



B.A. LL.B. (5 YEAR) COURSE

SYLLABUS AT A GLANCE

Semester - IV

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Political Science Paper IV 04 100

Political Science Paper V 04 100

English III 04 100

Family Law II 04 100

Constitutional Law I 04 100

SEMESTER – IV
POLITICAL SCIENCE
PAPER – IV

OBJECTIVE OF THE COURSE: Political System and Legal system both have to function in tandem with the Constitution. In this module the students are taught the relationship between the political systems of a country with its Constitution.

Marks – 100 (Written – 80 + Project-20)

Credit-04

POLITICAL SCIENCE AND THE STUDY OF INDIAN CONSTITUTION

MODULE – I : Making of the Indian Constitution

MODULE – II : Preamble

MODULE – III : Nature of Indian Government

MODULE – IV : Fundamentals Rights

MODULE – V : Directive Principles of State Policy

MODULE – VI : Fundamental Duties

MODULE – VII: Centre-State Relationship

MODULE – VIII : Indian Parliament and State Legislatures

MODULE – IX : President of Indian : Powers; Functions and position

MODULE – X : Prime Minister of India : Power; Functions and Position

MODULE – XI : Governor: Powers; Functions and Positions

MODULE – XII : Chief Minister : Powers; Functions and Position

MODULE – XIII : Supreme Court

MODULE – XIV : High Court

MODULE – XV : Amendment

RECOMMENDED READINGS :

***** Only current editions are to be read.

1. An Introduction to the Constitution

of India -D.D. Basu, Prentice Hall, New Delhi

2. the Indian Constitutions: Corner

stone of a Nation - G. Austin, Oxford University Press

3. The Indian Supreme Court & Politics -U. Baxi, Eastern Book Company.

4. Fundamental Rights & Socio Economic -M.P. Kishna Shetty, Chaitanya Publishing
Justice in the Indian Constitution House.

5. Constitutional Question in India: The -A.G. Noorani, OXFORD University Press
President, Parliament and the State

6. The President under the Indian Constitution - K.M. Munshi, Bharatiya Vidya

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POLITICAL SCIENCE

PAPER- V

OBJECTIVE OF THE COURSE: Political System and Legal System both have an important role and function to play in governance. In this module the students are taught the relationship between the political systems of a country and its governance.

Marks – 100 (Written – 80 + Project-20)

Credit-04

STUDY OF INDIAN GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS

MODULE – I : Election : Composition and function of Election Commission

MODULE – II : Voting behaviour

MODULE – III : Indian Party System

MODULE – IV : Pressure groups in India

MODULE – V : Coalition Government

MODULE – VI : Regionalism : Caste and Linguistic Politics

MODULE – VII : Secularism

MODULE – VIII : Corruption as an Impediment in Indian Politics

MODULE – IX : Criminalization of Politics

MODULE – X : Structure of Panchayat System and the Municipal System

RECOMMENDED READINGS :

***** Only current editions are to be read.

1. Language Conflict & National Development -J. Dasgupta, University of California Press.
2. Government & Politics in India -W.H. Morris Jones, B.I. Publications
3. Election in India: Its Social Basis -N.D. Palmar, K.P. Bagchi
4. Coalition Politics in India -N.C. Sahni, New Academic Publishing Company
5. Dynamics of Indian Government and Politics -J.R. Siwarch, Sterling Publishers
6. New Indian Foreign Policy -J. Bondhopadhaya

ENGLISH

PAPER- III

OBJECTIVE OF THE COURSE: The English course will bring about a diversion from the somber study of law. However, this module will also demonstrate how literature highlights social issues that needed rectifications and the attention of law.

Marks – 100 (Written – 80 + Project-20)

Credit-04

MODULE – I: Poetry

Christabel' (Part –I) S.T. Coleridge

Stopping by the Woods on a Snowy Evening' Robert Frost:

The Captive Micheal Madhusudan Dutta

Introduction Kamala Das

RECOMMENDED READINGS :

***** All books are to be read in current edition.

1. Bloom, Harold. The Visionary Company: A Reading of English Romantic Poetry, Ithaca & London: Cornell University Press.
2. Iyenger, K.R. Srinivasa. Indian Writing in English, Sterling Publishers
3. O'Neill, Micheal and Mahoney, Charles (eds). Romantic Poetry: An Annotated Anthology, New York : Blackwell.

MODULE – II: Play

John Galsworthy : Justice

RECOMMENDED READINGS :

***** All books are to be read in current edition.

1. Dickinson, Thomas Herbert. The Contemporary Drama of Engalnd, London: Little Brown & Co.
2. Galsworthy, John. Justice: A Tragedy in Four Acts, New York: Unversity of Michigan, C. Scribner's Sons
3. Phelps, William Lyon. The Twentieth Century Theatre. Charleston, SC: Biblio Bazaar, LLC.
4. Shanmugakani, A.(ed) Galsworthy's Justice, Calcutta: Macmillan.
5. Sternlicht, Sanford V. John Galsworthy, New York: Twayne Publishers.

MODULE –III: Essay

1. Francis Bacon: 'Of Judicature'
2. H.A. Hill : 'The Principles of Good Writing'

RECOMMENDED READINGS :

***** All books are to be read in current edition.

1. Howe, Fred Allison. The Essays or Counsels Civil and Moral of Francis Bacon,

London, D.C. Health & Company

2. Thorpe, Michael (ed.) Modern Prose, Calcutta: Oxford University Press

3. Chaudhuri, Sukanta (ed.) Bacon's Essays, Kolkata: Oxford University Press

MODULE – IV : Novel

(i) Arundhati Roy: The God of Small Things.

Suggested Readings:

1. Dodiya, Jaydipsinh and Chakravarty, Joya (eds.) The Critical Studies of Arundhati Roy's "The God of Small Things", New Delhi: Atlantic Publishers

2. Piciucco, Pier Paolo. A Companion to Indian Fiction in English, New Delhi: Atlantic Publishers

3. Prasad, Amar Nth. Arundhati Roy's "The God of Small Things": A Critical Appraisal, New Delhi: Sarup & Sons

4. Sharma, R.S. and Talwar, Shashi Bala. Arundhati Roy's "The God of Small Things": Critique and Commentary, New Delhi: Creative Books.

5. Surendran, K.V. "The God of Small Things": A Saga of Lost Dreams, New Delhi: Atlantic Publishers.

6. Tickell, Alex. Arundhati Roy's "The God of Small Things" Routledge

7. Van Ghent, Dorothy. The English Novel: Form and Function, New York : Holt, Rinehart and Winston.

FAMILY LAW – II

OBJECTIVE OF THE COURSE : In India as the students in the previous semester, the law of family is heavily influenced by religion. In this module the students will be introduced to Family Law influence by Islam.

Marks – 100 (Written – 80 + Project – 20)

Credit : 04

MODULE – I: Introduction – nature , Origin, Philosophy, Concept and Application of Mohammedan Law

MODULE – II: Sources of Mohammedan Law

MODULE – III: Schools of Mohammedan Law

MODULE – IV: Marriage

MODULE – V: Dower

MODULE – VI: Talaq, Divorce under the Dissolution of Muslim Marriage Act, 1939

MODULE – VII: Maintenance : under customary law and under the Muslim Women (Protection of Right on Divorce) Act, 1986 and Section 125 to 128 of the Code of criminal Procedure, 1973.

MODULE – VIII: Acknowledgement

MODULE – IX: Guardianship

MODULE – X: Gift

MODULE – XI: Wills

MODULE – XII: Pre –emption

MODULE – XIII: Succession and Inheritance: General Principles, Hanafi and Shia Law

MODULE – XIV: The Divorce Act, 1869- Sections 1 to 62

MODULE – XV: The Indian Succession Act, 1925 – Applicability, Intestate Succession (Section 29 to 56), Succession Certificate (Section 370 to 390).

******* Students are expected to read current case laws. Only the current enactments and enactments as a amended up to date will be taught.**

RECOMMENDED READINGS :

***** Only current editions are to be read.

1. Mulla's Principles of Mahomedan Law
2. Fyzee-Outlines of Muhammadan Law
3. Ameer Ali- Muhammanan Law
4. Tahir Mahmood- Muslim Law
5. Aquil Ahmed – Muhammadan Law
6. S.A. Kader- Muslim Law of Marriage and Succession in India
7. B.B. Mitra – Inidan Succession Act
8. N.D. Basu – Succession Act

CONSTITUTIONAL LAW OF INDIA – I

OBJECTIVE OF THE COURSE : Constitution is the foundation of a nation and fountain head of all laws. This module introduces the students to the characteristics of the constitution and the fundamental rights that are enshrined in the constitution.

Marks – 100 (Written – 80 + Project – 20)

Credit : 04

MODULE – I : Constitutional Developments since 1858-1947

MODULE – II : Characteristics of Indian Constitution

MODULE – III : Definition of the State- Laws inconsistent with or inderogation of the Fundamental Rights

MODULE – IV : Fundamentals Rights – Right to Equality – Right to freedom of Speech and Expression- Right to life and Personal Liberty- Right Against Exploitation- Right to Religion- Cultural and Educational Rights- Right to Constitutional Remedies- Relationship between Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy

MODULE – V : The Union Executive – The President: Powers, Functions and Procedure for Impeachment; Council of Ministers and Formation of the Government.

MODULE – VI : The State Executive – the Governor: Powers, Functions and the Role of Governor.

RECOMMENDED READINGS :

******* Only current editions are to be read.**

1. V.N. Shukla, Constitutional Law
2. Pandey J.N., Constitutional Law
3. Basu D.D., Constitution of India
4. Jain M.P., Indian Constitutional Law
5. Seeravai. H.M., Constitution of India
6. Kagzi M.C.J., Constitution of India