-	3	Sharing Resources: Imposing unilateral conditions on resource allocation to the states- Finance Commission & Centrally Sponsored Schemes & Issue of political patronage sharing resources.				
	4	Use of Central Agencies- CBI, ED etc-against opposition leaders.				
_	Teac	Teacher Specific Module				
5	Directions					

Essential Readings:

- 1. Rozell, Mark J. & Clyde Wilcox. (2019). *Federalism: Very Short Introduction*. New Delhi: Oxford.
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Evaluation Type	Marks
End Semester Evaluation	70
Continuous Evaluation	30
a) Test Paper- 1	5
b) Test Paper-2/Viva-Voce	5
c) Assignment/Seminar	10
d) Book/ Article Review/Field Report	10
Total	100

KU8DSCPOL407 ADVANCED POLITICAL THEORY

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code	Credits	Total Hours
8	DSC	400-499	KU8DSCPOL407	4	60

Learning Approach (Hours/ Week)			Mar	Duration of			
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)	
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 Hrs	

Course Description:

This course helps learners become familiar with contemporary theoretical debates on key political and social concepts such as State, Power, Freedom, Justice, Representation, the Public Sphere, and Democracy. It enables learners to apply this knowledge to analyze current issues and suggest appropriate solutions. The course also helps students build a strong foundation in major debates within the social science discipline.

Course Prerequisite: NIL Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Learners will be able to define and explain concepts such as State, Power, Freedom, Justice, and Democracy in contemporary theoretical contexts.	U
2	Learners will develop the ability to critically evaluate with ongoing academic debates in political and social theory.	Е
3	Learners will apply theoretical frameworks to analyze current political and social problems and propose thoughtful solutions.	An
4	Learners will assess the significance of representation and the public sphere in modern democratic societies.	E
5	Learners will develop a strong foundation in the core debates in the political science and enables them to apply this knowledge in the social issues around them and to suggest solutions.	С

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1	✓						
CO 2						✓	
CO 3				✓			
CO 4						✓	
CO 5							✓

COURSE CONTENTS

MOD ULE	1	DESCRIPTION	HOURS
1	State & Power		12
	1	Liberal Pluralism- Robert Dahl	
	2	Multitude- Antonio Negri	
	3	Bio Politics- Foucault	
	4	Intersectional Analysis of Power- Kimberlé Crenshaw	
2	Freedom & Justice:		12
	1	Freedom & Capacity-Martha Nussbaum	
	2	Capability-Amartya Sen	
	3	Reification- George Lukacs & One-Dimensional Man- Herbert Marcuse	
	4	Post-Development Theory-Arturo Escobar	

	Rep	presentation	12
3	1	Representation & Recognition- Nancy Frazer	
	2 Multi-Cultural Citizenship: Will Kymlica		
	3	Culture and Communication- Raymond Williams	
	4	Representation and the Body: Judith Butler	
	Pul	olic Sphere & Deliberative Democracy	12
	1	Public Sphere- Habermas	
4	2	Deliberative Democracy-Iris Marion Young	
	3	An Economic Theory of Democracy- Anthony Downs	
	4	Cosmopolitan Democracy- David Held	
5	Tea	ncher Specific Module	12

- 1. Farrely, Colin (2004). An Introduction to Contemporary Political Theory. London. Sage.
- Gaus, Gerald, Chandran Kulkatha (eds). (2004). *Handbook of Political Theory*. London: Sage. Ramaswamy, Sushila (2021). *Political Theory Ideas and Concepts*. 2nd Edition. Delhi: PHI Learning Private Limited.
- 4. Gauba. O P. (2021). An Introduction to Political Theory. 9th Revised Edition: New Delhi. National Paperbacks.
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Ev	aluation Type	Marks
Er	End Semester Evaluation	
Co	ntinuous Evaluation	30
a)	Test Paper- 1	5
b)	Test Paper-2/Viva-Voce	5
c)	Assignment/Seminar	10
d)	Book/ Article Review/Field Report	10
То	tal	100

KU8DSCPOL408: SOUTH ASIAN POLITICS

Semester	Semester Course Type Course Level		Course Code		Credits	Total Hours
8	8 DSC		KU8DSCPOL 408		4	60
Learnin	g Approach (Hou	rs/ Week)	Mar	rks Distributi	on	Duration of
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	СЕ	ESE	Total	ESE (Hours)
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 Hrs

Course Description: This course examines the political landscape of South Asian countries and provides an exploration of the political systems, culture and contemporary issues in South Asia. It aims to equip students with a comprehensive understanding of the historical and contemporary political dynamics of this diverse and strategically significant region. Through studying this course, students will gain a nuanced understanding of the complexities and dynamics shaping South Asian politics today. Key themes include the colonial legacy, regional cooperation, internationalism and contemporary challenges.

Course Prerequisite: NIL

Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	It helps the students to understand the historical foundations of South Asian Political Systems.	U
2	Students will be able to assess the functioning of democratic institutions and authoritarian regimes in the region.	An
3	It helps the students to identify the regional and international dimensions of South Asian politics including relations with major powers and regional organisations.	U
4	It provides the opportunity to compare and contrast the political systems and governance structures of South Asian countries.	С
5	It helps the students to critically evaluate the challenges to democracy in South Asian countries.	E

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1	~			~			
CO 2		~			~		
CO 3			✓				~
CO 4			~			~	
CO 5	~			~			

COURSE CONTENTS

M O D U L E	U N I T	DESCRIPTION	HOURS			
1	Intr		12			
	1	Understanding South Asia: Features				
	2	Colonial Legacies and independent movements				
	3	Post-colonial developments and the formation of modern nation – states				
	4	Geopolitics of South Asia				
	Polit	tics of South Asia	12			
2	1	Liberal Democracy: India, Bangladesh (Parliamentary), Sri Lanka (Semi Presidential) & Maldives (Presidential)				
	2	Military and civilian rule-Pakistan				
	3	Transition from monarchy to republic: Nepal				
	4	Constitutional monarchy and democratisation process- Bhutan				
	Regi	ionalism & Internationalism	12			
	1	SAARC- Origin, Objectives, Organs, & Functions, & SAFTA				
3	2	Issues in Regional Integration: Lack of Confidence & Arms Race				
	3	South Asia's strategic importance in global affairs				
	4	South Asia's role in international organisations: UNO, WTO, G20				

4	Issu	es and Challenges	12	
	1	Security issues: Terrorism, Insurgency, Border Conflicts, Refugee Crisis		
	2	Challenges to democracy: Corruption, Political instability, & Authoritarian tendencies		
	3	Poverty and Economic disparities		
	4	Intervention of Big Powers: USA, China, & Russia, and Prospects for Strong regional integration		
	Teac	cher Specific Module	12	
5	Prep	pare a note on the major challenges to democracy in South Asia		
8	Make a note on South Asia's role in global politics			

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- 5. David Ludden. 2002. Contemporary South Asia: A Survey of Politics, Economics, Society and Culture. New Delhi: Pearson.
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- 1. Amin Saikal .2012. Modern Afghanistan: A history of struggle and survival. I.B.Tauris: London
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- 6. Surendra Bhandari.2014. Self-Determination & Constitution Making in Nepal: Constituent Assembly, Inclusion and Ethnic Federalism. Springer: Singapore.
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- 20. Sebastian Von Einsiedel, David M. Malone and Suman Pradhan eds. 2012. Nepal in Transition. Cambridge University Press: New Delhi.
- 21. Sumit Ganguly and S Paul Kapur .2009. India, Pakistan, and the Bomb: Debating Nuclear Stability in South Asia. Columbia University Press: New York.
- 22. Shelton U. Kodikara ed. 1993. External Compulsion of South Asian Politics. Sage: New Delhi.
- 23. Atul Kohli & Prerna Singh ed. 2013. Routledge Handbook of Indian Politics. Routledge: Oxon.
- 24. Veena Kukreja .2005. Contemporary Pakistan: Political Processes, Conflicts and Crises. Sage: New Delhi.
- 25. David Ludden .2006. India and South Asia: A Short History. One World Publication: Oxford.
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- 27. Robert W. Stern 1990. Democracy and Dictatorship in South Asia. India Research Press: New Delhi.

Assessment Rubrics:

	Evaluation Type	Marks
En	d Semester Evaluation	70
Co	ntinuous Evaluation	30
a)	Test Paper- 1	5
b)	Test Paper-2/Viva-Voce	5
c)	Assignment/Seminar	10
d)	Book/ Article Review/Field Report	10
	Total	100

KU8DSEPOL401 POLITICAL ANTHROPOLOGY

Semester 1	Course type	Course level	Course Code	Credits	Total hours
VIII	DSE	400-499	KU8DSEPOL401	4	60

Learning Approach (Hours/ Week)				rks Distribu	Duration of ESE (Hours)	
Lecture	Practical/Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESR	Total	
4	-	1	30	70	100	2hrs

Course description

This course introduces students to the fundamental concepts and approaches in the field of Political Anthropology. Topics include the origin and growth of Political Anthropology, its significance, Evolution of political society, political organization and social institutions, Social control and customary law, Role of authority and legitimacy, and classification of political systems in different societies.

Course Outcomes

C No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Define the nature of political organizations in different societies.	U
2	Compare different approaches to the study of political Anthropology.	An
3	Explain the conflict resolution mechanisms in simple societies	С
4	Explain global and indigenous conflict resolution mechanisms	Α
5	Evaluate the significance of the study of democratization and Socio-political Changes	E

^{*}Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyze (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1							
CO 2				✓			
CO 3		✓					
CO 4				✓			
CO 5		Ď			✓		

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS
	Introducti	on	12
	1	Origin and growth of Political Anthropology	
1	2	Approaches to the study of Political Anthropology	
	3	Significance of Political Anthropology as an academic discipline	
	4	Political organization and social institutions	
	Political so	ociety and Social Institutions	12
	1	Evolution of political society	
2	2	Anthropology of Power in Stateless societies	
	3	Social control and customary law	
	4	Conflict and resolution	
	Conflict resolution in simple societies		
	1	Role of authority and legitimacy	
3	2	Role of law and justice	
	3	Sacred legitimacy and Divine resistance	
	4	Gender and Power	
	Political A	nthropology in Cross Cultural Perspective	12
	1	Preindustrial political systems	
4	2	Anthropology of Power in State societies	
	3	Democratization and Socio-political Changes	
	4	Political Anthropology in Cross Cultural Perspective	
_	Teacher S ₁	pecific Module	12
5	Directions		

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	Organize debates	
	Assign case studies	
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	Preparation of write up	
	r reparation of write up	
	Conduct course discussions	
	Conduct group discussions	

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Suggested Readings

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Assessment Rubrics

Evaluation Type	Marks		
End Semester Evaluation	70		
Continuous Evaluation 30			
a) Test Paper- 1	5		
b) Test Paper-2/Viva-Voce	5		
c) Assignment/Seminar	10		
d) Book/ Article Review/Field Report	10		
Total	100		

KU8DSEPOL402 NEW SOCIAL MOVEMENT

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code		Credits	Total Hours	
8	Core	400-499	KU8DSEPOL402		4	60	
Learnin	g Approach (Hou	Marks Distribution			Duration of		
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	СЕ	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)	
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 hrs	

Course Description:

This course is designed to provide a thorough understanding of New Social Movements (NSMs), their historical context, how they differ from old social movements, and the major debates surrounding their nature. It introduces key theorists, various types of NSMs, and significant examples of such movements in India. The course helps learners identify the distinctions between old and new social movements and raises awareness about the issues faced by marginalized and oppressed groups—issues often overlooked by mainstream political parties and movements. It also opens up new avenues for research and critical inquiry into social transformation.

Course Prerequisite: NIL Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Learners will be able to explain the origins, context, and distinguishing features of New Social Movements compared to old social movements.	R
2	Learners will be able to engage with major theories and theorists that have shaped the understanding of NSMs.	An
3	Learners will be able to recognize and categorize various types of New Social Movements globally and in the Indian context.	R
4	Learners will be able to critically assess how NSMs address the concerns of marginalized and oppressed groups that are often ignored by mainstream politics.	E
5	Learners will be equipped with the conceptual tools and critical perspective to pursue further research in the field of social movements and social change.	A

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1		✓					
CO 2				✓			
CO 3	✓						
CO 4						✓	
CO 5			✓				

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS		
	Introduction to Peace and Conflict Studies				
	1	Meaning, Definition, & Characteristics			
1	2	The Origin & Back ground, Significance and Impact.			
	3	Distinction between Old and New Social Movements			
	4	Debates on the Nature of the NSMs: Pro-Capitalist or Anti-Capitalist			
	Major Theore	eticians on NSMs	12		
	1	Alain Touraine			
2	2.	Alberto Melucci			
	3	Ernesto Laclau & Chantal Mouffe			
	4	Immanuel Wallerstein			
	NSMs Types		12		
	1	Identity Movements- Women, LGBTQ Movements,			
3	2	Human Rights Movements- Civil Liberty Movements, Movement against Capital Punishment			
	3	Environmental Movement- Green Movements			
	4	Peace Movement- Anti Nuclear War Movement, Global Peace Movement			

	NSMs in Ind	lia	12
4	1	Women Movement & LGBT	
	2	Dalit & Tribal Movement	
	3	Human Rights and Environmental Movements	
	4	Transparency Movement- Mazdoor Kisan Shakti Sangathan& Anti-corruption movement - India Against Corruption.	
5	Teacher Spe	cific Module	12

- 1. Buechler, Steven M (1995), *New Social movement Theories*, The Sociological Quarterly, Vol.36, 1995 pp:441-464.
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Assessment Rubrics:

Ev	aluation Type	Marks		
En	End Semester Evaluation 70			
Co	ntinuous Evaluation	30		
a)	Test Paper- 1	5		
b)	Test Paper-2/Viva-Voce	5		
c)	Assignment/Seminar	10		
d)	Book/ Article Review/Field Report	10		
To	tal	100		

KU8DSEPOL403: POLITICS OF MEDIA

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code		Credits	Total Hours		
8	DSE	400-499	KU8DSEPOL403		KU8DSEPOL403		4	60
Learnin	g Approach (Hou	Marks Distribution			Duration of			
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)		
4	-	1	30	70	100	2 Hrs		

Course Description:

This course helps to understand and critically evaluate the role of media in contemporary society. The course helps the learners to get an understanding about the concept of media, different types of media and its role in politics. It also portrays the role of media in political communication and how media influences to mould public opinion and policymaking in different regimes. Students will study the historical development of media, the structure and functioning of media institutions, and the impact of media in democracy and governance. It deals the role of state to control and regulate the media likewise it assesses the significance of right to freedom and right to privacy in the contemporary scenario. It critically evaluates the media landscape and its role for creating and extracting political contestations. The course aims to provide a comprehensive understanding of the media's role in shaping political discourses and governance structures.

Course Prerequisite: Nil Course Outcomes:

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CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	Leaners will be able to understand and define the concept of media and its interconnection with the everyday life of citizens.	U
2	Learners will be able to understand role of media in generating public opinion and shapes public policies and it also helps learners to critically analyse the role of Media in different regimes.	An
3	Leaners will be able to able to critically evaluate critical role it played infringe privacy of the individual, promotion of fake news, split the society and spreading false and half-truths in the society.	E
4	Learners will be able to evaluate economic interest of media.	Е
5	Learners will be able to understand the contestation between media, state, and society.	U, AN

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
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CO 2		*			~		
CO 3		Ď	✓				~
CO 4			~			✓	
CO 5	~			~			

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNI T DESCRIPTION		HOURS		
	Intro	duction	9		
	1	Definition, Types of Media: Print, Audio-Visual, Digital & social media			
1	2	Theories of Media: The Pluralist Model, The Dominant Ideology, The Elite-values model, and the Market Model			
	3	Role of Media: Political Communication, Making Public Opinion, tool of Propaganda, and making Leadership.			
	4	Role of Media in different regimes: Liberal Democracy, Authoritarian Liberal Democracies, Communist, Authoritarian, Military Dictatorship.			
	Issue	s related to Media	9		
	1	Media and Right to Privacy			
2	2	Fake News & Role of Media in elections			
	3	Media and Communalism			
	4 Post Truth				

	Polit	tical Economy of Media: Emerging Concerns	9	
	1	Expansion and Diversification of Media House		
3	2	Concentration of Media Ownership & Free Media		
	3	Commercialisation of Media and Media Ethics		
	4	Manufacturing Consent & Agenda Setting		
	State	e, Society, and Media		
	1	Democracy and Media: Importance & Need for Legal Protection		
	2	Legal and Constitutional Protection in India		
4	3	State Censorship		
	4	Social Vigilantism		
	Teac	cher Specific Module	12	
	Dire	Directions		
5	news and	ng the course student shall conduct experiments in content writing and a reporting with locally available resources. Teacher can suggest to make broadcast news videos and news analyses on digital platforms like You e, Face Book and Instagram pages with the help of classroom activities.	12	

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Suggested Readings:

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Assessment Rubrics:

Ev	aluation Type	Marks	
Er	nd Semester Evaluation	70	
Continuous Evaluation 30		30	
a)	Test Paper- 1	5	
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c)	Assignment/Seminar	10	
d)	Book/ Article Review/Field Report	10	
То	tal	100	

Employability for the Course:

Student can join the media firm as news reporter, news analyst and political commentator. To be able to work as freelance journalist and influencer in open media and digital media. To work as public relation officer in government sector and corporate world.

KU8DSEPOL404 INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

Semester	Course Type	Course Level	Course Code	Credits	Total Hours
8	DSE	400-499	KU8DSEPOL404	4	60

Learning Approach (Hours/ Week)			Learning Approach (Hours/ Week) Marks Distribution			Duration of
Lecture	Practical/ Internship	Tutorial	CE	ESE	Total	Duration of ESE (Hours)
4		1	30	70	100	2 Hrs

Course Description: This course aims to understand the conceptualisation of intellectual property by discussing the philosophical and empirical reasonings of the knowledge economy and the genesis of the IPR regime. The course further explores the nature and scope of the different types of IPRs, laws pertaining to each and their multifaceted implications. Special emphasis has been given to evaluate the challenges arising out of the new post-TRIPS IPR regime on the developing countries, especially India.

Course Prerequisite: NIL Course Outcomes:

CO No.	Expected Outcome	Learning Domains
1	To understand the historical evolution and theoretical foundations of the concept of intellectual property rights.	R,U
2	Explore the nature and scope of types of IPRs and the various related laws/treaties.	R,U
3	Grasp the implications of the changing IPR regime, especially the WTO-TRIPS regime on national sovereignty & international political economy.	A, An
4	To cultivate critical thinking skills about the challenges raised by the TRIPS & post-TRIPS regime on vital aspects of development such as technology, health, biodiversity, traditional knowledge etc and the opportunities and options for developing countries.	An, E
5	Assess how far India has succeeded in engaging with the IPR regime.	An, E

^{*}Remember (R), Understand (U), Apply (A), Analyse (An), Evaluate (E), Create (C)

Mapping of Course Outcomes to PSOs

	PSO 1	PSO 2	PSO 3	PSO 4	PSO 5	PSO 6	PSO 7
CO 1		✓					
CO 2	✓	✓					
CO3			✓	✓			
CO 4				✓	✓		
CO 5				✓	✓		

COURSE CONTENTS

MODULE	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	HOURS		
	Conceptualising Intellectual Property				
	1	Intellectual Property as Property- Definition, Historical Overview, Objectives & Characteristics of Intellectual Property, and Understanding Knowledge as Power			
1	2	Theoretical justifications- Utilitarian, Labour, Personality & Social Planning Theory, and IPR as asset v. public good			
	3	Early IP Regulations, WIPO, PCT			
	4	GATT-Uruguay Negotiations & WTO-TRIPS Agreement			
	Types of I	ntellectual Property Rights	12		
	1	Copyright & Related Rights			
2	2	Industrial Property- Patents, Trademarks & Industrial Designs			
	3	Community Rights- Geographical Indications & Plant Variety Rights			
	4	Criticisms on Intellectual Property Rights			
	Trips & the New IPR regime- Implications				
	1	TRIPS- General Provisions, Basic Principles & Flexibilities			
3	2	TRIPS Compliance and the Developing Countries-bane or boon			
	3	Post-TRIPS IPR Regime			
	4	IPR as tool of Innovation & impact on Human Security			
	Intellectua	al Property Rights in India			
	1	IPR system in India- brief history, main statutes & institutions			
4	2	TRIPS Compliance, changing IPR Laws in India & National IPR Policy 2016			
	3	IPR, Innovation & Issues- Section 3(d), Compulsory Licensing, Data Exclusivity, Copyright Enforcement etc			
	4	IPR Related Issue			
5	Teacher S ₁	pecific Module	5		
5	Directions				

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