

GOVERNMENT DEGREE COLLEGE RAYACHOTY

(Affiliated to Yogi (Vemana University)
Chittoor Road, Rayachoty, Annamiah (Dist.)
Accredited by NAAC With "C" Grade

**DEPARTMENT
OF
POLITICAL
SCIENCE**

POLITICAL SCIENCE COURSE OUTCOMES

BA POLITICAL SCIENCE

FIRST YEAR

Course-1: INTRODUCTION TO POLITICAL SCIENCE

Learning Outcomes:

On successful completion of the course the students will be able to;

- Recall the previous knowledge about Political Science and understand the nature and scope, traditional and modern approaches of Political Science.
- Understand concepts intrinsic to the study of Political Science.
- Have solid theoretical understanding of Rights and its theories along with the basic aspects of certain political ideologies.
- Apply the knowledge to observe the field level phenomena

Course-2: BASIC ORGANS OF THE GOVERNMENT

Learning Outcomes:

On successful completion of the course the students will be able to:

- Understand the Origin and Evolution of the concept of Constitutionalism and classification of Constitutions.
- Acquaint themselves with different theories of origin of State.
- Understand and analyses organs and forms of Governments along with a deep insight into the various agents involved in the political process.
- Apply the knowledge to analyses and evaluate the existing systems

B.A POLITICAL SCIENCE

SECOND YEAR

Course-3: INDIAN GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS

Learning Outcomes:

On successful completion of the course the students will be able to:

- Acquire knowledge about the historical background of Constitutional development in India, appreciate philosophical foundations and salient features of the Indian Constitution.
- Analyze the relationship between State and individual in terms of Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy.
- Understand the composition of and functioning of Union Government as well as State Government and finally
- Acquaint themselves with the judicial system of the country and its emerging trends such as judicial reforms.

Course-4: INDIAN POLITICAL PROCESS

Learning Outcomes:

On successful completion of the course the students will be able to:

- Know and understand the federal system of the country and some of the vital contemporary emerging issues.
- Evaluate the electoral system of the country and to identify the areas of electoral reforms.
- Know the constitutional base and functioning of local governments with special emphasis on 73rd & 74th Constitutional Amendment Acts.
- Understand the dynamics of Indian politics, challenges faced and gain a sensitive comprehension to the contributing factors.
- Apply the knowledge and critically comprehend the functioning of some of the regulatory and governance institutions.
- Propose theoretical outline alternate models

Course 5: WESTERN POLITICAL THOUGHT

Learning Outcomes:

On successful completion of the course the students will be able to:

- Understand the fundamental contours classical, western political philosophy, basic features of medieval political thought and shift from medieval to modern era.
- Understand the Social Contract Theory and appreciate its implications on the perception of State in terms of its purposes and role.
- Acquaint with the Liberal and Marxist philosophy and analyze some trends in Western Political Thought.
- Critically analyses the evolution of western political thought

Four - Year B.A. (Hons)
Domain Subject: POLITICAL SCIENCE
IV Year B. A. (Hons) – Semester – V

Course 6 D: ELECTORAL POLITICS AND VOTING BEHAVIOUR (Skill Enhancement Course (Elective), 4 credits)

Learning Outcomes:

Students at the successful completion of the course will be able to;

- Acquaint student with the structure and manner of functioning of Election Commission of India.
- Understand the political issues in Electoral Politics.
- Provide an overview on voter turnout, voting behavior in India.
- Aware of the role of new media and technology in election campaign.
- Develop an understanding of the required skills for data collection, research in election management

Course 7 D: LEGISLATIVE PROCEDURES AND PRACTICES (Skill Enhancement Course (Elective), 4 credits)

Learning Outcomes:

Students at the successful completion of the course will be able to;

6. Make familiar with legislative procedures and practices.
7. Equip the students with the adequate skills of participation in deliberative processes and democratic decision making.
8. Understand complex policy issues, draft new legislation, analyze ongoing bills, make speeches and floor statements.
9. Provide skills to be part of a legislative support team and expose them to real life legislative work.
10. Enhance understanding of procedures, practices, different committees and motions in the House.

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Minor Program: Political Science

1. Fundamentals of Political Science

Learning Outcomes:

On successful completion of the course the students will be able to:

- Learn nature, importance, and relationship with other social sciences.
- Understand the traditional and modern approaches.
- Know the origin and evolution of the state.
- Comprehend the development of social contract theory.
- Understand the birth of modern state

2. Indian Constitution

Learning Outcomes:

On successful completion of the course the students will be able to:

- Know the origin and evolution of the Constitution.
- Understand of Constitutional Development of India.
- Comprehend the feature of Indian Constitution.
- Identify the rights and duties. • Understanding the notion of theory of basic structure.

3. Indian Government

Learning Outcomes:

On successful completion of the course the students will be able to:

- Know the President and Parliament of India.
- Understand the Prime Minister & Council of Ministers.
- Assess the Governor and his role.
- Reflect the role of Chief Minister and Council of Ministers.
- Judge the role of Judiciary

4. Dynamics of Indian Political System

Learning Outcomes:

On successful completion of the course the students will be able to:

- Know the social dynamics of India.
- Understand the political dynamics.
- Measure the regulatory institutions in India.
- Acquaint with the governing mechanisms.
- Learn the role of Civil Services

5. E GOVERNANCE

Learning Outcomes:

Students at the successful completion of the course will be able to:

- Acquaint student with the introduction to good governance and how it can be achieved by information and communication technology.
- Understand the growing needs of E-Governance, improving transparency in the system of governance
- Have understanding of various government schemes and E-Governance projects and initiatives.
- Provide the practical knowledge about the effective delivery of citizen services through online mode.
- Realize the issues and challenges of E-Governance.

5. Local Administration

Learning Outcomes:

Students at the successful completion of the course will be able to;

- Understand the existing context of Local Government Institutions in India.
- Have knowledge on the need of empowerment and autonomy of LGIs.
- Provide an overview on financial resources and constitutional provisions.
- Analyses the issues, problems and conflicts in Local Administration.
- Develop communication skills to interact with the elected members and officials.
- Enhance skills for observation, organizing, networking, documentation.