

FIRST YEAR ARTS
POLITICAL SCIENCE

2015-2016

Two Papers	Min. Pass Marks:72	Max. Marks: 200
Paper-I	3 hrs. duration	100 Marks
Paper-II	3 hrs. duration	100 Marks

Note : The assessment scheme is divided into two parts: internal and annual assessment. **Internal assessment** comprises of 25 marks: 5 marks for attendance and 20 marks for a mid session class test. **The annual examination** will comprise of 75 marks and will be divided into two parts: part one will contain 45 objective type multiple choice questions, each carrying one mark and part two will contain 5 questions, one from each unit and the examinee will have to answer three questions in a maximum of 500 words. Each question will carry 10 marks.

Code : 1481

PAPER-I
FOUNDATIONS OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

- Unit-I:** Meaning, Scope and Nature of Political Science: Traditional and Contemporary Perspectives; Behaviouralism and Post-Behaviouralism; Interdisciplinary Approach in Political Science.
- Unit-II:** Concepts: Liberty, Equality, Power, Authority, Legitimacy, Political Development, Political Modernization, Political Culture, Sovereignty and Pluralism.
- Unit-III:** Democracy and Dictatorship. Parliamentary and Presidential System, Federalism, Political Parties.
- Unit-IV:** Civil Society and Human Rights; Organs of Government and their Functions (with reference to recent trends); Theory of Separation of Powers and Checks and Balances.
- Unit-V:** Theories of the Origin of State: Social Contract and Evolutionary Theory. Political Ideologies: Liberalism, Marxism.

Suggested Readings :

1. A. Appadorai : Substance of Politics.
2. A. Ashiravdam: Principles of Political Science.
3. J.C. Johari : Principles of Political Science.
4. M.C. Chagla : The Law and the State.
5. R.G. Gettel : Political Science
6. S.W. Garner : Political Science and Government
7. H.W. Laski : A Grammar of Politics.
8. R.C. Agarwal : A Political Theory
9. L.S. Rathore : In Defence of Political Theory
10. एस. पी. वर्मा : राजनीति शास्त्र के सिद्धान्त
11. पी. के. चट्टा : राजनीति विज्ञान के मूल आधार
12. बी. एल. फड़िया : राजनीति विज्ञान के मूल आधार
13. पुखराज जैन : राजनीति विज्ञान के मूल सिद्धान्त