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**Pedagogy :**

The Course should be taught in such a way that the disciplinary quest and societal concerns appear to be organically inter-linked and integrated.

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POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY**

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**Unit-A**

Political Sociology: Definition and Subject Matter of Distinctive Approach of Political Sociology. Interrelationship between political system and society: Democratic and Toalitarian systems-socio-economic conditions conducive for their emergence and stability.

**Unit-B**

Political Culture- Meaning and Significance. Political Socialization- Meaning Significance and Agencies.

**Unit-C**

Elite Theories of distribution of power in society (with reference to Mosca, Pareto, R. Mitchels and C.W.Mills). Intellectuals: Political role of intellectuals-significance.

**Unit-D**

Pressure Groups and Interests Groups-Nature, Bases, Political Significance; Bureaucracy: Characteristics, and Types, its significance in Political Development with Special Reference to India.

Political Parties: Characteristics, Social Compositon of Parties, Recruitment, Mass Participation.

### Unit-E

Political Process in India: Role of Caste, Religion, Regionalism and Language in Indian Politics.

Public Opinion: Role of Mass Media, problems of communication in illiterate societies; its reference on parties and polity. Politicization of Social Life.

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