

PROGRAMME NAME: BA (Hons) Political Science, (I) Year, Core

COURSE NAME : Political Process in India

SEMESTER DURATION : January to April

Week	Topic(s)	Teaching Methodology Adopted/ Continous Internal Evaluation
1 and 2	Political Parties and the Party System Trends in the Party System; From the Congress System to Multi-Party Coalitions	Orientation towards the course. Special emphasis on how to read a text. Lecture Method based on the text/reading prescribed by the University of Delhi. Deliberation and Dialogical Method of engaging with students and explaining the Text. Formation of Google Classroom for smart learning. Focus area : Party Systems, One Party Dominance System in India, Multi Party Coalitions.
3	Determinants of Voting Behaviour Caste, Class, Gender and Religion	Lecture Method based on the text/reading prescribed by the University of Delhi. Usage of Audio Visual: Short five to fifteen minutes documetary showing relation between caste, class, gender, religion and voting behaviour in India. Focus Area : Voting behavior and identities, second democratic upsurge, Indian Middle class and voting, religion and voting.
4 and 5	Regional Aspirations The Politics of Secession and Accommodation	Lecture Method based on the text/reading prescribed by the University of Delhi. Surprise Test and Revision (MCQ). Finding out slow and fast learners through constant discussion and performance in class. Focus Area : Subnational demands and integration, secession and accommodation
6 and 7	Religion and Politics Debates on Secularism; Minority and Majority Communalism	Lecture Method based on the text/reading prescribed by the University of Delhi. Presentation by students in the class. Division of students in different groups and differentiation of topic to have broad base academic presentations. Focus Area : Secularism in India, its unique characteristic, communalism and Indian politics.
	MID SEMESTER BREAK	

8 and 9	Caste and Politics Caste in Politics and the Politicization of Caste	Lecture Method based on the text/reading prescribed by the University of Delhi. Focus Area : Politicisation of Caste, Equality and democracy in India, dalit movement in India
10	Affirmative Action Policies Women, Caste and Class	Lecture Method based on the text/reading prescribed by the University of Delhi. Presentation by students in the class. Division of students in different groups and differentiation of topic to have broad base academic presentations. Focus Area : Affirmative Action in India
11	MID SEMESTER BREAK	
12	The Changing Nature of the Indian State Developmental, Welfare and Coercive Dimensions	Lecture Method based on the text/reading prescribed by the University of Delhi. Organization of Debate in Class. Focus Area : Constitutional State and the Indian State in Working, duality of state process, changing dimensions of Indian State
13 and 14	Revision	
Dispersal of classes		