

Heramba Chandra College

POCO

Department of Political Science (Under CCF, 2022)

Programme Outcome:

PO1: Critical Thinking & Problem-solving: This outcome involves training students to think critically and independently. Critical thinking skills help graduates make informed decisions effectively. It equips students with problem-solving skills. Graduates should be capable of identifying complex issues, analysing root causes, and proposing effective solutions. This skill is valuable in both personal life and professional careers.

PO2: Research Skills: This BA programme requires students to engage in research activities. They should learn to use proper research methodologies and tools to investigate and present their findings.

PO3: Interdisciplinary Knowledge: Depending on their chosen major, minor and interdisciplinary subjects within the BA programme, students should develop expertise in their specific area of study, whether it's literature, history, education, economics, geography, political science, or another field. This specialized knowledge provides depth in their chosen discipline.

PO4: Employability: On graduating, the students will be eligible for employment in education and other industries like tourism, media, etc. Their skills in comprehension of general social phenomena around them place them in an ideal situation for such jobs. They can also appear for competitive examinations conducted for public sector jobs. They can pursue higher studies to be engaged in academics.

Program Specific Outcomes:

PSO1: Students will acquire foundational knowledge of political theories, concepts, and ideologies and will be able to critically assess different political thoughts, both classical and contemporary.

PSO2: Students will gain a comprehensive understanding of constitutional design of government and political institutions in India.

PSO3: Students will be able to critically assess and contribute to policy-making processes, including evaluation of public administration, governance strategies, and institutional frameworks.

PSO4: Students will develop a sense of civic responsibility and understand ethical considerations in political practice, enabling them to contribute meaningfully to society and public discourse.

PSO5: Students will cultivate skills in problem-solving, negotiation, and decision-making, preparing them for roles in policy analysis, political consultancy, and public service.

PSO6: Students will be equipped for further studies in political science, law, public policy, or related fields and be prepared for career paths in government, non-governmental organizations, media, and academia.

Course Outcomes (CO) are mapped to the revised Bloom's Taxonomy using the following abbreviations

R- Remembering, **U-** Understanding, **Ap-** Applying, **An-** Analysing, **E-** Evaluating, **C-** Creating.

Semester-I to VI

Sem	Courses	Title	Credits	Course Outcomes	PO Addressed	PSO Addressed	Cognitive Level
I	PLSM, DSC-1	Political Theory: Foundational Concepts	3+1	Understand the entry points through which the political interpreted, and theorization of politics.	1	1,5	U, An, E
I	MPLS, MN-1	Political Theory: Foundational Concepts	3+1	Understand the how theory relates to practice.	1,2	1,4	R, U, Ap, An and E
I	PLSM, SEC-1	Democratic Awareness through Legal Literacy.	2+2	Improve working knowledge of affirming one's rights and explore different opportunities.	1,3,4	2,3,4,5	Ap, An, E
I	PLSD-1 IDC	Understanding Governance.	2+1	Role of state market society. Development, Democracy and importance of Governance and Government.	1,3,4	3, 4, 5	R, U, An
I	CVAC (CONS) CVAC-1	Constitutional Values and Fundamental Duties.	2	Understand the constitution and its relevance and Value added duties	1,2,4	2,3,5	R, Ap and An

II	PLSM, DSC-2	Constitutional Government in India	3+1	Understanding the specificities of Indian constitution, architecture, design, governance, democracy.	1,3,4	1,3,6	R, Ap and E
II	MPLS, MN-2	Constitutional Government in India	3+1	Awareness of the ways in which the Indian government/s functions through its various organs at various levels.	1,2 ,4	2,4,6	Un, Ap and E
II	PLSM, SEC-2	Understanding the Legal System	2+2	Reasonable knowledge of the legal system, concepts, reason and Principles.	1,3,4	1,3,6	R, Un, Ap
II	PLSD- 1, IDC	Understanding Governance.	3	Role of state market society. Development, Democracy and importance of Governance and Government.	1, 3, 4	2, 3, 4, 6	Un, Ap
III	PLSM, DSC-3	Political Theory: Approaches and Debates	3+1	To be theoretically equipped to explain and critically examine political questions, political events and political phenomena encountered.	1, 2, 4	1, 3, 5	R, Un, An

III	PLSM, DSC-4	Politics in India 1: Structures	3+1	Understand the electoral logistics, the rationale and structural dynamics of civil service.	1, 4	2, 4, 6	Ap, An and E
III	MN-3, MPLS	Political Theory: Foundational Concepts	3+1	Understand the core concepts that guide the theorization of politics.	1, 3	1, 3, 5, 6	Un, Ap and E
III	PLSM, SEC-3	Legislative Practices and Procedures	2+2	Understand complex policy issues, draft new legislation, track and analyse ongoing bills, make speeches and floor statements.	1, 2, 3, 4	2, 4, 6	R, Un, Ap An
IV	PLSM, DSC-5	Politics in India II: Processes	3+1	To impart an understandin g of the political process in India by taking into consideration the change and continuity in social, cultural and economic dimensions and relations.	1, 3, 4	4, 6	R, Ap, An

IV	PLSM, DSC-6	International Relations: Concepts, Theories	3+1	Aim to provide a reasonably advanced introduction to IR concepts and theories.	1, 2, 4	2, 4, 6	U, An, E
IV	PLSM, DSC-7	Indian Political Thought I	3+1	Understandin g of some important concepts and themes shaping Indian political thought. It takes off from the ancient times and navigating through the medieval period it reaches the modern era.	1, 3, 4	3, 4, 5	R, U, An
IV	PLSM, DSC-8	Public Administratio n: Concepts, Theories	3+1	Situates Public Administratio n in its historical context and acquaints students with key concepts of the discipline and facilitates understandin g of some leading theories and models	1, 2, 3, 4	1,3,6	Un, Ap and E

IV	MPLS, MN-4	Constitutional Government in India	3+1	To enable students to know the constitutional design of government and political institutions in India.	1, 3, 4	4, 6	R, Ap, An
V	PLSM, DSC-9	Indian Political Thought II	3+1	To enable the students to understand the historical context and explore the rich and diverse tradition of political thinking in India in modern times.	1, 3, 4	3, 4, 5	R, U, An
V	PLSM, DSC-10	World politics Since 1945	3+1	To develop critical thinking and analytical skills for understandin g and interpreting complex political phenomena and historical trends vis-à- vis contemporar y global issue	1, 2, 3, 4	2, 4, 6	R, Un, Ap An
V	PLSM, DSC-11	Political Sociology	3+1	Seeks to highlight the intersection of politicsand society and to familiarise the students with essential conceptual- theoretical concerns and practical manifestatio ns.	1, 3	1, 3, 5, 6	R, Un, An

V	PLSM, DSC-12	Western Political Thought I	3+1	Explains the historical development and intellectual foundation of their views on key issues like state, society, and sovereignty.	1,3,4	4, 6	R, Ap, An
V	MPLS, MN-5 & MN-6	Politics in India I: Structures and Indian Political Thought I	3+1	To stress on the structural dimensions of Indian politics, within which the political process operates. and	1, 2, 3, 4	1, 3, 5, 6	R, Un, Ap An
VI	PLSM, DSC-13	Western Political Thought II	3+1	Explains the intellectual foundation of the central concepts like freedom, democracy, representation, constitutional government, and republicanism and the debates around it.	1,3,4	4, 6	R, Ap, An
VI	PLSM, DSC-14	Public Administration: Indian Context	3+1	Enable the students to relate the theoretical dimensions with the concrete scenario in contemporary India.	2, 3, 4	1,3,6	Un, Ap and E

VI	PLSM, DSC-15	Comparative Government and Politics I	3+1	Understand the rationale and dynamics of different political systems and the ideas and practices of democracy.	1, 2, 4	4, 6	R, Un, Ap An
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