



# UNIVERSITY OF JAMMU

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Baba Sahib Ambedkar Road, Jammu-180006 (J&K)

## NOTIFICATION

(21/July/Adp/05)

It is hereby notified for the information of all concerned that the Vice-Chancellor, in anticipation of the approval of the Academic Council, is pleased to authorize the adoption of the revised Syllabi and Courses of Study in the subject of **Political Science** for semesters Ist to VIth under the **(Non-CBCS Scheme)** at **Undergraduate level (as given in the Annexure)** for the **Candidates of DDE** for the examinations to be held in the years indicated against each semester as under:-

<b>Subject</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>For the examinations to be held in the year</b>
<b>Political Science</b>	Semester-I	December 2022, 2023 and 2024
	Semester-II	May 2023, 2024 and 2025
	Semester-III	December 2023, 2024 and 2025
	Semester-IV	May 2024, 2025 and 2026
	Semester-V	December 2024, 2025 and 2026
	Semester-VI	May 2025, 2026 and 2027

The Syllabi of the courses is also available on the University website: [www.jammuuniversity.ac.in](http://www.jammuuniversity.ac.in).

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# **Learning Outcomes Based Curriculum (LOBC)**

**Bachelor of Arts (General)**

**Political Science**

**Non Choice Based Credit System (Non-CBCS)**

**for DDE /Offsite Campuses/Private candidates**

**2022-2027**

**Department of Political Science**

**University of Jammu**

**Jammu-180006**

## **About the Curriculum**

The Learning Outcomes Based Curriculum (LOBC) for B.A. Political Science (General) aims to equip learners with the necessary theoretical and conceptual knowledge, operational understanding and skills relevant for the functioning of State at the local, national and global levels. It is designed to educate them about the evolution of ideas, institutions, structures, processes, principles and contexts that constitute the subject matter of the discipline. The LOBC aims to teach the inter-disciplinary and comparative, analytical and critical skills to develop comprehensive understanding about the subject. The curriculum has been framed keeping in view the evolving dynamics of discipline in the light of the changing national and international scenario. It comprises the core courses, discipline specific elective courses, skill enhancement courses and generic courses as per the instructions of the University Grants Commission and University of Jammu.

The LOBC requires that while framing an academic programme, desirable learning outcomes need to be articulated clearly. The teaching, learning and assessment activities are designed to achieve the desired learning outcomes which are spelled-out in terms of conceptual knowledge, theoretical orientation, critical thinking, analytical ability, inter-disciplinary, comparative methods, communication and problem solving skills. In the mid-stream and at the end of each semester, assessment of each course is done to determine whether the desired learning outcomes are being realized. The assessment provides feedback to ensure that teaching and learning environment are compatible with desired outcomes.

## **Overall Learning Objectives and Outcomes**

- The students graduating with this subject will acquire sufficient theoretical and conceptual knowledge to realize the worth of their degrees in the highly competitive job-market.
- They will acquire skills to understand, contemplate, comprehend and to reflect upon political, social and economic phenomena prevailing at the micro and macro levels after completing graduation.
- The knowledge and skills obtained after completing this course will be compatible with the national and international standards and thereby empower them to compete at the national and global levels for employability and mobility.
- The understanding developed and skills acquired thereof while studying this subject in the graduate programme will enable the learners to confidently appear and pass the competitive examinations to be conducted for the provincial and union civil services.

## Course Scheme

Course Scheme of the subject of Political Science for the Degree of Bachelor of Arts (BA) under Non-Choice Based Credit System (Non-CBCS) for the DDE/Offsite Campuses/Private candidates for academic sessions 2022-2027, the following courses of studies are prescribed for the B. A. students in the subject of Political Science from First Semester to Sixth Semester:

<b>Sem.</b>	<b>Course Code</b>	<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Nature of Course</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Max. Marks</b>	<b>Percent -age of Change</b>
I	PS-101	Introduction to Political Science	Core Course	6	100	25%
II	PS-201	Indian Government and Politics	Core Course	6	100	20%
III	PS-301	Western Political Thought	Core Course	6	100	25%
IV	PS-401	Comparative Politics	Core Course	6	100	25%
V	PS-501	International Politics	Core Course	6	100	25%
VI	PS-601	Government and Politics in Jammu and Kashmir	Core Course	6	100	20%

**B. A. Political Science under Non-CBCS  
Semester-1**

**Session December 2022, 2023 & 2024**

**Course Code: PS-101 (Core Course)  
Title – Introduction to Political Science**

**Credits: 6 (Six)**

**Max. Marks: 100**

**Internal Assessment: 20**

**Time: 3 Hours**

**External Exam: 80**

**Objectives and Learning Outcomes:** This course aims to impart knowledge about the fundamentals of Political Science. It intends to introduce the learners with the subject matter of the discipline ranging from substance to methodology. The course is designed to introduce the learners with the institution of State, the philosophies that shaped it, instrument and bases of its authority and its relations with individuals. It enables the learners to develop understanding about the subject matter of discipline by approaching it through various traditional and modern approaches. It empowers them to learn the evolution of discipline through various phases and stages.

**Course Contents**

**Unit-I: Political Theory and Political Science**

- 1.1 Introduction to Political Science, Politics and Political Theory
- 1.2 Nature and Scope of Political Science
- 1.3 Traditional Approaches: Philosophical, Historical, Legal and Institutional
- 1.4 Modern Approaches: Behavioural and System

**Unit-II: State: Origin and Nature**

- 2.1 Meaning and Elements of State: Difference between State, Society and Nation
- 2.2 Theories of Origin of State: Divine, Historical/Evolutionary and Social Contract
- 2.3 Theories of Nature of State: Organic, Liberal and Marxist
- 2.4 Sovereignty and its Theories: Austin's Theory and Pluralistic Theory

**Unit-III: Basic Concepts**

- 3.1 Rights and Justice: Liberal and Marxist Perspectives
- 3.2 Liberty and Equality
- 3.3 Power, Authority and Legitimacy
- 3.4 Democracy: Meaning, Evolution and Types

**Unit-IV: Major Ideologies**

- 4.1 Liberalism: Classical, Modern and Contemporary
- 4.2 Socialism: Evolutionary (Fabian) and Revolutionary (Marxist)
- 4.3 Secularism: Western and Indian Perspectives
- 4.4 Feminism: Meaning and Issues

**B. A. Political Science under Non-CBCS (Semester-1) Session December 2022, 2023 & 2024**  
**Course Code: PS-101-Introduction to Political Science (Core Course)**

### **Note for Paper Setter**

**External Examination:** The question paper will be divided into two sections. **Section-1:** It will carry 20 marks. There will be total 08 short answer type questions in this section. The students will attempt any four questions with an upper limit of 250 words in every answer. Each question will be of 5 Marks. **Section-II:** It will consist of 08 long answer type questions of which students will attempt 04 questions by selecting one question from each unit. The upper limit for the answer of each question will be 750-850 words and each question will be of 15 marks.

**Internal Assessment:** Internal Assessment will carry 20 marks which will consist of two parts. The part one is of Class Test which will carry 10 marks and the second the part will carry two written assignments that will carry 10 marks (05 marks for each assignment).

### **Suggested Readings**

Aggarwal, R.C. *Political Theory*, New Delhi: S. Anand, 2004

Heywood, Andrew, *Political Ideologies: An Introduction*, New York: Palgrave, 1992

Jain M.P, *Political Theory*, Delhi: Guild, 1989

Joad, C. E. M., *Modern Political Theory*, Oxford: Clarendon Press, 1924

Kapoor, A.C., *Principles of Political Science*, New Delhi: Sterling Publishers, 1985

Laski, Harold, *Grammar of Politics*, Michigan: Yale University Press, 1925

Ray, Amal and Mohit A. Bhattacharya, *Political Theory: Ideas and Institutions*, New Delhi: Eastern Publishers, 1962.

Vermani, R.C., *An Introduction to Political Theory*, New Delhi: Gitanjali Publishing House, 2001

Dadhich, Naresh, *Cotemporary Political Theory*, Jaipur: Rawat Publication, 2019.

Abbas, Hoveyda, and Kumar Ranajay, *Political Theory*, Noida: Pearson Publishers 2012

Geoghegan, Vincent and Wilford, Rick, *Political Ideologies- An Introduction*, New York: Routledge, 2014.

**B. A. Political Science under Non-CBCS**  
**Semester-II**  
**Session May 2023, 2024 & 2025**  
**Course Code: PS-201(Core Course)**

**Title – Indian Government and Politics**

**Credits: 6 (Six)**

**Max. Marks: 100**

**Internal Assessment: 20**

**Time: 3 Hours**

**External Exam: 80**

**Objectives and Learning Outcomes:** This course is designed to educate about the theoretical and operational aspects of Indian Polity that affects the life and carrier of the learners. It educates them about their entitlements and obligations towards state. It equips the learners with knowledge and methods to claim their entitlements from the state and performs obligations towards it. It enables the learners to grasp that how the politics is being shaped by the various structures and processes in India.

**Content of Course**

**Unit-1: Introduction to Indian Constitution**

- 1.1 Indian Constitution: Evolution, Ideology and Features
- 1.2 Indian Federalism: Structure, Nature and Emerging Trends
- 1.3 Fundamental Rights, Directive Principles of State Policy and Fundamental Duties
- 1.4 Amendment of Constitution: Provisions and Procedure

**Unit-II Government: Structures and Functions**

- 2.1 Indian Parliament: Composition, Powers and Legislative Procedure
- 2.2 President: Powers, Position and Role
- 2.3 Prime Minister and Council of Ministers: Powers, Position and Role
- 2.4 Supreme Court of India: Functions, Jurisdictions and Judicial Activism

**Unit-III Political Processes**

- 3.1 Electoral System & Electoral Reforms: Election Commission-Composition, Powers and Role
- 3.2 Party System in India: One Party Dominant System, Multiparty and Re-emergence of One Party Dominant System
- 3.3 Coalition Politics: Nature Trends and Prospects
- 3.4 Ideology, Support base and Electoral Performance of National Parties: INC, BJP and Communist Parties

**Unit-IV Major Political Issues**

- 4.1 Politics of Ethnicity and Identity
- 4.2 Caste in Indian Politics: Patterns of Mobilization
- 4.3 Religion and Electoral Politics
- 4.4 Regionalism: Causes, Impact and the Role of Regional Parties (DMK, SAD and TMC)

**B. A. Political Science under Non-CBCS (Semester-II) Session May 2023, 2024 & 2025**  
**Course Code: PS-201-Indian Government and Politics (Core Course)**

**Note for Paper Setter**

**External Examination:** The question paper will be divided into two sections. **Section-1:** It will carry 20 marks. There will be total 08 short answer type questions in this section. The students will attempt any four questions with an upper limit of 250 words in every answer. Each question will be of 5 Marks. **Section-II:** It will consist of 08 long answer type questions of which students will attempt 04 questions by selecting one question from each unit. The upper limit for the answer of each question will be 750-850 words and each question will be of 15 marks.

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**Suggested Readings**

- Basu D. D., *Introduction to Constitution of India*, New Delhi: Wadhwa Publishers, 2001
- Bhardwaj, H.P., *Politics, Religion and Judiciary in India*, New Delhi: Har-Anand Pub., 2019
- Brass, Paul, *Ethnicity and Nationalism: Theory and Comparison*, New Delhi: Sage, 1991
- Chandra, Bipin, *India After Independence*, Penguin, New Delhi, 2000
- , *Nationalism and Colonialism in Modern India*, New Delhi: Orient Longman, 1979
- Chatterjee, Partha, *State and Politics in India*, New Delhi: OUP, 1999
- Chauhan & Vasudeva, *Coalition Government in India*, New Delhi: OUP, 2013
- Chibber, Pradeep, K and Verma, Rahul, *Ideology and Identity: The Changing Party Systems of India*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, 2018.
- Choudhary, Sujit (et.al.), *The Oxford Handbook of the Indian Constitution*, OUP, New Delhi, 2016
- Fadia, B. L., *Government and Politics*, Agra : Sahitya Bhawan, 2008
- Hasan, Zoya, *Politics and the State in India*, New Delhi: Sage Publications, 2000
- Jayal, Nirja, Gopal and Mehta, Bhanu, Pratap, *The Oxford Companion to Politics in India*, New Delhi: OUP, 2017
- Kaviraj, Sudipta, *Politics in India*, Delhi: Orient Langman, 1979



**B. A. Political Science under Non-CBCS (Semester-II) Session May 2023, 2024 & 2025**  
**Course Code: PS-201-Indian Government and Politics (Core Course)**

Kapur, Devesh and Vaishnav, Milan, *Costs of Democracy: Political Finance in India*, New Delhi: Oxford University press, 2018.

Kohli, Atul and Singh, Prerna, *Routledge Handbook of Indian Politics*, New York: Routledge, 2016

Mahajan, Gurpreet, *Democracy, Differences and Social Justice*, New Delhi: OUP, 1998

Narang, A. S, *Indian Government and Politics*, NewDelhi: Gitanjali Publications, 2000

Pai, Sudha and Kumar, Sajjan, *Everyday Communalism: Riots in Contemporary Uttar Pradesh*, New Delhi: Oxford University Press, 2019.

Upadhyay, Devendra (ed), *The Handbook of Indian Judiciary: Development of Law, Struggle and Change*, New Delhi: Integrity Media, 2019.

**B. A. Political Science under Non-CBCS  
Semester-III**

**Session December 2023, 2024 & 2025**

**Course Code: PS-301(Core Course)**

**Title – Western Political Thought**

**Credits: 6 (Six)**

**Max. Marks: 100**

**Internal Assessment: 20**

**Time: 3 Hours**

**External Exam: 80**

**Objectives and Learning Outcomes:** It introduces the students with the classic works of political philosophers. It also explores the relationship between the State and its subjects/citizens. The equation and relations between the State and Church have been examined and theorized in the works of political philosophers. It intends to describe the impact of renaissance and reformation movements on the state and political philosophy thereof. This course empowers the learners to trace the origin of state and its evolving dynamics through Ancient, Medieval and Modern periods. It enables them to grasp the social universe of state and political philosophy that shaped it through the various phases and stages of history.

**Unit-I: Plato and Aristotle (427 B.C.– 347 B.C.)**

- 1.1 Plato: Concept of Justice and Education
- 1.2 Plato: Concept of Communism and Ideal State
- 1.3 Aristotle: Classification of Government and Best Practicable State
- 1.4 Aristotle: Concept of Family and Slavery

**Unit-II: Augustine and Thomas Aquinas (384B.C.–322B.C.)**

- 2.1 Augustine: The City of God and the Earthly State, Justice
- 2.2 Augustine: Peace, Property and Slavery
- 2.3 Thomas Aquinas: Synthesis of Christianity
- 2.4 Thomas Aquinas: Theory of Law and Church-State Relationship

**Unit-III: Machiavelli and Montesquieu (1469-1527A.D.)**

- 3.1 Machiavelli: Impact of Renaissance and views on Public Morality
- 3.2 Machiavelli: Views on Human Nature and Statecraft
- 3.3 Montesquieu: Forms of State and Causes of Revolution
- 3.4 Montesquieu: Liberty and Separation of Powers

**Unit-IV: John Stuart Mill and Karl Marx (1806–1873)**

- 4.1 J. S. Mill: Liberty of Thought, Expression and Action
- 4.2 J. S. Mill: Views on Representative Democracy and Gender Equality
- 4.3 Karl Marx: Dialectical Materialism and Historical Materialism
- 4.4 Karl Marx: Class Struggle and Revolution

**B. A. Political Science under Non-CBCS (Semester-III) Session December 2023, 2024 & 2025**  
**Course Code: PS-301-Western Political Thought (Core Course)**

**Note for Paper Setter**

**External Examination:** The question paper will be divided into two sections. **Section-1:** It will carry 20 marks. There will be total 08 short answer type questions in this section. The students will attempt any four questions with an upper limit of 250 words in every answer. Each question will be of 5 Marks. **Section-II:** It will consist of 08 long answer type questions of which students will attempt 04 questions by selecting one question from each unit. The upper limit for the answer of each question will be 750-850 words and each question will be of 15 marks.

**Internal Assessment:** Internal Assessment will carry 20 marks which will consist of two parts. The part one is of Class Test which will carry 10 marks and the second part will carry two written assignments that will carry 10 marks (05 marks for each assignment).

**Suggested Readings**

Annas, J, *An Introduction to Plato's Republic*, Oxford: Clarendon Press, 1981

Aristotle, *The Politics*, Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1982

Brian, Nelson, *Western Political Thought*, Pearson, New Delhi, 2006

Barker, Ernest, *The Political Thought of Plato and Aristotle*, London: Methuen, 1906

Sabine, George and Thomas L. Thorson, *A History of Political Theory*, New Delhi: OUP & IBH, 1973

Jones, W. T., *Master of Political Thought: Machiavelli to Bentham*: Boston: Houghton Mifflin, 1947

Ten, C. L., *Mill on Liberty*, Oxford: Clarendon Press, 1980

Wayper, C. L., *Teach Yourself Political Thought*, Delhi: Surjeet Publications, 2007

Boucher, David, and Kelly, Paul, *Political Thinkers from Socrates to the Present*, New Delhi: OUP, 2009

Plant, Raymond, *Modern Political Thought*, Jaipur: Rawat Publications, 2019

**B. A. Political Science under Non-CBCS  
Semester-IV  
Session May 2024, 2025 & 2026**

**Course Code: PS-401(Core Course)**

**Title-Comparative Politics**

**Credits: 6 (Six)**

**Max. Marks: 100**

**Internal Assessment: 20**

**Time: 3 Hours**

**External Exam: 80**

**Objectives and Learning Outcomes:** This course explores the utility of comparative methods to understand political phenomena. It teaches the students to compare and contrast the political structures and processes in the politics of different nations to grasp them in their entirety. The students learn the methods and tools used in the comparative politics to understand political phenomena properly. It enables learners to acquire theoretical knowledge to put facts into a theoretical thread by comparing and contrasting them.

**Unit-I: Comparative Politics**

- 1.1 Comparative Politics: Meaning, Nature and Scope
- 1.2 Distinction Between Comparative Government and Comparative Politics
- 1.3 System Approach (David Easton) and Structural Functional (Gabriel Almond)
- 1.4 Political Economy and Dependency Approach (A.G Frank)

**Unit-II: Political Processes and Political Development**

- 2.1 Political Culture: Meaning, Types and Determinants
- 2.2 Political Participation: Meaning, Types and Determinants
- 2.3 Political Socialization: Meaning and Agents
- 2.4 Conceptualization of Political Development (Lucian Pye and S. P. Huntington)

**Unit-III: Political Dynamics: Democracy, Electoral Process and Party System**

- 3.1 Theories of Democracy: Elitist and Pluralist
- 3.2 Theories of Representation: Territorial, Proportional and Functional
- 3.3 Party System: One Party, Bi-Party and Multi-Party
- 3.4 Features of Authoritarianism, Electoral Authoritarianism and Democratic Regimes

**Unit-IV: Emerging Issues in Comparative Politics**

- 4.1 Globalization and Nation-State
- 4.2 Gender in Politics: Welfare to Empowerment
- 4.3 Climate Change: A Comparative Perspective of North and South
- 4.4 Social Movements: Old and New

**B. A. Political Science under Non-CBCS (Semester-IV) Session May 2024, 2025 & 2026**  
**Course Code: PS-401-Comparative Politics (Core Course)**

**Note for Paper Setter**

**External Examination: The question paper will be divided into two sections.**

**Section-1:** It will carry 20 marks. There will be total 08 short answer type questions in this section. The students will attempt any four questions with an upper limit of 250 words in every answer. Each question will be of 5 Marks. **Section-II:** It will consists of 08 long answer type questions of which students will attempt 04 questions by selecting one question from each unit. The upper limit for the answer of each question will be 750-850 words and each question will be of 15 marks.

**Internal Assessment:** Internal Assessment will carry 20 marks which will consist of two parts. The part one is of Class Test which will carry 10 marks and the second the part will carry two written assignments that will carry 10 marks (05 marks for each assignment).

**Suggested Readings**

Almond, Gabriel, (et.al.), *Comparative Politics Today*, New Delhi: Pearson, 2006

Biswal, Tapan, (et. al.), *Comparative Politics- Institutions and Processes*, New Delhi: Macmillan, 2013

Caramani Daniele, *Comparative Politics*, Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2017

Chilcote, Ronald H., *Theories for a Comparative Politics: The Search for a Paradigm*, Boulder & Colorado: Westview Press, 1981.

Dubash, NAVroz, K. (ed.), *Handbook of Climate Change and India- Development, Politics and Governance*, New Delhi: OUP, 2012

Goodhart, Michael, *Human Rights- Politics and Practice*, London: OUP, 2013

Hague, R., Haroop M. and Breslin, S., *Comparative Government and Politics- Introduction*, London: Macmillan, 1993

Mukherjee, Subrata & Ramaswamy, *Theoretical Foundations of Comparative Politics*, New Delhi: Orient Blackswan, 2017

Stiglitz, Joseph, E., *Globalization and Its Discontents*, New York: W.W. Norton, 2002

Ray, S. N., *Modern Comparative Politics- Approaches, Methods and Issues*, New Delhi: Prentice Hall, 2006

**B. A. Political Science under Non-CBCS  
Semester-V**

**Session December 2024, 2025 & 2026  
Course Code: PS-501(Core Course)**

**Title-International Politics**

**Credits: 6 (Six)**

**Max. Marks: 100**

**Internal Assessment: 20**

**Time: 3 Hours**

**External Exam: 80**

**Objectives and Learning Outcomes:** This course imparts theoretical knowledge about the subject matter and tools to understand the international politics. It intends to elucidate the behaviour of State-actors at the global level. It explains that international politics has always been shaped by the behaviour of State actors invariably driven by their national power. It also examines the role of Non-State actors in shaping the dynamics of global politics. This course enables the learners to know how the Nation-States serve their national interest through their foreign policies by deploying a variety of tools such as diplomacy, alliance, aid and at times war. It also familiarizes them that how the big-powers used imperialism and neo-imperialism to fulfill their aspiration of expansionism.

**Unit-1: Meaning and Approaches**

- 1.1 International Politics: Meaning, Changing Nature and Scope
- 1.2 Idealist (Woodrow Wilson) Feminist Approach
- 1.3 Realist Approach (Hans. J. Morgenthau) and Neo-Realist Approach (Kenneth Waltz)
- 1.4 Liberalism and Neo-Liberalism

**Unit-II: Key Concepts: National Power and National Interest**

- 2.1 National Power: Meaning, Forms and Role
- 2.2 Elements of National Power: Tangible and Intangible
- 2.3 National Interest: Meaning, Nature and Kinds
- 2.4 Foreign Policy: Meaning, Nature and Determinants

**Unit-III: Instruments for Promotion of National Interests**

- 3.1 Diplomacy: Meaning, Types and Difference
- 3.2 Imperialism and Neo-Imperialism: Meaning, Nature and Instruments
- 3.3 Region and Regionalism with special reference to ASEAN, EU and SCO.
- 3.4 War: Meaning, Changing Nature and Consequences

**Unit-IV: Management of Power**

- 4.1 Cold War: Meaning, Causes and Detente
- 4.2 Balance of Power: Meaning, Devices and Contemporary relevance
- 4.3 Collective Security and Collective Defence: Meaning, Distinction and Evaluation
- 4.4 NAM: Meaning, Nature and Contemporary relevance

**B. A. Political Science under Non-CBCS (Semester-V) Session December 2024, 2025 & 2026**  
**Course Code: PS-501-International Politics (Core Course)**

**Note for Paper Setter**

**External Examination:** The question paper will be divided into two sections. **Section-I:** It will carry 20 marks. There will be total 08 short answer type questions in this section. The students will attempt any four questions with an upper limit of 250 words in every answer. Each question will be of 5 Marks. **Section-II:** It will consist of 08 long answer type questions of which students will attempt 04 questions by selecting one question from each unit. The upper limit for the answer of each question will be 750-850 words and each question will be of 15 marks.

**Internal Assessment:** Internal Assessment will carry 20 marks which will consist of two parts. The part one is of Class Test which will carry 10 marks and the second the part will carry two written assignments that will carry 10 marks (05 marks for each assignment).

**Suggested Readings**

Carr, E. H., *International Relational Relations between Two World Wars: 1919-1939*, New York: St. Martin, 1969

Calvocoressi, Peter, *World Politics Since 1945*, London: Longman, 1990

Fleming, D. F., *The Cold War and its Origins: 1917-1960*, London: OUP, 1961

Kegley, C. W. Jr. and E. R. Wittkopf, *World Politics—Trends and Transformations*, New York: St. Martin, 1981

Kumar, Mahendra, *Theoretical Aspects of International Politics*, Agra: Agarwal Publishers, 2001

Morgenthau, Hans J., *Politics Among Nations*, Calcutta, 1985

Palmer, N.D. and H.C. Perkins, *International Relations: The World Community in Transition*, New Delhi: CBS, 1985

Weigall, David, *International Relations*, London: Oxford University Press, 2002

Schieder, Siegfried and Spindler, Manuela, *Theories of International Relations*, New York: Routledge, 2014

Lawson, Stephanie, *International Relations*, Cambridge: Polity Press, 2017

Pease, Kelly-Kate, *International Organizations: Perspectives on Global Governance*, New York: Routledge, 2019.

Weiss, Thomas and Wilkinson, Rorden, *International Organization and Global Governance*, New York: Routledge, 2018.

Lang Jr. Anthony, *International Political Theory- An Introduction*, New York: Palgrave, 2015.

## **B. A. Political Science under Non-CBCS**

**Semester-VI**

**Session May 2025, 2026 & 2027**

**Course Code: PS-601(Core Course)**

**Title-Government and Politics in Jammu & Kashmir**

**Credits: 6 (Six)**

**Max. Marks: 100**

**Internal Assessment: 20**

**Time: 3 Hours**

**External Exam: 80**

**Objectives and Learning Outcomes:** This course aims to educate the learners about their immediate political surrounding which is constituted by the government and politics in Jammu & Kashmir. The course also explains how and why the special status granted to the state of Jammu and Kashmir. It intends to examine the governmental structures provided in the constitution of Jammu and Kashmir. It also familiarizes the learners about the recent change in the status of Jammu & Kashmir from a State to Union territory. While studying this course, the students will learn about the politics in Jammu & Kashmir during the era of its statehood and subsequent its bifurcation and the formation of two Union Territories.

### **Unit-I: Historical and Constitutional Background**

- 1.1 Formation of J. & K: A Historical Perspective
- 1.2 Politico-Administrative Legacies of the Princely State
- 1.3 Political Awakening in Kashmir: Reading Room Group, Muslim Conference and National Conference
- 1.4 Political Awakening in Jammu and Ladakh: Dogra Sadar Sabha, Praja Parishad and Ladakh Buddhist Association (LBA) and Ladakh Muslim Association (LMA)

### **Unit-II: Constitutional Structures**

- 2.1 Instrument of Accession and Integration of State with Indian Union
- 2.2 Special Status: Article 370 and Article 35-A of Indian Constitution and Presidential Orders of 1954 and its Amendments
- 2.3 Jammu and Kashmir Constitution: An Overview
- 2.4 Jammu and Kashmir Constitutional Reorganization Act of August 2019

### **Unit-III: Governmental Structures**

- 3.1 Legislature: Composition, Powers and Functions
- 3.2 Governor: Appointment, Powers and Position (Section 92 of J. & K. Constitution)
- 3.3 Chief Minister and Council of Ministers: Powers and Role
- 3.4 Judicial System: High Court and Subordinate Courts

### **Unit-IV: Representative Politics in Jammu and Kashmir**

- 4.1 National Parties-INC and BJP: Ideology, Organization and Electoral Support Base
- 4.2 Regional Parties-NC, PDP and Panthers: Ideology, Organization, Electoral Support base
- 4.3 Politics of Marginal Groups: Women, Dalits and Tribes
- 4.4 Conflict, Displacement and Resettlement: State Response



**B. A. Political Science under Non-CBCS (Semester-VI) Session May 2025, 2026 & 2027**  
**Course Code: PS-601-Government and Politics in Jammu & Kashmir (Core Course)**

**Note for Paper Setter**

**External Examination:** The question paper will be divided into two sections. **Section-1:** It will carry 20 marks. There will be total 08 short answer type questions in this section. The students will attempt any four questions with an upper limit of 250 words in every answer. Each question will be of 5 Marks. **Section-II:** It will consist of 08 long answer type questions of which students will attempt 04 questions by selecting one question from each unit. The upper limit for the answer of each question will be 750-850 words and each question will be of 15 marks.

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**Suggested Readings**

Bamzai, P. N. K., *The Development of Constitution of Jammu and Kashmir*, Universal Law Agency, New Delhi, 1998

Bazaz, P. N., *Struggle for Freedom in Kashmir*: Delhi: Pamposh Publications, 1954

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