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FYBA (Paper I)  Introduction to Politics Since 2011-12

Old students will have chance upto 2013-14 to write the old paper

Semester I

1. Module I : The Study of Politics [ 11 lectures ]
   a. Definition, Nature and Scope
   b. Normative and Empirical Approaches
   c. Feminist Approach

2. Module II : Society, State and Nation State [ 12 lectures ]
   a. State and Society
   b. Nationalism and Nation- state
   c. Civil Society

3. Module III : Meaning and Types of [ 12 lectures ]
   a. Power and Authority
   b. Legitimacy
   c. Sovereignty

4. Module IV : Select Concepts [ 10 lectures ]
   a. Law : Nature, Scope and Types
   b. Political Obligation
   c. Types of Resistance

Semester II

5. Module V : Basic Political Values [ 9 lectures ]
   a. Liberty
   b. Equality
   c. Justice

6. Module VI : Rights [ 9 lectures ]
   a. Meaning and Nature
   b. Types of Rights
   c. Contemporary Issues and Debates

   a. Democratic and Non-democratic forms of Government
   b. Pre-requisites of Democracy
   c. Democracy in India

   a. Significance and Classification
   b. Communism
   c. Gandhism

[w.e.f. academic year 2011-12]
Guidelines for Internal Assignments

For Internal Assignments of 10 marks, the following areas can be selected.

1. Field visit
   a. to any Government Department, Local Self Governing Institutions, Police Station, Ward/ Vidhan Bhavan/ Mantralaya
   b. to any NGO, working for Education, Health, Environment, Human Rights, Women’s Organisations, Children’s Organisations, Organisations for physically and mentally Challenged.

2. Desk work
   a. Analysis of News/Events, (comparison or coverage)
   b. Book reviews
   c. library references related to new laws/constitutional amendments, Parliamentary proceedings.

Credit System for the Under Graduate Course is as under:

I. Internal – (40%)—(40 Marks)
   a. Two periodical test/class test/case studies/combination of these (20 marks)
   b. One assignment (10 marks)
   c. Active Participation in class instructional deliveries (5 marks)
   d. Overall conduct as a responsible student, Mannerism and articulation of leadership qualities in organizing academic activities (5 marks)
II. Question Paper pattern.

Semester End Assessment (60%)  Marks 60

Time: 2 HOURS

(a) All questions are compulsory.
(b) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

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Q.1 A--------------------------------- 8
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Q.2 A--------------------------------- 8
    B--------------------------------- 7
    
    OR

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    B--------------------------------- 7

Q.3 A--------------------------------- 8
    B--------------------------------- 7
    
    OR

Q.3 A--------------------------------- 8
    B--------------------------------- 7

Q.4 Write explanatory notes on Any Three of the following   (15 Marks)
(a)
(b)
(c)
(d)
(e)

Approved

Dr. (Smt) Chhaya Bakane (BOS in Politics)
Chairperson.
Introduction to Politics - old

FYBA PAPER I

SECTION I

Module 1 The Study of Politics:
1.1 Definitions and nature
1.2 The scope
1.3 The Approaches: Main features of the Normative, Empirical and the Feminist Approaches

Module 2 The changing nature, meaning and interrelationship of:
2.1 The State
2.2 The Market
2.3 The Civil Society

Module 3 Meaning and types of:
3.1 Power
3.2 Authority
3.3 Legitimacy

Module 4 Select Concepts:
4.1 Law: Definition, Sources
4.2 Political Obligation
4.3 Resistance: Civil disobedience, Revolution

SECTION II

Module 5 The Rights:
5.1 Definition, Meaning
5.2 Types: Civil, Political
5.3 Types: Socio – economic, Cultural

Module 6 Basic Political Values
6.1 Liberty
6.2 Equality
6.3 Justice – Procedural, Distributive

Module 7 Democracy – Models:
7.1 Classical
7.2 Liberal
7.3 Participatory

Module 8 Ideologies:
8.1 Nationalism
8.2 Communism
8.3 Gandhism
SYBA PAPER II (old upto 2011-12)

SECTION I

Module 1 India’s Constitution:

1.1 Philosophy, Basic features
1.2 Fundamental Rights and Fundamental Duties
1.3 Directive Principles of State Policy

Module 2 Parliament:

2.1 The Structure
2.2 Powers and Functions
2.3 Changing role

Module 3 The Union Executive:

3.1 The President – Powers and role
3.2 The Prime Minister and the Council of Ministers – Powers and role
3.3 Bureaucracy and its role

Module 4 The Judiciary:

4.1 The structure and powers of the Supreme Court of India
4.2 Judicial Review
4.3 Judicial Activism

SECTION II

Module 5 The Indian Federal System:

5.1 Center – State relations – Legislative, Executive, and Financial
5.2 Changing dynamics of Center – State relations
5.3 Inter – State Conflicts - Resolution mechanism

Module 6 Society and Politics

6.1 The Caste
6.2 Religion and Ethnicity
6.3 Gender
Module 7  Political Parties and the electoral politics:

7.1  The National Parties - Defining features
7.2  The Regional Parties – Defining features
7.3  National Coalition Politics

Module 8  Trends in Indian Politics:

8.1  Social Movements – Peasants’, Environmental
8.2  Criminalisation of Politics
8.3  Terrorism
EFFECTIVE FROM ACADEMIC YEAR 2012-2013

SYBA POLITICS PAPER II_REvised SYLLABUS

TITLE OF THE PAPER: INDIAN POLITICAL SYSTEM
SEMESTER III
SUB-TITLE: THE CONSTITUTIONAL FRAMEWORK

MODULE I
1. Constitution of India (10 Lectures)
   1.1 Basic Features
   1.2 Substantive Amendments and Relevant Case Laws (Amendments-4\textsuperscript{th}, 16\textsuperscript{th}, 25\textsuperscript{th}, 42\textsuperscript{nd}, 44\textsuperscript{th}, 52\textsuperscript{nd}, 62\textsuperscript{nd}, 73\textsuperscript{rd}, 74\textsuperscript{th}, 86\textsuperscript{th}, 92\textsuperscript{nd})

MODULE II
2. Philosophy of the Constitution (10 Lectures)
   2.1 Preamble
   2.2 Fundamental Rights
   2.3 Directive Principles of State Policy

MODULE III
3. Institutions: Structure, Powers and Functioning (10 Lectures)
   3.1 Parliament
   3.2 Union Executive
   3.3 Judiciary – Supreme Court of India

MODULE IV
4. The Federal Structure and its Dynamics (10 Lectures)
   4.1 Centre-State Relations
   4.2 Demand for Smaller States
   4.3 Demand for Autonomy

• Assignment/presentations related to above modules (5 Lectures)

Suggested References
REVISED SYLLABUS
EFFECTIVE FROM ACADEMIC YEAR 2012-2013
POLITICS PAPER II
TITLE OF THE PAPER: INDIAN POLITICAL SYSTEM
SEMESTER IV
SUB-TITLE: THE POLITICAL PROCESS

MODULE I
1. **Electoral and Party Politics** (10 Lectures)
   1.2 Political Parties- National and Regional Parties
   1.3 Coalition Governments

MODULE II
2. **Social Dynamics of Indian Politics** (10 Lectures)
   2.1 Caste- Reservation
   2.2 Religion- Communalism
   2.3 Regionalism

MODULE III
3. **Challenges to the Political System** (10 Lectures)
   3.1 Criminalisation of Politics
   3.2 Terrorism
   3.3 Naxalism

MODULE IV
4. **Political Economy of India** (10 Lectures)
   4.1 Nehruvian Model to New Economic Policy
   4.2 Economic Reforms
   4.3 Social and Political Impact of Reforms

• **Assignment/presentations related to above modules** (5 Lectures)

Suggested References

**SYBA Paper III (old upto 2011-12)**

**SECTION I**

Module 1   Public Administration:

1.1 Meaning  
1.2 Scope  
1.3 Changing nature

Module 2   Working of Bureaucracy  

2.1 Theory of Bureaucracy – Max Weber  
2.2 Decision Making- Herbert Simon  
2.3 The Human Side of Enterprise – McGregor  

(Note: The focus is on themes and not on thinkers)

Module 3   Public Administration in the Age of Globalisation and liberalisation:

3.1 New Public Management  
3.2 Good Governance

Module 4   Ethics and Accountability in Government

**SECTION II**

Module 5   The Indian Administrative System:

5.1 Basic features  
5.2 Changing nature – with reference to Liberalisation and Privatisation  
5.3 Public-Private Partnership
Module 6 Personnel Administration:

6.1 Recruitment and Training
6.2 Integrity in Administration

Module 7 Financial Administration:

7.1 Budgetary Process
7.2 Financial Accountability

Module 8 Local Governance and Peoples' Participation in Administration

8.1 Right to Information
8.2 E- Governance
8.3 Decentralised Planning
(Note: both, rural and urban administration to be covered under Local Governance)
SYBA POLITICS PAPER III revised syllabus

Public Administration

Syllabus for Semester III and Semester IV

Effective from Academic Year 2012-2013

Semester III

Title of the Paper: Public Administration

Lectures

1 Introduction to Public Administration
   1.1 Meaning
   1.2 Scope
   1.3 Evolution of Public Administration as a discipline

2 Public Administration in the age of Liberalisation, Privatisation and Globalisation
   2.1 New Public Management
   2.2 Good Governance
   2.3 Public Choice Approach

3 Principles and Theories of Organisation
   3.1 Hierarchy, Delegation, Decentralisation.
   3.2 Evolution of Leadership Theories: Trait, Behavioural Theories, Feidler’s Contingency Model, Situational Theory
   3.3 Evolution of Motivation Theories: Early Theories- Maslow, McGregor, Herzberg; Contemporary Theories- McCleland, Cognitive Evaluation, Victor Vroom’s Expectancy Theory

4 Emerging Techniques and Tools in Public Administration
   4.1 E-Governance
   4.2 Public-Private Partnership
   4.3 Critical Path Method, Programme Evaluation and Review Technique, Management Information System
Suggested references

Books in English

4. Dahiya, Sewa Singh, and Singh, Ravindra, An Introduction to Public Policy, Sanjay Prakashan
7. Arora, Ramesh (ed.), Public Administration, Aalekh Publishers
8. Bhattacharya, Mohit (RPA), Restructuring Public Administration, Jawahar Publishers and Distributers
9. Chakrabarty, Bidyut, and Bhattacharya Mohit (ed.), Public Administration a Reader, Oxford University Press
10. Maheshwari Shriram(AT), Administrative Theory An Introduction, Macmillan India Ltd

Books in Marathi

1. Patil, V. B., Lok Prashasan, Shri Mangesh Prakashan, Nagpur.
2. Patil, V. B., Samagra Lok Prashasan, K Sagar, Pune.
5. Bakane, Chhaya, Lok Prashasan, Shrividya Prakashan, Pune.


Semester IV

Title of the Paper: Indian Administration

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1. Indian Administrative System
   1.1 British Legacy
   1.2 Constitutional Context
   1.3 Basic Features

2. Personnel Administration
   2.1 Recruitment: All-India Services, Central Services and State Services
   2.2 Training: All-India Services, Central Services
   2.3 Training: State Services (Maharashtra)

3. Financial Administration and Accountability
   3.1 Budgetary Process
   3.2 Parliamentary Committees: Public Accounts Committee, Estimates Committee, Committee on Public Undertakings
   3.3 Comptroller and Auditor General

4. Challenges to Indian Administration and Remedies
   4.1 Corruption I: Causes, and Remedies-Anti-Corruption Law, ACB, CVC
   4.2 Corruption II: Remedies- Lokayukta and Lokpal
   4.3 Citizens’ Charters

Suggested references

Books in English

3. Arora Ramesh, and Goyal Indian Public Administration, Institutions and Issues, Wishwa Publications,
4. Sharma, M. K., Financial Administration, Anmol Publications,
5. Fadia, B. L., and Fadia, Kuldeep, Indian Administration, Sahitya Bhavan,
6. Tyagi, A. R., Personnel Administration,
Paper no. 4 – Political Process in Maharashtra

Section I

1. Historical Background (1818 to 1960)
   a. The nationalist and social reform movements
   b. The non-brahmin movement
   c. The Dalit movement

2. Regionalism
   a. Emergence of regional consciousness in the 19th century
   b. The Sanyukta Maharashtra movement and its aftermath
   c. Sub-regionalism and political economy of regional imbalance

3. Caste, Class and Politics
   a. Dominant castes
   b. Other backward classes
   c. Dalits

Section II

4. Ethnicity, Religion and Politics
   a. Politics of Nativism
   b. Politics of Communalism
   c. Pluralist and secular responses to (a) and (b)

5. Non-Party arena
   d. Business, labour - organised, unorganised
   e. Cooperatives, farmer agitations
   f. Civil Society initiatives – Self help groups, movements for alternative development

6. Political Parties and Elections
   g. Era of Congress dominance
   h. Emergence of coalition politics
   i. Changing patterns of voting behaviour
Paper V – Political Thought

Section I

1. Power and State – Niccolo Machiavelli, Thomas Hobbes
2. Consent and Democracy – John Locke – Jean Jacques Rousseau
3. Dialectic and Revolution – G. W. F. Hegel, Karl Marx

Section II

4. Liberty and Justice – John Stuart Mill, John Rawls

Note: - The themes are not just pegs to hang thinkers on, they are more like lenses. The idea is to look at each thinker as writing in a certain political/intellectual context and making a distinctive contribution to political discourse. Exhaustive study of each thinker’s ideas is not expected.
Paper VI Major Issues in contemporary politics

Section I

1. Post cold war issues
   1.1. Unipolar world
   1.2. Poverty
   1.3. Health

2. The United Nations – The role of the core and special agencies
   2.1. Unipolar world – The General Assembly and the Security council
   2.2. Poverty – The United Nations Development Programme and Food and Agricultural organization
   2.3. Health – World Health Organisation

3. Globalisation, Liberalisation and Privatisation : The role and functions of
   3.1. The World Bank
   3.2. The International Monetary Fund
   3.3. The World Trade Organisation

4. Developmental and Environmental issues
   4.1. Models of development
   4.2. Movements promoting alternate models of development
   4.3. Movements promoting protection of environment

   Section II

5. Human Rights
   5.1. Major landmarks in their evolution
   5.2. Three generations of human rights (Note: 5.1 – Focus is on the issues addressed in major covenants and not on articles/provisions)

6. The Feminist Movement
   6.1. Changing nature of the movement
   6.2. Women in politics (with reference to India)

7. Terrorism
   7.1. State sponsored terrorism
   7.2. Anti-state terrorism
   7.3. Peace movements

8. Civil Society
   8.1. Nature and role
   8.2. Case study – Amnesty international
   8.3. Case study – Consumers’ international
   8.4. Case study – International Committee of the Red Cross
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Revised Syllabus for T.Y.B.A.
Program: B.A.
Course: Politics
Semesters: V and VI

As per Credit Based Semester and Grading system with effect from the academic year 2013-14. Contents

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TYBA Revised Syllabus
Effective From Academic Year 2013-2014 Politics Paper IV: Political Process In Modern Maharashtra
Semester V: Politics of Modern Maharashtra Course Code: UAPOL501

No of Lectures Module 1: Historical Background 16
1.1 Evolution of the idea of Maharashtra
1.2 Nationalist Movement and Social Reform Movement
1.3 Samyukta Maharashtra Movement

Module 2: Sub-regionalism, Regional Disparity and Development 14
2.1 Konkan, Marathwada & Vidarbha
2.2 Dandekar Committee Report
2.3 Statutory Development Boards

Module 3: Political Institutions in Maharashtra 16
3.1 State Legislature: Composition and Functions
3.2 Chief Minister and Council of Ministers: Role
3.3 High Court and Subordinate Courts

Module 4: Caste and Politics in Maharashtra 14
4.1 Dominant Caste Politics
4.2 Dalit Politics
4.3 OBC Politics
Politics Paper IV: Political Process In Modern Maharashtra
Semester VI: Determinants of Politics of Maharashtra Course Code: UAPOL601

No of Lectures

Module 1: Political Economy of Maharashtra 15
1.1 Business and Politics
1.2 Politics of Cooperatives
1.3 Land Issues: Urban and Rural

Module 2: Political Parties 15
2.1 Indian National Congress (I), Nationalist Congress Party and Bharatiya Janata Party
2.2 Republican Party of India, Peasants and Workers Party, Shiv Sena, and Maharashtra Navnirman Sena.
2.3 Coalition Politics

Module 3: Contemporary Issues and Movements 15
3.1 Tribal Issues
3.2 Farmers Movements and Agitations

Module 4: Civil Society Initiatives and Alternative Models of Development 15
4.1 Civil Society, Concept and Nature
4.2 Movements for the Right to Information in Maharashtra
4.3 Initiatives for Protection of Environment

Recommended Reading
1. Lele, Jayant: One Party Dominance in Maharashtra Resilience and Change, Popular Prakashan, Mumbai, 1982
3. __________: Social Reformers of Maharashtra, Maharashtra Information Center, New Delhi, 1975
4. Phatak, Anagha: Political Process of Maharashtra, Prachi Prakashan

Books in Marathi

**Magazines and Journals** (Also for Local Self Government – Paper VII)

- Agrotech
- Andolan
- Bayaja
- Chanakya Mandal Parivar
- Lokarajya
- Parivartanacha Vatsaru
- Sadhana
- Spardha Pariksha
- Stri Uvacha
- Yashoda
- Yojana

**TYBA Revised Syllabus**

**Effective from academic year 2013-14 Politics Paper V: Political Thought**

**Semester V: Western Political Thought**

**Course Code: UAPOL502**

No. of Lectures

**Module 1: Modern State 14**
1.1 Niccolo Machiavelli [1469-1527]
1.2 John Locke [1632-1704]

**Module 2: Liberty and Justice 16**
2.1 John Stuart Mill [1806-1878]
2.2 John Rawls [1921-2002]

**Module 3: Revolution and Hegemony 15**
3.1 Karl Marx [1818-1883]
3.2 Antonio Gramsci [1891-1937]

**Module 4: Feminism and Multiculturalism 15**
4.1 Simone de Beauvoir [1908-1986]
4.2 Will Kymlicka [1962-till date]
Politics Paper V: Political Thought
Semester VI: Indian Political Thought
Course Code: UAPOL602

No. of Lectures Module 1: Ideas on State: 15
1.1 Mahadev Govind Ranade [1842-1901]
1.2 Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi [1869-1948]

Module 2: Nationalism 15
2.1 Rabindranath Tagore [1861-1941]
2.2 Vinayak Damodar Savarkar [1883-1966]

Module 3: Rational and Radical Reform: 15
3.1 Gopal Ganesh Agarkar [1856-1895]
3.2 Bhimrao Ramji Ambedkar [1891-1956]

Module 4: Socialism 15
4.1 Jawaharlal Nehru [1889-1964]
4.2 Rammanohar Lohia [1910-1967]

Recommended Reading: Semester V


Recommended Reading: Semester VI
1. Ahuja, M. L.: Indian Political Thought, Dominant Publishers and Distributors, New
Delhi, 2012.

**TYBA Revised Syllabus**
**Effective from academic year 2013-14 Politics Paper VI: International Relations**
**Semester V: World Politics**
**Course Code: UAPOL503**

No. of Lectures

**Module 1: Concepts and approaches 12**
1.1 International Relations, International Politics – Definition, Scope and Relevance
1.2 Approaches: Realism and Liberalism
1.3 Concepts: Power, National Interest and Balance of Power

**Module 2: World Order 09**
2.1 Cold War: Bipolarity
2.2 Post Cold War: Unipolarity, Multipolarity and Non-Polarity

**Module 3: Conflict, Peace and Security 12**
3.1 Types of Conflict and changing nature of Conflict
3.2 Approaches to Peace: Arms Control, Disarmament and Collective Security
3.3 Changing Idea of Security: National Security and Human Security

**Module 4: International Political Economy 12**
4.1 Bretton Woods Institutions: IMF, World Bank and WTO
4.2 Regional Economic Integration: European Union
4.3 Globalisation

**Politics Paper VI: International Relations**

**Semester VI: India In World Politics**

**Course Code: UAPOL603**

No. of lectures **Module 1: Foreign Policy and Diplomacy 12**

1.1 Definition and Objectives
1.2 Diplomacy: Role, Types and Changing Nature
1.3 Determinants of Foreign Policy with reference to India

**Module 2: India and the Major Powers 12**

2.1 U.S.A.
2.2 Russia
2.3 China

**Module 3: India and her Neighbours 12**

3.1 India and SAARC
3.2 Pakistan and Bangladesh

**Module 4: India and International Organisations 09**

4.1 India’s Role in the United Nations
4.2 India and ASEAN

**Recommended Reading**

12. Waltz, Kenneth Neal: *Theory of International Politics*, Addition Wosley, Rending,
Massachusetts, 1979.

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**Revised Syllabus**  
**Effective From Academic Year 2013-2014 Politics Paper VII: (A) Political Sociology**  
**Semester V: Concepts in Political Sociology Course Code: UAPOLA504**

*No. of Lectures Module 1: Understanding Political Sociology 14*

1.1 Weberian Approach  
1.2 Marxian Approach  
1.3 Behavioral Approach

**Module 2: Basic Concepts 16**  
2.1 Power  
2.2 Legitimacy  
2.3 Hegemony

**Module 3: Stratification 13**  
3.1 Elite; Class  
3.2 Caste  
3.3 Gender

**Module 4: Social and Political Dynamics 17**  
4.1 Political Culture: Types and influencing factors  
4.2 Political Socialization- Agents  
4.3 Political Participation- Means and Levels

**Politics Paper VII: (A) Political Sociology**  
**Semester VI: Political Dynamism and Society**  
**Course Code: UAPOLA604**

*No of Lectures Module 1: Public Opinion 15*

1.1 Concept  
1.2 Opinion Makers: a) Non-Political leaders b) Media  
1.3 Impact on Political Behavior

**Module 2: Institutional Impact 17**  
2.1 Political Parties  
2.2 Pressure Groups
Module 3: Social and Political Processes 13
3.1 Modernization
3.2 Development

Module 4: Protest movements and change 15
4.1 Mainstream Liberal movements: Consumer and Anti-graft movements
4.2 Social Movements: Old and New

Recommended Reading
11. Kulkarni, B. Y.: Rajakiya Samajshastra (Marathi); Vidya Prakashan, Nagpur.
TYBA
Revised Syllabus
Effective From Academic Year 2013-2014 Politics Paper VII: (B) Local Self Government with Special Reference to Maharashtra
Semester V: Rural Local Self Government
Course Code: UAPOLB504
No of lectures

Module 1: Democratic Decentralization 14
1.1 Meaning and nature
1.2 Importance of Rural Local Self Government
1.3 73rd and 74th Amendments and its interpretations

Module 2: Introduction to Panchayati Raj Institutions: Three tier system 16
2.1 Gram Sabha and Gram Panchayat
2.2 Panchayat Samiti
2.3 Zilla Parishad

Module 3: Rural Development Schemes 13
3.1 Education
3.2 Environment: Cleanliness Drive
3.3 Water Conservation

Module 4: Contemporary Issues 17
4.1 Empowerment of women through political reservation
4.2 Issue of autonomy in Panchayati Raj institutes

Politics Paper VII: (B) Local Self Government with Special Reference to Maharashtra
Semester VI: Urban Local Self Government
Course Code: UAPOLB604
No. of Lectures

Module 1: Democratic Decentralization 15
1.1 Meaning and Nature
1.2 Importance of Urban Local Self Government
1.3 74th Amendment and its Implementation

Module 2: Introduction to Urban Local Self Government 17
2.1 Municipal Council
2.2 Municipal Corporation
2.3 Cantonment Board

Module 3: Urban Development Schemes 13
3.1 Housing
3.2 Slum development and rehabilitation
3.3 Water and Sanitation

Module 4: Contemporary Issues 15
4.1 Migration and Urban Governance
4.2 Transportation

Recommended Reading

Reference Books in Marathi

TYBA Revised Syllabus
Effective From Academic Year 2013-2014 Politics Paper VIII: (A) International and Regional Organizations
Semester V: International Organizations Course Code: UAPOLA505

No. of Lectures
Module 1: Concept of International Organization 15
1.1 Meaning, Nature and Scope
1.2 Evolution and Significance
1.3 Structure of the United Nations

Module 2: United Nations and Security Concerns 15
2.1 Pacific Settlement of International Disputes and Peace Keeping Operations
2.2 Regulation and control of Nuclear Technology: Role of International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA)

3.1 Millennium Development Goals
3.2 World Health Organization (WHO), Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO)
3.3 United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) and United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)

Module 4: International Economic/Financial Organizations 15
4.1 Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) 4.2 Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC)

Politics Paper VIII: (A) International and Regional Organizations
Semester VI: Regional Organizations and Transcontinental Groups Course Code: UAPOLA605

No. of Lectures
Module 1: Regionalism and Globalization 14
1.1 The League of Arab States/ Arab League (AL)
1.2 Mercosur - Mercado Común del Sur (Southern Common Market)
1.3 African Union (AU)

**Module 2: Security Concerns and Regional Organizations 16**

2.1 North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO)
2.2 Shanghai Cooperation Organisation (SCO)

**Module 3: India and Regional Organizations 16**

3.1 Bay of Bengal Initiative for Multi-Sectoral Technical and Economic Co-operation (BIMSTEC)
3.2 Indian Ocean Rim-Association for Regional Cooperation (IOR-ARC)

**Module 4: Transcontinental Forums/ Groups 14**

4.1 Group of 77 (G-77)
4.2 Group of Eight (G-8)
4.3 BRICS (Brazil, Russia, India, China, South Africa)

**Recommended Reading**

{Authentic and up-to-date information about these organizations is available on their respective websites. A number of articles describing/ evaluating the functioning and the role of these organizations are available on the Internet. Colleges may also subscribe to UNews, a monthly newsletter of the UN Information Centre, 55 Lodi Estate, New Delhi 110003 by writing to the Centre. Price of the Newsletter is Re. 1/- (Rupee one) only.}


TYBA Revised Syllabus
Effective From Academic Year 2013-2014 Politics Paper VIII: (B) American Political System
Semester V: American Constitution and Institutions Course Code: UAPOLB505

No. of Lectures

Module 1: The American Constitution 15
1.1 Making of the Constitution
1.2 Philosophy of the Constitution
1.3 Features of the Constitution

Module 2: Federalism 15
2.1 Evolution and Changing Trends
2.2 Rights and Powers of State Government
2.3 Rights and Powers of Local Government

Module 3: The President and the Vice-President 15
3.1 Office of the President
3.2 Powers of the President and the Vice-President

Module 4: The Congress 15
4.1 Structure
4.2 Functions

Politics Paper VIII: (B) American Political System
Semester VI: Political Process in the United States
Course Code: UAPOLB605

No. Of Lectures

Module I: The Supreme Court 14
1.1 Structure
Module 2: Political Parties and Interest Groups 16
2.1 Evolution and the role of Political Parties
2.2 Types of Interest Groups
2.3 Strategies of Interest Groups

Module 3: Elections and the Media 16
3.1 Presidential Election Process
3.2 Influence of the Media on Elections (including the Internet)

Module 4: Civil Rights Movement 14
4.1 African-American
4.2 Women

Students may select any topic from any module for 10-mark assignment.

Recommended Reading

TYBA
Revised Syllabus
Effective From Academic Year 2013-2014 Politics Paper IX: (A) Electoral Politics In India
Semester V: Electoral Process In India
Course Code: UAPOLA506

No. of Lecture Module 1: Election Commission 12

1.1 Role
1.2 Ensuring free and fair elections
1.3 Maintenance of Law, Order and Security
Module 2: Electoral Process 12
2.1 Representation of the People Act
2.2 Electoral Reforms: 61\textsuperscript{st} Constitution Amendment
2.3 Proposals for Reforms

Module 3: History of General Elections 12
3.1 General Elections: 1952
3.2 General Elections: 1977
3.3 General Elections: 1989 to the present

Module 4: Group and Electoral Participation 10
4.1 Women, Dalits and Tribals
4.2 Minorities

Politics Paper IX: (A) Electoral Politics In India Semester VI: Media and Electoral Processes
Course Code: UAPOLA606
No of Lectures

Module 1: Election and Impact of Mass Media 15
1.1 Print Media: Newspapers and Magazines
1.2 Audio – Visual: Radio & TV
1.3 Digital Media and Social Networking Sites, Viral Communication

Module 2: Election Campaigning / Political Marketing 12
2.1 Propaganda and Election Manifesto
2.2 Public Relation Campaigns
2.3 Advertising Campaign (after 1984)

Module 3: Psephology 10
3.1 Opinion Polls
3.2 Exit Polls
3.3 Electoral Surveys and Analysis

Module 4: Critique of Media in Elections 08
4.1 Objective Coverage and Paid News
4.2 Accountability of Media

Recommended Reading
Delhi, 1995.
5. Election Commission of India: Statistical reports on General Elections, India Year Books.

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**Effective From Academic Year 2013-2014 Politics Paper IX: (B)**

**Politics Paper IX: (B) Understanding Politics Through Films**

**Semester V: Politics and Films Course Code: UAPOLB506**

No. of Lectures **Module1: Understanding films as an expression of popular culture. 11**

1.1 Films as a medium of creating political awareness.
1.2 Films as a tool to study political theory (with special reference to the concept of power and authority.)
1.3 Films as a tool to study international politics. (with special reference to the concept of war and futility of war)

**Suggested Films**— God Father (E), Sarkar (H), Rajneeti (H), Gulal (H), Simhasan (M), Haqeekat (H), Bridge on the River Kwai (E), No man’s Land (E), Border (H), The Day After (E), Saving Private Ryan, Letters from Ivogima. (Minimum two films must be screened.)

**Module 2: Indian Films and Documentaries 08**

2.1 Significant landmarks in Indian films
2.2 Changing nature of the documentaries in India.
Module 3: Evolution of Regional Films in India

3.1 Marathi
3.2 Bengali
3.3 Malayalam

Module 4: Partition and its Impact

4.1 Impact of Partition
4.2 Impact on women
4.3 Partition and Displacement.

Suggested Films: Garam Hawa (H), Tamas (H), Pinjar (H), Khamosh Pani (H), Earth 1947 (H)

Politics Paper IX: (B) Understanding Politics Through Films
Semester VI: Learning Indian Politics through Films
Course Code: UAPOLB606

No. of Lectures
Module 1: The Process of Nation–Building. 13
1.1 End of Feudalism.
1.2 Democratization of Indian society and the idea of Nehruvian socialism.

Suggested Films: Mother India (H), Saheb Bibi aur Gulam (H), Sardar (H), Ambedkar (H), Naya Daur (H), Shree 420 (H), Do Bigha Jameen (H).

Module 2: Politics of Development. 12
2.1 Process of Development
2.2 Debates about Development.

Suggested Films: Pather Panchali (H), Roti Kapada Aur Makan (H), Do Bigha Jameen (H), Namak Haram (H), Naya Daur (H), Satyakam(H), Jagte Raho (H)

Module 3: People’s Movements 10
3.1 Environmental movements—Chipko and Narmada Bachao Andolan
3.2 Right to Information Movement

Documentaries: Ek Cup Chai, Right to Information (Kamlu Didi) (H), Narmada Bachao Andolan (You Tube), A Narmada Dairy (Anand Patwardhan)

Module 4: Internal Security Challenges 10
4.1 Terrorism
4.2 Naxalism

Suggested Films-- Machis (H), Roja (H), A Wednesday (H), Sarfarosh (H), Dil Se (H), Fanna (H), Mr and Mrs Iyer (H), Tango Charlie (H), Chakravyuha (H), Mission Kashmir (H).

This paper cannot be offered to IDE students, as it is a practical based paper.

Recommended Reading
General Guidelines for Examination Pattern
Each paper has 40 marks Internal Assessment and 60 marks of External Examination at the end of each Semester. Internal Assessment consists of 20 marks Class Test, 10 marks Assignment and 5 plus 5 for Conduct and Participation. External Examination of 60 marks will consist of: 1. Four questions of 15 Marks each 2. All questions are compulsory with internal choice 3. Question No. Four could be a short note question.