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MARATHWADA UNIVERSITY,
AURANGABAD.**



Curriculum of
B. A. [Political Science]

Semester-I & II

**‘under the Choice Based Credit & Grading System
Pattern’**

**Implemented at College
Level**

[Effective from the Academic Year 2022-23 & Onwards]

Dean
Faculty of Humanities,
Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada

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Choice-Based Credit System (CBCS) Course Structure

Faculty of Humanities
B.A. First Year Syllabus
Semester Pattern Effective from 2022 - 23 onwards
Subject: Political Science

Sem	Subject/ Program	Course Code	Title of Course	Course Type	Lectures		Marks				Credits		
					Lect/ Per week	Total Lect	Theory	Tu/ Prac/Pro	Total	Teaching	Tu/ Prac/Proj	Total	
I	POL-01	CC-1A	Principles of Political Science	Core Course	04	60	40	10	50	2.5	0.5	03	
	POL-02	CC-1B	Indian Govt and Politics	Core Course	04	60	40	10	50	2.5	0.5	03	
	Total (Semester-I)				08	120	80	20	100	05	01	06	
II	POL-03	CC-2A	Principles of Political Science	Core Course	04	60	40	10	50	2.5	0.5	03	
	POL-04	CC-2B	Indian Govt and Politics	Core Course	04	60	40	10	50	2.5	0.5	03	
	Total (Semester-II)				08	120	80	20	100	05	01	06	
Grand Total (Semester - I & II)					16	240	160	40	200	10	02	12	

Note: The Paper Indian Constitution is compulsory the credits of which are not included in the degree

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B.A. First Year Syllabus

Semester - I

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Subject: Political Science

POL-Core Course CC-1A: Principles of Political Science

Marks: 50

Theory: 40

Internal Assessment: 10

Total Hours: 60

I
Paper

Course Objective: To introduce the basics of political Science to the freshers.

Course Content:

Unit – 1. Political Science:

Hours 12

1.1 Meaning,

1.2 Nature,

1.3 Scope

Unit – 2. State:

2.1 It's elements & Nature

Hours 12

2.2 Theories of origin of state – A. Divine theory, B. Social contract Theory

C. Evolution Theory

Unit – 3. Government

Hours 12

3.1 Meaning

3.2 Organs of Government: Legislative, Executive & Judiciary

3.3 Types of Government: Unitary, Federal, Parliamentary and Presidential

Unit – 4. Sovereignty

Hours 12

4.1 Meaning, Definition and Types

Unit – 5. Communism

Hours 12

5.1 Meaning

5.2 Features of Communism

Note: Internal assessment will be in respect of test/tutorial

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Subject: Political Science

POL-Core Course CC-1B: Indian Government and Politics

Marks: 50

Theory: 40

Internal Assessment: 10

Total Hours: 60

II
Paper

Course Objective: To impart an understanding of the functioning of the government within the constitutional framework.

Course Content:

Unit - 1. Indian Constitution 30 Hours

- 1.1 Preamble
- 1.2 Salient Features of Indian Constitution
- 1.3 Fundamental Rights and Duties
- 1.4 Directive Principles of State Policy


Unit - 2. Union Government 15 Hours

- 2.1 President
- 2.2 Vice President
- 2.3 Prime Minister and the Cabinet
- 2.4 Parliament - composition, powers and functions of Lok Sabha & Rajya Sabha

Unit - 3. Judiciary 15 Hours

- 3.1 Supreme Court (Structure, Powers and Functions)
- 3.2 Lok Pal
- 3.3 Public Interest Litigation (PIL)
- 3.4 Judicial Activism

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6. ~~Introduction to Political Science~~

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SUGGESTED READINGS:

- 1) E. Barker: Principles of Social & Political Theory,
Calcutta, Oxford Unl. Press, 1976.
- 2) S. I. Benn: Social Principles & Democratic State,
R. S. Peters London, George & Allen, 1959.
- 4) M. Carnoy: The State & Political Theory,
Princeton NJ Princeton Unl. Press, 1987.
- 5) D. Held: Models of Democracy,
Cambridge, Polity Press, 1987.
- 6) D. Held: Political Theory & Modern State,
Cambridge, Polity Press, 1989.
- 7) Laski H. J.: A Grammar of Politics,
Allen & Unwin, 1948.
- 8) Macpherson: Democratic Theory, Essays in Retrieval,
C.B. Oxford, The Clarendon Press, 1977.
- 9) S. Ramswamy: Political Theory: Ideas & Concepts,
Delhi, Macmillan, 2002.
- 10) S. P. Verma: Modern Political Theory,
New Delhi, Vikas, 1983.
- 11) Adi H. Doctor: Issues in Political Theory.
- 12) Appadorai: The substance of politics.
- 13) G. C. Field: Political Theory.
- 14) B.K. Gokhale: Political Science

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Choice-Based Credit System (CBCS) Course Structure

Faculty of Humanities

B.A. First Year Syllabus

Semester - II

Semester Pattern Effective from 2022 – 23 onwards

Subject: Political Science

POL-Core Course CC-2A: Principles of Political Science

Marks: 50

Theory: 40

Internal Assessment: 10

Total Hours: 60

Unit – 1. Liberty, Equality and Justice

Hours 12

1.1 Meaning

1.2 Types and Importance

Unit – 2. Democracy

Hours 12

2.1 Meaning and Features

2.2 Direct and Indirect Democracy

2.3 Merits and Demerits of Democracy

Unit – 3. Nationalism

Hours 12

3.1 Definition

3.2 Elements of Nationalism

3.3 Merits and Demerits of Nationalism

Unit – 4. Liberalism

Hours 12

4.1 Meaning

4.2 Types of Liberalism

4.3 Merits and Demerits of Liberalism

Unit – 5. Feminism

Hours 12

5.1 Definition

5.2 Characteristics of Feminism

5.3 Purpose of Feminism

Note: Internal assessment will be in respect of test/tutorial

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Semester - II

Semester Pattern Effective from 2022 - 23 onwards

Subject: Political Science

POL-Core Course CC-2B: Indian Government and Politics

Marks: 50

Theory: 40

Internal Assessment: 10

Total Hours: 60

Course Objective: To impart an understanding of the functioning of the government within the constitutional framework.

Course Content:

Unit 1. Indian Federal System

15 Hours

- 1.1 Characteristics of Indian Federal System
- 1.2 Centre-State Relations (Legislative, Administrative and Financial)

Unit 2. Election Commission & Electoral Process in India

15 Hours

- 2.1 Election Commission (Composition, Powers and Functions)
- 2.2 Electoral Process (Voter Registration, Conduct of elections and Model Code of Conduct)
- 2.3 Electoral Reforms in India

Unit 3. System of Political Parties in India

15 Hours

- 3.1 Features of Multiparty system in India
- 3.2 Functions of Political parties

Unit 4. Pressure Groups

15 Hours

- 4.1 Types of Pressure Groups
- 4.2 Politics of Pressure Groups
- 4.3 Difference between Political Parties and Pressure Groups

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Suggested Reading

1. B.L. Fadia and Kuldeep Fadia, *Sahitya Bhawan Indian Government and politics book*, Sahitya Bhawan; Revised edition (1 January 2020)
2. Bidyut Chakrabarti, *Indian Government and Politics*, SAGE Texts; First edition
3. Peu Ghosh, *Indian Government and Politics*, PHI Learning; 3rd edition
4. Preetam Jain, *Indian Government and Politics*, Mahaveer Publications
5. K.K. Ghai, *Indian Government and Politics*, Kalyani Publishers
6. Abbas et. al. *Indian Government and Politics*, Pearson India
7. D.D. Basu, *An Introduction to the Constitution of India*, Lexis Nexis; Twenty Fifth edition
8. J.C. Johari, *Indian Government and Politics (Vol-II)*, Shoban Lal & Co.
9. B.L. Bhole, *Bhartiya Ganarajyanche Shasan ani Rajkaran* (Marathi)
10. B.T. Deshmukh, *Bhartache Samvidhan* (Marathi)
11. B.Y. Kulkarni, *Bhartiya Ganarajyanche Shasan ani Rajkaran* (Marathi)

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It is hereby inform to all concerned that, on the recommendation of Dean of Faculty of Humanities, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor has accepted the following subject wise Curriculum & Regulations of Choice Based Credit & Grading System under the faculty of Humanities in his emergency powers under Section 12 [7] of the Maharashtra Public University Act, 2016 on behalf of the Academic Council.

Sr. No.	UG/PG Course Curriculum Name	Semesters
01.	B.A., B.Com. & M. A. First Year [Marathi]	Ist & IInd
02.	B. A./B.Com/ B.Sc./BFA/BSW Second Language & Optional First Year [Hindi]	Ist & IInd
03.	B. A. First Year [Urdu]	Ist & IInd
04.	B.A./ B.Com/ B.Sc. Second Language & Optional First Year [Sanskrit]	Ist & IInd
05.	B. A. First & Second Year Progressively and M.A. Second Year [Psychology]	Ist to IVth and IIIrd & IVth
06.	B. A. First Year [Geography]	Ist & IInd
07.	B. A. First Year [Political Science]	Ist & IInd
08.	B. A. First & M.A. Second Year [Sociology]	Ist & IInd and IIIrd & IVth
09.	B. A. First Year [Economics]	Ist & IInd
10.	B. A. First Year [Public Administration]	Ist & IInd
11.	B. A. First & M.A. Second Year [Thoughts of Mahatma Phule and Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar]	Ist & IInd and IIIrd & IVth
12.	B.A. First Year Optional [Military Science]	Ist & IInd
13.	B.A./ B.Sc. Second Language & Optional First Year [Arabic]	Ist & IInd
14.	B.A. First Year Optional [Islamic Studies]	Ist & IInd

This is effective from the Academic Year 2022-23 and Onwards progressively as appended herewith.

All concerned are requested to note the contents of this circular and bring notice to the students, teachers and staff for their information and necessary action.

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