

B.A. –I (1st Sem.) Political Science (Pass Course)
Option (i) : Indian Constitution

M. Marks: 80

Internal Assessment: 20

Time: 3 Hours

Note: The candidate will be required to attempt 5 questions in all. Question 1 consisting of (preferably eight) number of short answer type question (having no internal choice) spread over the whole syllabi should be compulsory. The candidate will be required to attempt 4 questions selecting at least one from each unit. All questions will carry equal marks.

Unit	Contents	No. of Periods
Unit-I	Indian Constitution – Sources and Features, Preamble, Fundamental Rights, Fundamental Duties and Directive Principles of State Policy.	25
Unit-II	Union and State Executive – President, Prime Minister, Council of Ministers; State Executive – Governor, Chief Minister and Council of Ministers.	25
Unit-III	Union and State Legislature – Parliament-Composition and Functions; Speaker of Lok Sabha Amendment Process; State Legislature-Vidhan Sabha; Panchayati Raj	25
Unit-IV	Judiciary – Supreme Court, High Courts, Judicial Review.	15

Suggested Reading

1. G. Austin, The Indian Constitution: Corner Stone of a Nation, Oxford, Oxford University Press, 1966.
2. D.D. Basu, An Introduction to the Constitution of India, New Delhi, Prentice Hall, 1994.
3. D.D. Basu and B. Parekh (ed.), Crisis and Change in Contemporary India, New Delhi, Sage, 1994.
4. C.P. Bhambhri, The Indian State: Fifty Years, New Delhi, Shipra, 1997.
5. P. Brass, Politics of India Since Independence, Hyderabad, Orient Longman, 1990.
6. R. Kothari, Politics in India, New Delhi, Orient Longman, 1970.
7. W.H. Morris Jones, Government and Politics in India, Delhi, BL Publications, 1974.
8. J.R. Siwach, Dynamics of Indian Government & Politics, New Delhi, Sterling Publishers, 1985
9. S.C Kashap- Indian Constitution
10. Dr. B.L. Fadia, Indian Govt. & Politics, Agra Sahitya Bhawan Publication-2011

B.A. –I (2nd Sem.) Political Science (Pass Course)
Option (i) : Indian Politics

M. Marks: 80

Internal Assessment: 20

Time: 3 Hours

Note : Students are required to attempt five questions in all, selecting one question from each unit. Question No. 9 (Short Answers) will be from entire syllabus and is compulsory. This section will consist of eight short answer questions of 2 marks each.

Unit	Contents	No. of Periods
Unit-I	Federalism and its Working with reference to Centre-State Relations, Demand for State Autonomy; Emerging Trends in Indian Federalism.	25
Unit-II	Election Commission, Electoral Process and its Defects and Voting Behaviour, Electoral Reforms, Problem of Defection	25
Unit-III	Party System in India: National and Regional Political Parties.	20
Unit-IV	Role of Caste, Religion, Language, Regionalism in India, Politics of Reservation.	20

Suggested Reading

1. D.D. Basu and B. Parekh (ed.), Crisis and Change in Contemporary India, New Delhi, Sage, 1994.
2. P. Brass, Politics of India Since Independence, Hyderabad, Orient Longman, 1990.
3. S. Kaushik (ed.), Indian Government and Politics, Delhi University, Directorate of Hindi Implementation racy and Discontent: India's Growing Crisis of Governability, Cambridge, Cambridge University Press, 1991.
4. R. Kothari, Politics in India, New Delhi, Orient Longman, 1970.
5. R. Kothari, Party System and Election Studies, Bombay, Asia Publishing House, 1967.
6. J.R. Siwach, Dynamics of Indian Government & Politics, New Delhi, Sterling Publishers, 1985.
7. R. Thakur, The Government & Politics of India, London, Macmillan, 1995.

B.A. –II (3rd Sem.) Political Science (Pass Course)
Option (i) : Principles of Political Science-I

M. Marks: 80

Internal Assessment: 20

Time: 3 Hours

Note : Students are required to attempt five questions in all, selecting one question from each unit. Question No. 9 (Short Answers) will be from entire syllabus and is compulsory. This section will consist of eight short answer questions of 2 marks each.

Unit	Contents	No. of Periods
Unit-I	Political Science: Definition, Meaning, Nature and Scope. Relations of Political Science with other Social Sciences.	20
Unit-II	State: Definition, Elements, Relations with the other organizations. Theories of the Origin of the State.	25
Unit-III	Nature of State: Liberal, Marxian. Functions of State: Liberal and Socialist Views. Welfare State: Concept and Functions.	30
Unit-IV	Sovereignty: Definition, Attributes and Types. Theories of Sovereignty: Monistic and Pluralistic.	15

Suggested Reading

1. **Aggarwal N.N.** Principles of Political Science, Chand & Co. New Delhi (in Hindi also) Latest Edition
2. **David Held** Political Theory and The Modern State, London, Polity, 1994
3. **Eddy Asirvatham** Political Theory (in Hindi also) Latest Edition
4. **Gyan Singh Sandhu** Political Theory, Delhi University, 1988 (in Hindi also) Latest Edition
5. **Hosley T.W.** Sovereignty, Cambridge, OUP 1986
6. **M.Carnoy** The State and Political Theory, Princeton, NJ: Princeton Uni. Press, 1987
7. **S.Ramaswamy** Political Theory: Ideas & Concepts, Delhi, Mac Millan, 2002
8. **Thomas Pantham** Political Theories and Social Reconstruction, New Delhi, Sage, 1995

B.A. –II (4th Sem.) Political Science (Pass Course)
Option (i) : Principles of Political Science-II

M. Marks: 80

Internal Assessment: 20

Time: 3 Hours

Note : Students are required to attempt five questions in all, selecting one question from each unit. Question No. 9 (Short Answers) will be from entire syllabus and is compulsory. This section will consist of eight short answer questions of 2 marks each.

Unit	Contents	No. of Periods
Unit-I	Concepts and Theories of Rights. Relationships between Rights and duties. Universal Declaration of Human Rights	20
Unit-II	Concept and Theories of Liberty and Equality. Relationship between Liberty and Equality.	25
Unit-III	Concepts of Social Change Concept and Theories and Development	25
Unit-IV	RTI and Consumer Protection and Welfare.	20

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- 1 **Aggarwal N.N.** Principles of Political Science, Chand & Co. New Delhi (in Hindi also) Latest Edition
2. **David Held** Political Theory and The Modern State, London, Polity, 1994
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7. **S.Ramaswamy** Political Theory: Ideas & Concepts, Delhi, Mac Millan, 2002
8. **Thomas Pantham** Political Theories and Social Reconstruction, New Delhi, Sage, 1995

B.A. –III (5th Sem.) Political Science (Pass Course)
Option (i): Comparative Politics

M. Marks: 80

Internal Assessment: 20

Time: 3 Hours

NOTE : Total 10 questions will be set: four each from Part A and Part B and the two from Part C. Candidates will have to attempt five questions in all selecting at least one question from each part. There will be one compulsory multiple choice objective type question.

Unit	Contents	No. of Periods
Unit-I	Comparative Politics-Definition, Scope; Traditional & Modern Concerns; Comparative Methods.	25
Unit-II	Approaches to the Study of Comparative Politics: Input-Out (David Easton), Structural-Function (G. Almond), Political Development, Political Culture (G. Almond).	25
Unit-III	Constitutionalism: History, Nature, Type and Problem in Modern Times.	20
Unit-IV	Constitutional Structure: (a) Formal-Executive, Legislation and Judiciary, (b) Informal Structures– Political Parties and Pressure Groups	20

Suggested Reading

1. G.A. Almond and J.S. Coleman, The Politics of the Developing Areas, Princeton NJ, Princeton University Press, 1960.
2. G.A. Almond, and S. Verba, The Civic Culture : Political Attitudes and Democracy in Five Nations, Princeton NJ, Princeton University Press, 1963.
3. L.J.Cantori and A.H. Zeigler (ed.), Comparative Politics in the Post-Behaviouralist Era, London, Lynne Reinner Publisher, 1988.

B.A. –III (6th Sem.) Political Science (Pass Course)
Option (i) : Comparative Constitutions of UK & USA

M. Marks: 80

Internal Assessment: 20

Time: 3 Hours

NOTE : Total 10 questions will be set: four each from Part A and Part B and the two from Part C. Candidates will have to attempt five questions in all selecting at least one question from each part. There will be one compulsory multiple choice objective type question.

Unit	Contents	No. of Periods
Unit-I	Evolution, Conventions, Legacies and Basic features of Constitutions of UK & USA; Socio-Economic basis of Constitutions of UK & USA.	20
Unit-II	Comparative Study of Executive, Legislature	25
Unit-III	Comparative study of Judiciary of U.K. & U.S.A. Comparative studies of Structures, Functions and roles of political parties and pressure groups of UK & USA.	20
Unit-IV	Electoral Processes, Voting Behaviour, Bureaucracy of UK & USA	25

Suggested Reading

1. G. Almond et al., *Comparative Politics Today : A World View*, 7th edn., New York, London, Harper/Collins, 1000.
2. W. Bagehot, *The English Constitution*, London, Fontana, 1963.
3. J. Blondel, *An Introduction to Comparative Government*, London, Weidenfeld and Nicolson, 1969.
4. E.S. Griffith, *The American System of Government*, 6th edn., London, ethuen, 1983.
5. A.Lijphart,(ed.), *Parliamentary versus Presidential Government*, Oxford and New York, Oxford University Press, 1992.
6. M. Rhodes, P. Heywood and V. Wright, *Developments in West European Politics*, Basingstoke, Macmillan, 1997.
7. J. Wilson, *American Government*, 4th edn., Boston Massachusetts, Houghton Mifflin, 1997.