

MARWARI COLLEGE, RANCHI
(AN AUTONOMOUS UNIT OF RANCHI UNIVERSITY FROM 2009)



DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE
COURSES OF STUDY FOR POLITICAL SCIENCE HONOURS

Number of Papers: 16

Full Marks: 1600

Number of Semesters: 6

B.A. Hons. Part - I: 400 Marks

B.A. Hons. Part - II: 400 Marks

B.A. Hons. Part - III: 800 Marks

Paper-wise distribution of marks in B.A. Political Science Hons.							
Academic year	Semester	Theory paper	Full marks			Pass marks	Duration
			MSE	ESE	TOTAL		
First year	I	1	30	70	100	45	3 Hrs.
		2	30	70	100	45	3 Hrs.
	II	3	30	70	100	45	3 Hrs.
		4	30	70	100	45	3 Hrs.
Second year	III	5	30	70	100	45	3 Hrs.
		6	30	70	100	45	3 Hrs.
	IV	7	30	70	100	45	3 Hrs.
		8	30	70	100	45	3 Hrs.
Third year	V	9	30	70	100	45	3 Hrs.
		10	30	70	100	45	3 Hrs.
		11	30	70	100	45	3 Hrs.
		12	30	70	100	45	3 Hrs.
	VI	13	30	70	100	45	3 Hrs.
		14	30	70	100	45	3 Hrs.
		15	30	70	100	45	3 Hrs.
		16	30	70	100	45	3 Hrs.

B.A. Part-I (Hons.)**SEMESTER - I****Paper -1: POLITICAL SCIENCE: The Discipline & its Dimensions (47 lectures)****Instrucions to paper setter**

Questions to be set in two groups, A & B.

Group A : Out of nine long answer questions, any four to be answered, i.e., $4 \times 14 = 56$.

Group B : Out of four short answer questions, any two to be answered, i.e., $2 \times 7 = 14$.

Full Marks: 30 + 70 = 100

Time: 3 Hours

Pass Marks: 45

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| 1. Meaning, nature and Scope of Pol. Science | (6) |
| 2. Power, Authority and Legitimacy | (12) |
| 3. State - Origin and Development | (10) |
| 4. Sovereignty - Monism and Pluralism | (7) |
| 5. State-Nature and Function – Liberal and Marxist Views | (6) |
| 6. Citizenship | (6) |

Books Recommended:

1. J.C. Johari : Principles of Modern Poliical Science
2. Amal Roy & Mohit Bhattacharya : Political Theory, Ideas & Institutions
3. S.P. Verma : Modern Poitical Theory
4. R. Bahal: Modern Political Analysis
5. H.J. Laski: A Grammar of Politics
6. H.G. Lasswell & A. Kaplan: Power & Society
7. Sushila Ramaswami – Political Theory- Ideas and Concepts

B.A. Part-I (Hons.)**SEMESTER - I****Paper -2: POLITICAL THEORY (40 lectures)****Instructions to paper setter**

Questions to be set in two groups, A & B.

Group A : Out of nine long answer questions, any four to be answered, i.e., $4 \times 14 = 56$.

Group B : Out of four short answer questions, any two to be answered, i.e., $2 \times 7 = 14$.

Full Marks: 30 + 70 = 100

Time: 3 Hours

Pass Marks: 45

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| 1. Meaning, Nature and Significance of Pol. Theory | (6) |
| 2. Rights: Laski's Theory of Rights | (8) |
| 3. Liberty and Equality | (7) |
| 4. Justice: John Rawls' Theory of Justice | (5) |
| 5. Democracy - Its Elitist and Pluralistic Views | (6) |
| 6. Welfare State - Growth and Functions. | (4) |
| 7. Psychological Approach to the Study of Politics with Special reference to Graham Wallas. | (4) |

Books Recommended:

1. J.C. Johari : Principles of Modern Political Science
2. Amal Roy & Mohit Bhattacharya : Political Theory, Ideas & Institutions
3. S.P. Verma : Modern Political Theory
4. R. Bahal: Modern Political Analysis
5. H.J. Laski: A Grammar of Politics
6. H.G. Lasswell & A. Kaplan: Power & Society
7. Sushila Ramaswami – Political Theory- Ideas and Concepts

B.A. Part-I (Hons.)**SEMESTER - II****Paper -3: INDIAN POLITICAL THOUGHT (From Ancient to 19th Century)
(37 lectures)****Instructions to paper setter**

Questions to be set in two groups, A & B.

Group A : Out of nine long answer questions, any four to be answered, i.e., 4 x 14 = 56.

Group B : Out of four short answer questions, any two to be answered, i.e., 2 x 7 = 14.

Full Marks: 30 + 70 = 100

Time: 3 Hours

Pass Marks: 45

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| 1. Sources of Indian Political Thought | (3) |
| 2. Kautilya | (10) |
| 3. Dayanand Saraswati | (6) |
| 4. Swami Vivekanand | (6) |
| 5. Tilak | (7) |
| 6. Gokhale | (6) |

Books Recommended:

1. A.S. Altekar: State & Government in Ancient India
2. Dr. B.P. Varma : Ancient & Mediaval Indian Political Thought

B.A. Part-I (Hons.)**SEMESTER - II****Paper -4: INDIAN POLITICAL THOUGHT (20th Century) (33 lectures)****Instructions to paper setter**

Questions to be set in two groups, A & B.

Group A : Out of nine long answer questions, any four to be answered, i.e., 4 x 14 = 56.

Group B : Out of four short answer questions, any two to be answered, i.e., 2 x 7 = 14.

Full Marks: 30 + 70 = 100

Time: 3 Hours

Pass Marks: 45

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| 1. Aurobindo | (6) |
| 2. B.R. Ambedkar | (6) |
| 3. R.M. Lohia | (5) |
| 4. Mahatma Gandhi | (8) |
| 5. Jawaharlal Nehru | (4) |
| 6. J.P. Narayan | (4) |

Books Recommended:

1. S. Ghosh: Modern Political Thought
2. K.P. Karunakaran: Indian Politics from Dada Bhai Nauroji to Gandhi
3. B.R. Mehta: Foundations of Indian Political Thought
4. D.P. Roy: Leftist Policies in India
5. B.R. Nanda: Studies in Indian Nationalism

B.A. Part-II (Hons.)**SEMESTER - III****Paper -5: INDIAN CONSTITUTION AND GOVERNMENT (30 lectures)****Instructions to paper setter**

Questions to be set in two groups, A & B.

Group A : Out of nine long answer questions, any four to be answered, i.e., $4 \times 14 = 56$.

Group B : Out of four short answer questions, any two to be answered, i.e., $2 \times 7 = 14$.

Full Marks: $30 + 70 = 100$

Time: 3 Hours

Pass Marks: 45

1. The making of Indian Constitution and its Sources. (6)
2. Preamble and Basic Features of Indian constitution (2)
3. Union Government - President , Parliament , Prime Minister and Cabinet (10)
4. The State Government- Governor, Council of Ministers, Chief Minister and State Legislature (8)
5. High Court & Supreme Court (4)

Books Recommended:

1. J.C. Johari : The Constitution of India
2. D.D. Basu: An Introduction to the Constitution of India
3. G. Austin: The Indian Constitution

B.A. Part-II (Hons.)**SEMESTER - III****Paper -6: INDIAN CONSTITUTION AND THE BURNING ISSUES OF
INDIAN POLITICS (27 lectures)****Instructions to paper setter**

Questions to be set in two groups, A & B.

Group A : Out of nine long answer questions, any four to be answered, i.e., 4 x 14 = 56.

Group B : Out of four short answer questions, any two to be answered, i.e., 2 x 7 = 14.

Full Marks: 30 + 70 = 100

Time: 3 Hours

Pass Marks: 45

1. Fundamental Rights (5)
2. Directive Principles of State Policy (3)
3. Centre – State Relations (4)
4. Political Parties: National and Regional Parties (5)
5. The Election Commission and UPSC (5)
6. Major Issues: Caste, Region, Religion and Language (6)

Books Recommended:

1. M.V. Pylle: Constitutional Government in India
2. R. Thakur: The Government & Politics of India
3. R. Kothari: Caste & Politics in India
4. R. Kothari: Party System & Election Studies

B.A. Part-II (Hons.)**SEMESTER - IV****Paper -7: COMPARATIVE POLITICS (33 lectures)****Instructions to paper setter**

Questions to be set in two groups, A & B.

Group A : Out of nine long answer questions, any four to be answered, i.e., $4 \times 14 = 56$.

Group B : Out of four short answer questions, any two to be answered, i.e., $2 \times 7 = 14$.

Full Marks: $30 + 70 = 100$

Time: 3 Hours

Pass Marks: 45

1. Political Culture and Political Socialization. (6)
2. Political Parties and Party Systems. (10)
3. Interest Groups and Pressure Group (6)
4. Adaptability of Comparative Political Systems and Constitutional Amendments. (5)
5. Local Govts. (6)

Books Recommended:

1. G. Almond: Comparative Politics Today
2. H. Eckstein & D.E. Apter: Comparative Politics

B.A. Part-II (Hons.)**SEMESTER - IV****Paper -8: COMPARATIVE POLITICAL SYSTEMS (WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO UK, USA, FRANCE & SWITZERLAND) (51 lectures)****Instructions to paper setter**

Questions to be set in two groups, A & B.

Group A : Out of nine long answer questions, any four to be answered, i.e., $4 \times 14 = 56$.

Group B : Out of four short answer questions, any two to be answered, i.e., $2 \times 7 = 14$.

Full Marks: $30 + 70 = 100$

Time: 3 Hours

Pass Marks: 45

1. Comparative Politics : Meaning & Scope (5)
2. Approaches to the study of Comparative Politics. (10)
3. Constitutions and Constitutionalism. (6)
4. Constitutional Structures: Executive, Legislative and Judiciary. (24)
5. Socio – Economic Bases of various Constitutions. (6)

Books Recommended:

1. W. Bagehot: The English Constitution
2. H. Finer: Theory & Practice of Modern Government
3. J.C. Johri: Tulnatmak Rajniti

B.A. Part-III (Hons.)**SEMESTER - V****Paper -9: PRINCIPLES OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION (32 lectures)****Instructions to paper setter**

Questions to be set in two groups, A & B.

Group A : Out of nine long answer questions, any four to be answered, i.e., $4 \times 14 = 56$.

Group B : Out of four short answer questions, any two to be answered, i.e., $2 \times 7 = 14$.

Full Marks: $30 + 70 = 100$

Time: 3 Hours

Pass Marks: 45

1. Meaning nature and Scope of Public Administration. (5)
2. Evolution of Public Administration as a Discipline. (2)
3. New Public Administration. (3)
4. Development Administration. (3)
5. Comparative Public Administration. (3)
6. Approaches to the Study of P.A. – Traditional, Scientific, Human Relations, Systems Behavioral, Ecological & Socio – Psychological Approach. (10)
7. Control over Administration – Legislative and Judicial. (3)

Books Recommended:

1. P.H. Appleby: Policy & Administration
2. R.K. Arora: Comparative Public Administration
3. A. Awasthi & S.R. Maheshwari: Public Administration
4. R.B. Jain: Contemporary Issues in Indian Administration
5. J. Perry: Handbook of Public Administration
6. M.E. Dimock & G.O. Dimock: Public Administration
7. M. Bhattacharya: Public Administration
8. F.A. Nigro & G.L.: Modern Public Administration

B.A. Part-III (Hons.)**SEMESTER - V****Paper -10: PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION – Organization (41 lectures)****Instructions to paper setter**

Questions to be set in two groups, A & B.

Group A : Out of nine long answer questions, any four to be answered, i.e., $4 \times 14 = 56$.

Group B : Out of four short answer questions, any two to be answered, i.e., $2 \times 7 = 14$.

Full Marks: $30 + 70 = 100$

Time: 3 Hours

Pass Marks: 45

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| 1. Organization – Meaning and Types | (6) |
| 2. Bases of Organization | (4) |
| 3. Principles of Organization – Hierarchy, Unity of Command, Span of Control, Co-Ordination, Integration & Disintegration. | (8) |
| 4. Structure of Organization – Centralization & Decentralization. | (4) |
| 5. Line, Staff and Auxiliary Agencies | (5) |
| 6. Delegated Legislation | (2) |
| 7. Bureaucracy | (4) |
| 8. Motivation and Leadership | (4) |

Books Recommended:

1. P.H. Appleby: Policy & Administration
2. R.K. Arora: Comparative Public Administration
3. A. Awasthi & S.R. Maheshwari: Public Administration
4. R.B. Jain: Contemporary Issues in Indian Administration
5. J. Perry: Handbook of Public Administration
6. M.E. Dimock & G.O. Dimock: Public Administration
7. M. Bhattacharya: Public Administration
8. F.A. Nigro & G.L.: Modern Public Administration

B.A. Part-III (Hons.)**SEMESTER - V****Paper -11: THEORY OF INTERNATIONAL POLITICS (40 lectures)****Instructions to paper setter**

Questions to be set in two groups, A & B.

Group A : Out of nine long answer questions, any four to be answered, i.e., $4 \times 14 = 56$.

Group B : Out of four short answer questions, any two to be answered, i.e., $2 \times 7 = 14$.

Full Marks: $30 + 70 = 100$

Time: 3 Hours

Pass Marks: 45

1. International Politics: Meaning, Development and Growth (6)
2. Difference between International Relations and International Politics and its utility (2)
3. Idealist & Realist Approach (4)
4. Morgenthau's six Principles of Political Realism and Neorealism (7)
5. National Power (6)
6. National Interest (5)
7. Balance of Power (5)
8. Collective Security (5)

Books Recommended:

1. W.D. Coplin: Introduction to International Politics
2. S.H. Hoffman: Essays in Theory and Politics of International Relations
3. K.N. Waltz: Theory of International Politics
4. Mahendra Kumar: Anterrashtriya Rajniti Ke Sadhantik Pacch

B.A. Part-III (Hons.)**SEMESTER - V****Paper -12: CONTEMPORARY ISSUES IN INTERNATIONAL POLITICS
(31 lectures)****Instructions to paper setter**

Questions to be set in two groups, A & B.

Group A : Out of nine long answer questions, any four to be answered, i.e., $4 \times 14 = 56$.

Group B : Out of four short answer questions, any two to be answered, i.e., $2 \times 7 = 14$.

Full Marks: $30 + 70 = 100$

Time: 3 Hours

Pass Marks: 45

1. Impact of Unipolar world on International Order (3)
2. Terrorism and Cross Border Terrorism (3)
3. Disarmament and arms control (7)
4. Neo colonialism, Neo imperialism and Globalisation (8)
5. New Cold War (4)
6. Bretton Woods Institution: World Bank, I.M.F. and W.T.O. (6)

Books Recommended:

1. Mahendra Kumar: Anterrashtriya Rajniti Ke Sadhantik Pacch
2. B.L. Fadia: Anterrashtriya Rajnitik Siddhant Evum Samkaleen Rajnitik Mudde
3. S.C. Singhal: Anterrashtriya Rajniti

B.A. Part-III (Hons.)**SEMESTER - VI****Paper -13: WESTERN POLITICAL THOUGHT (from Plato to Montesquieu)
(46 lectures)****Instructions to paper setter**

Questions to be set in two groups, A & B.

Group A : Out of nine long answer questions, any four to be answered, i.e., $4 \times 14 = 56$.

Group B : Out of four short answer questions, any two to be answered, i.e., $2 \times 7 = 14$.

Full Marks: 30 + 70 = 100

Time: 3 Hours

Pass Marks: 45

1. Plato	-	Justice, Education, Communism and Philosopher King	(10)
2. Aristotle	-	State, Revolution, Citizenship and Slavery	(7)
3. Machiavelli	-	Human nature, Religion and Morality	(6)
4. Hobbes	-	Social Contract, Sovereignty and Individualism	(6)
5. Locke	-	Social Contract, Theory of Liberalism	(6)
6. Rousseau	-	Social Contract and General Will	(6)
7. Montesquieu	-	Law and separation of Powers	(5)

Books Recommended:

1. W. Ebenstein: Great Political Thinkers
2. J.H. Bruns: The Cambridge History of Political Thought
3. G. Catlin: A History of political Philosophers
4. J. Colemon: A History of Political Thought
5. R. Pandey: Political Thought: Plato to Mechiavelli
6. K.N. Verma: Pashchatya Rajnitik Dharaein Vol - I

B.A. Part-III (Hons.)**SEMESTER - VI****Paper -14: WESTERN POLITICAL THOUGHT (Modern) (30 lectures)****Instructions to paper setter**

Questions to be set in two groups, A & B.

Group A : Out of nine long answer questions, any four to be answered, i.e., $4 \times 14 = 56$.

Group B : Out of four short answer questions, any two to be answered, i.e., $2 \times 7 = 14$.

Full Marks: $30 + 70 = 100$

Time: 3 Hours

Pass Marks: 45

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| 1. Bentham | - | Utilitarianism | (5) |
| 2. J.S. Mill | - | Departures from Bentham, Theory of Liberty and the Representative Government | (6) |
| 3. Hegel | - | Dialectic and State | (5) |
| 4. Green | - | Idealism and Right to Resist the State | (4) |
| 5. Marx | - | Class Struggle and State | (7) |
| 6. Lenin | - | Imperialism and Revolution | (3) |

Books Recommended:

1. K.N. Verma: Pashchatya Rajnitik Dharaein Vol – II
2. H.J. Laski: Political Thought from Locke to Bentham
3. N.D. Arora: Aadhunik Rajnitik Vichardharaein
4. R.C. Gupta: Great Political Thinkers

B.A. Part-III (Hons.)**SEMESTER - VI****Paper -15: POLITICAL IDEOLOGIES (29 lectures)****Instructions to paper setter**

Questions to be set in two groups, A & B.

Group A : Out of nine long answer questions, any four to be answered, i.e., $4 \times 14 = 56$.

Group B : Out of four short answer questions, any two to be answered, i.e., $2 \times 7 = 14$.

Full Marks: $30 + 70 = 100$

Time: 3 Hours

Pass Marks: 45

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| 1. Meaning and Content of Political Ideologies | (3) |
| 2. Liberalism | (5) |
| 3. Conservatism | (3) |
| 4. Scientific Socialism | (6) |
| 5. Democratic Socialism | (4) |
| 6. Libertarianism | (4) |
| 7. Fascism | (4) |

Books Recommended:

1. V.P. Gupt & M. Gupt: Rajnitik Vichardharaein: Uddbhav aur Vikas
2. O.P. Gaba: Rajnitik Chintan ki Ruprekha
3. K.N. Verma: Pashchatya Rajnitik Dharaein Vol – II
4. J.C. Johri: Samkalin Rajnitik Siddhant

B.A. Part-III (Hons.)**SEMESTER - VI****Paper -16: CONTEMPORARY POLITICAL ISSUES (30 lectures)****Instructions to paper setter**

Questions to be set in two groups, A & B.

Group A : Out of nine long answer questions, any four to be answered, i.e., $4 \times 14 = 56$.

Group B : Out of four short answer questions, any two to be answered, i.e., $2 \times 7 = 14$.

Full Marks: $30 + 70 = 100$

Time: 3 Hours

Pass Marks: 45

1. Post Cold War World: Issues and concerns (5)
2. Liberalization, Privatisation and Globalization (7)
3. Environmental Concerns (6)
4. Human Rights (4)
5. Women Empowerment (4)
6. Process and Problems of Democratic Expansion in Developing Countries (4)

Books Recommended:

1. M. Albrow & E. King: Globalization, Knowledge & Society
2. Z.F. Arat: Democracy & Human Rights in the Developing Countries
3. R. Dalton: The Green Rainbow (Environmental Groups in Western Europe)
4. J. Gelb: Feminism & Politics Comparative Perspective
5. R. Eckersley: Environmentalism and Political Theory
6. H.C. Singhal: Samkalin Rajnitik Mudde