

# **FACULTY OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**

## **SYLLABUS**

**M. P. A. (Music Vocal)  
ID COURSE**

**(SEMESTER: IV)**

**Session 2019-20**



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**Paper: Basic Concepts of Political Science**

**Time: 3 Hours**

**Max. Marks: 50**

**Theory: 40 Marks**

**Internal Assessment: 10 Marks**

**Instructions for the Paper Setter:-**

The question paper consists of Five Sections: A, B, C, D and E. Sections A, B, C and D will have two questions each from Unit- I, II, III and IV of the syllabus, each carrying 6 marks. The students are to attempt one question from each section approximately in 250 words. Section E consists of ten short answer type questions to be set from the entire syllabus. The students are to attempt eight questions in 50 words approximately, each carrying 2 marks.

**UNIT-I**

1. Political Science: Meaning, Traditional and Modern View.
2. Basic Concepts: Rights, Liberty, Equality.

**UNIT-II**

3. State: Meaning and Elements.
4. Negative State and Welfare State (Features, Functions, Significance and Drawbacks).

**UNIT-III**

5. Government: Different organs and their Functions.
6. Types of Government: Parliamentary and Presidential.

**UNIT-IV**

7. Features of Indian Constitution.
8. Features of Indian Federalism.

**Books Recommended:-**

1. A.C. Kapur, *Principles of Political Science*, New Delhi: S. Chand & Company, 2014.
2. B.L. Fadia, *Indian Government and Politics*, Agra: Sahitya Bhavan Publications, 2008.
3. D. D. Basu, *An Introduction to the Constitution of India*, New Delhi: Prentice Hall, 2008
4. G. Austin, *Working of a Democratic Constitution: The Indian Experience*, Delhi: Oxford University Press, 2000.
5. J. C. Johari, *Principles of Political Science*, New Delhi: Sterling Publishers, 2007.
6. M.P. Jain, *Political Theory*, Delhi: Authors Guild Publication, 1989.
7. M.V. Pylee, *Constitutional Government in India*, Bombay: Asia Publishing House, 1977.
8. S.P. Verma, *Political Theory*, New Delhi: Geetanjali Publishing House, 2015.