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**T. Y. B. A. Political Science Curriculum**  
**(Semester & Choice Based Credit System)**

(To be implement from the Academic Year 2024-25)



T. Y. B. A. Political Science  
(CBCS pattern to be implemented from 2024-2025)

**(Core Course): 24- PO-A3573 Modern Political Analysis**

Total Credits : 03

**Course Objective :** To acquaint the students with the modern political analysis. Emphasis is on the nature of power in modern societies- more in the form of organisations and social formations

**SEMESTER-V**

<b>Unit 1: Political System</b>	<b>10</b>
a) Meaning and Nature and Functions of the Political System	
b) Classification of Political Systems	
<b>Unit 2 : Political Participation</b>	<b>10</b>
a) Meaning, Nature and Levels of Participation	
b) Factors affecting Political Participation	
<b>Unit 3 : Political Socialisation</b>	<b>12</b>
a) Meaning and Nature	
b) Agencies of Political Socialisation	
<b>Unit 4 : Political Culture</b>	<b>12</b>
a) Meaning, nature and elements	
b) Determinants and Classification – Types	

**Course Outcomes**

**CO 1 :** Understand the functions and typology of political systems

**CO 2 :** Explain concepts of political participation and political socialisation

**CO 3 :** Discuss different components/ issues of modern political analysis



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**(Core Course): 24- PO-B3573 Comparative Politics**

Total Credits : 03

**Course Objective :** To familiarize students with the changing political scenario with the help of sub-discipline of comparative politics

**SEMESTER-VI**

<b>Unit 1: Understanding Comparative Politics</b>	<b>10</b>
a) Meaning, Nature and Scope of Comparative Politics	
b) Traditional and Modern Approaches to comparative politics	
<b>Unit 2: Issues in Comparative Politics</b>	<b>10</b>
a) Political Change and Development	
b) Political Modernisation	
<b>Unit 3: Constitutionalism</b>	<b>12</b>
a) Constitutionalism	
b) Nature and Classification of Constitutions	
<b>Unit 4: Organisation of Governments</b>	<b>12</b>
a) Legislature	
b) Executive	
c) Judiciary	

**Course Outcomes**

**CO 1 :** Understand comparative analysis of governmental structures and political processes

**CO2 :** Discuss and compare different constitutions and their features

**CO 3 :** Analyse output functions of Rule Making, Rule Application and Rule Adjudication



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14. नवलगुंदकर शं. ना, १९७९, आधुनिक राजकीय विश्लेषण, पुणे
15. भालभोळे, शासन आणि राजकारण तौलनिक अध्ययन



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**(Discipline Specific Elective Course): 24- PO-A3571 Public Administration**

Total Credits : 03

**Course Objective :** To introduce students with the sub-discipline of public administration by focusing on its effectiveness that lies in translating the governance philosophy into programmes and policies.

**SEMESTER-V**

<b>Unit 1: Public Administration</b>	<b>10</b>
a) Nature and Scope	
b) New Public Administration : Evolution and features	
<b>Unit 2: Principles of Organisation</b>	<b>10</b>
a) Hierarchy and Unity of Command, Direction, Co-ordination	
b) Span of Control and Supervision, Delegation	
<b>Unit 3: Types of Public Administration</b>	<b>12</b>
a) Personnel Administration : Recruitment, Training	
b) Financial Administration : Budgeting, Gender Budget	
<b>Unit 4: Accountability and Control</b>	<b>12</b>
a) Administrative Accountability	
b) Legislative Control	

**CO 1 :** Discuss the Principles of organisation

**CO 2 :** Explain different aspects like staffing and budgeting as the basic facets of public administration

**CO 3 :** Apply the concepts of accountability and control while understanding the effectiveness of administrative decision making



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**(Discipline Specific Elective Course): 24- PO-B3571 Public Policy**

Total Credits : 03

**Course Objective :** To introduce students with the basic function of the government of policy making and its theoretical and application oriented aspects

**SEMESTER-VI**

<b>Unit 1: Public Policy</b>	<b>10</b>
a) Meaning, Scope and Importance	
b) Determinants and types	
<b>Unit 2: Policy Making in India</b>	<b>10</b>
a) Structures and Processes	
b) Role of Executive and Bureaucracy	
<b>Unit 3: Policy Implementation and Evaluation</b>	<b>12</b>
a) Problems and approaches in policy implementation	
b) Evaluation of public policy	
<b>Unit 4: Public Policy in India : Debates</b>	<b>12</b>
a) Environment / Water Policy	
b) Women/ Agriculture Policy	

**CO 1 :** Discuss the relationship of public policy making and its impact on the welfare of people

**CO 2 :** Explain the role of different governmental structures involved in policy-making process in India

**CO 3 :** Understand the debates about public policy in India with the help of case-studies



**Readings:**

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12. S. R. Maheshwari, 1994, *Administrative Theories*, New Delhi, Allied.
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**(Discipline Specific Elective Course): 24- PO-A3572 International Relations**

Total Credits : 03

**Objectives:** This paper deals with concepts and dimensions of International Relations and makes analysis of different theories highlighting the major debates

**SEMESTER-V**

<b>Unit 1: Introduction to International Relations</b>	<b>10</b>
a) Meaning and Nature	
b) History of International Relations	
<b>Unit 2: Approaches to International Relations</b>	<b>10</b>
a) Idealism	
b) Realism	
<b>Unit 3: Changing World Order (1945-to the present)</b>	<b>12</b>
a) Bipolarity and Multipolarity	
b) International Organisations	
<b>Unit 4: Cotemporary Global Issues</b>	<b>12</b>
a) Human Rights and violations	
b) Terrorism : role of state and non-state actors	

**CO1** : Understand the importance of theories and approaches to study International Relations

**CO 2** : Discuss changing global scenario and functioning of international organisations

**CO 3:** Analyse contemporary issues, their causes and measures of mitigating those challenges





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**(Discipline Specific Elective Course): 24- PO-B3572 India's Foreign Policy**

Total Credits : 03

**Objectives:** To introduce the students with the genesis, evolution and practice of India's foreign policy

**SEMESTER-VI**

<b>Unit 1 : Evolution of Foreign Policy</b>	<b>10</b>
a) Determinants	
b) Principles	
<b>Unit 2 : India's engagement with Super Powers</b>	<b>10</b>
a) The USA, EU	
b) China, Russia	
<b>Unit 3 : India's relations with Neighbours</b>	<b>12</b>
a) Pakistan, Nepal, Bhutan	
b) Sri Lanka and Indian Ocean	
<b>Unit 4 : India as a Soft Power</b>	<b>12</b>
a) Meaning and nature of Soft Power	
b) Engagement with Diaspora	

**CO1 :** To understand dynamics of India's foreign policy and its ethos

**CO2 :** To discuss India's ability to engage in the multilateral world

**CO 3:** To analyse India's position in changing global scenario due to its soft power



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14. देवळाणकर शैलेंद्र, आंतरराष्ट्रीय संबंध, सवद्या बुक्स, औरंगाबाद २०१४
15. उत्तरा सहस्रबुद्धे, अरुणा पेंडसे, आंतरराष्ट्रीय संबंध : शीतयुद्ध ते जागतिकीकरण-



**Skill Enhancement Course : SEC 24- PO-A3574**  
**Understanding NGO Management & Leadership**

Total Credits : 02

As Non-Governmental Organizations provide career option for students, the department wishes to introduce a Skill Enhancement Course related to the world of NGOs

**Course Objective :** To acquaint students with the world of voluntary organisations

**Semester V**

**Unit 1 : Understanding NGO Management**

- a) Nature, Scope, Techniques by NGOs : Advocacy and facilitation
- b) Leadership roles and transformation

**Unit 2 : Skills gained**

- a) Fund Raising and Fund Management
- b) Strategic Planning and Development

**Course Outcomes :**

**CO1 :** Explain the nature of voluntary sector, types and techniques of NGOs

**CO2 :** Apply their understanding of NGO world during their visit that would get reflected in the report



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Skill Enhancement Course : SEC 24 - PO-B3574

## **Data Collection, Survey, Field Work and Data Analysis**

Total Credits : 02

**Course Objective :** To introduce students with quantitative research methods for social sciences

### **Semester VI**

#### **Unit 1 : Data Collection**

- a) Questionnaire
- b) Interviews : Structured/ semi-structured, unstructured, Focus Group interviews

#### **Unit 2 : Field Work & Analysis**

- a) Understanding Surveys : Types and Sources
- b) Data Analysis

#### **Course Outcomes :**

**CO1 :** Explain different quantitative techniques

**CO2 :** Make their own questionnaires and form questions for interviews

