

**M. A. POLITICAL SCIENCE**  
**SEMESTER SYSTEM**  
**(CBCS PROGRAMME)**

M.A. : TWO YEAR (FOUR-SEMESTER)-CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM PROGRAMME			Marks		Total Marks
			Written	Internal	
Paper code	Course Structure <b>SEMESTER-I</b> Core Course –Compulsory				
PS - 101	History of Ancient Political Thought	Core Discipline	70	30	100
PS-102	Comparative Politics	Core Discipline	70	30	100
PS-103	Theory of Public Administration	Core Discipline	70	30	100
PS-104	Indian National Movement	Core Discipline	70	30	100
PS-105	Social and Political Ideas of Mahatma Gandhi	Elective Course – Inter-Disciplinary	70	30	100
	Total Marks of Semester I				500
	<b>SEMESTER-II</b> Core Course –Compulsory				
PS-201	History of Medieval and Modern Political Thought	Core Discipline	70	30	100
PS-202	Modern Political Analysis	Core Discipline	70	30	100
PS-203	Advance Public Administration	Core Discipline	70	30	100
PS-204	Constitutional Development of India	Core Discipline	70	30	100
PS-205	Research Methodology	Elective Course – Inter-Disciplinary	70	30	100
	Total Marks of Semester II				500
	<b>SEMESTER-III</b> Core Course –Compulsory				
PS-301	Contemporary Political Thought	Core Discipline	70	30	100
PS-302	Theoretical Aspect of International Politics	Core Discipline	70	30	100
PS-303	Theory of International Law	Core Discipline	70	30	100
PS-304	International Organization and the League of Nations	Core Discipline	70	30	100
PS-305	Indian Government and Politics	Elective Course – Inter-Disciplinary	70	30	100
	Total Marks of Semester IV				500

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**POLITICAL SCIENCE**  
**M.A – I**  
**I<sup>st</sup> Semester**  
Course Code : 101

Total Credit : 05 (90 Hours)  
Attendance : 10 Marks  
Exercise Work : 10 Marks  
Seminar : 10 Marks

Total Marks: 100  
(70+30)

**Paper I- History of Ancient Political Thought**

**Course Objective :**

The main objective of this course is to get acquainted with the most important texts of Ancient Greek philosophy, to learn how to read and interpret them, and finally, to understand the conceptual framework and particular categories conveying the fundamental ideas of Greek and Indian philosophers.

**Unit- I :**  
The Greek political tradition: Basic features and philosophical presumptions.  
12+6 Hours (01 Credit)

**Unit-II :**  
The Concept : Hierarchy, order, nature and Convention, Socrates and Sophists.  
12+6 Hours (01 Credit)

**Unit-III :**  
Plato, Aristotle, Epicureans and the Stoics, Cicero. 12+6 Hours (01 Credit)

**Unit-IV :**  
The Ancient Indian political tradition, sources, features and school of thought, Vedanta and Buddhist political thought.  
12+6 Hours (01 Credit)

**Unit-V :**  
Manu and Kautilya. 12+6 Hours (01 Credit)

**RECOMMENDED READINGS:-**

1. History of Political Theory : Sabine
2. Teach yourself Political thought : C.L Waper (both Hindi & English)
3. Pratinidhi Rajneetik Vicharak : B.K Jha (In Hindi)
4. Contemporary Political Thinkers : B.Parikh
5. Ancient Indian Political Thought : V.P Verma
6. Foundation Of Indian Political Thought : V.R Mehta
7. Greek Political Theory : Plato and his Predecessors: E.Barker
8. History of Political Theories : W.A. Dunning
9. History of Ancient Political Thought (Hindi) Prof. S.P.M. Tripathi, Dr. R. K. Pandey

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