

HONOURS COURSE

Semester	Paper	Name of the Paper	Total Marks
FIRST	PLSH 101	INTRODUCTION TO POLITICAL THEORY-I	50
	PLSH 102	THEORIES OF INTERNATIONAL POLITICS	50
	PLSH 103	GREEK POLITICAL THINKERS	50
SECOND	PLSH 201	INTRODUCTION TO POLITICAL THEORY- II	50
	PLSH 202	PROBLEMS OF INTERNATIONAL POLITICS	50
	PLSH 203	MODERN POLITICAL THINKERS	50
THIRD	PLSH 301	COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS - I	50
	PLSH 302*	(A) POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY - I	50
		OR	
		(B) MODERN POLITICAL ANALYSIS - I	50
		OR	
		(C) COLONIALISM AND NATIONALISM IN INDIA - I	50
	PLSH 303*	(A) PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION: THEORIES AND CONCEPTS	50
		OR	
		(B) INTERNATIONAL LAW	50
		OR	
		(C) GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS IN SOUTH ASIA - I	50

** Students offering Optional Course in Third Semester must offer the corresponding Course in the Fourth Semester.*

FOURTH	401	COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS - II	50
	402	(A) POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY - II	50
		OR	
		(B) MODERN POLITICAL ANALYSIS - II	50
		OR	
		(C) COLONIALISM AND NATIONALISM IN INDIA - II	50
	403	(A) PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION IN INDIA	50
		OR	
		(B) INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS	50
		OR	
		(C) GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS IN SOUTH ASIA - II	50
FIFTH	501	GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS IN INDIA - I	50
	502	SOCIALIST THINKERS - I	50
	503	FREEDOM MOVEMENT AND POLITICS IN NORTH EAST INDIA - I	50
SIXTH	601	GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS IN INDIA - II	50
	602	SOCIALIST THINKERS - II	50
	603	FREEDOM MOVEMENT AND POLITICS IN NORTH EAST INDIA - II	50

Honours Course

FIRST SEMESTER

Paper-PLSH.101

Introduction to Political Theory I

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

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|--|----|
| 1. Political Theory – Definition, Nature and Functions | 12 |
| 2. State – Nature, Origin of the State – Theory of Social Contract, Evolutionary Theory and Marxian Theory | 12 |
| 3. Sovereignty-Meaning and Characteristics, Theories of Sovereignty-Monistic and Pluralistic theories | 12 |
| 4. Power, Authority and Legitimacy-Meaning and their relationship | 12 |
| 5. Theories and Dimensions of Power | 12 |

Suggested Readings:

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|---------------------------------|--|
| Ball, Allan R | : Modern Politics and Government, Macmillan. |
| Barker, Ernest | : Principles of Social and Political Theory, OUP. |
| Barry, Norman P. | : An Introduction to Modern Political Theory. |
| Gauba, O.P. | : Introduction to Political Theory, Calcutta, Macmillan. |
| Johari, J.C. | : Contemporary Political Theory, New Delhi Sterling Publishers Pvt. Ltd. |
| Kapur, A.C. | : Principles of Political Science, New Delhi S.Chand and Co. |
| Roy Amal and Mohit Bhattacharya | : Political Theory and Institutions, Calcutta, World Press. |
| Varma, S.P. | : Modern Political Theory, New Delhi, Vikas Publishing House. |

Paper-PLSH.102
Theories of International Politics

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

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| 1. Nature and Scope of International Politics, Development of the study of International Politics, Emergence of Non-State Actors | 12 |
| 2. Theories of International Politics: Idealist Theory, Realist Theory and Systems Theory | 12 |
| 3. National Capability-its Components and Limitations | 12 |
| 4. Control of Inter-state Relations-Balance of Power and Collective Security | 12 |
| 5. Foreign Policy and its Determinants | 12 |

Suggested Readings:

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| Burton, J. W. | : | International Relations: A General Theory, Allen and Unwin. |
| Bhattacharyya, D. C. | : | International Relations Since The Twentieth Century, Kolkata, Vijaya Publishing House. |
| Chandra, P. | : | International Politics. New Delhi, Vikas Publishing House |
| Morgenthau, Hans J. | : | Politics among Nations: The Struggle for Power and Peace, Calcutta, Scientific Book Agency. |
| Naik, J.A | : | A Text Book of International Relations, Calcutta, Macmillan. |
| Kumar, M | : | Theoretical Aspects of International Politics, Agra, Shivlal Agarwal. |

Paper-PLSH.103
Greek Political Thinkers

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

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| 1. Greek Political Tradition: Sophists and Socrates | 12 |
| 2. Plato's The Republic - Justice, Education, Communism and Ideal State | 12 |
| 3. Plato's The Statesman and The Laws | 12 |
| 4. Aristotle's idea on Nature and End of State, Classification of Constitution and Democracy | 12 |
| 5. Aristotle's Idea on Slavery, Citizenship and Revolution | 12 |

Suggested Readings:

- Barker, E. : Greek Political Theory: Plato and His Predecessors
Sabine : A History of Political Theory, New Delhi, Oxford IBH.
Sibley, Q. Mulford : Political Ideas and Ideologies: A History of Political Thought, New York, Harper and Row.
Dunnings, W. A. : History of Political Theory, Allahabad, Central Book Depot.
Mukhopadhyay, A. : History of Western Political Thought : Plato to Marx, Calcutta, K.P. Bagchi and Co.
Rao, V. Venkata : History of Political Theories, New Delhi, S. Chand and Co.
Bhandari, D.R. : History of European Political Philosophy, New Delhi.

SECOND SEMESTER

Paper-PLSH. 201

Introduction to Political Theory II

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

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| 1. Liberty and Equality-Meaning and attributes, Mutual Relationship | 12 |
| 2. Theories of Property – Liberal, Anarchist and Marxist | 12 |
| 3. Theories of Democracy-Classical and Modern, Liberal and Marxist - Critiques on Democracy | 12 |
| 4. Spheres and Limits of State Activities- Liberal, Fascist, Marxian and Gandhian Interpretations | 12 |
| 5. Emerging Trends in Political Theory - Human Rights, Feminism. | 12 |

Suggested Readings:

- Ball, Allan R : Modern Politics and Government, Macmillan.
Barker, Ernest : Principles of Social and Political Theory. Oxford University Press.
Barry, Norman P. : An Introduction to modern Political Theory
Gauba, O.P. : Introduction to Political Theory, Calcutta, Macmillan.

- Johari J.C. : Contemporary Political Theory, New Delhi, Sterling Publishers.
- Kapur, A.C. : Principles of Political Science, New Delhi, S. Chand and Co.
- Roy Amal and Bhattacharya Mohit : Political Theory and Institution, Calcutta, World Press.
- Varma, S.P. : Modern Political Theory, New Delhi, Vikas Publishing House.

Paper-PLSH. 202

Problems of International Politics

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

	No. of Classes
1. Cold War-Origin and Development	12
2. Multi-Polar World and Détente	12
3. Disarmament and its linkage to Development	12
4. Globalisation, IMF, World Bank and WTO	12
5. Problem of Terrorism	12

Suggested Readings :

- Bhattacharyya, D. C. : International Relations Since The Twentieth Century, Vijaya Publishing House, Kolkata.
- Chander, Prakash and Prem Arora : International Politics, Gurgaon, Cosmos Bookhive.
- Morgenthau, Hans J. : Politics Among Nations: The Struggle for Power and Peace.
- Palmer and Perkins. : International Relations, Calcutta, Scientific Book Agency.
- Schuman, F.N. : International Politics, New York.
- Watson, J. : Success in Twentieth Century World Politics London, John Murray.

Paper-PLSH. 203
Modern Political Thinkers

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

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|---|----|
| 1. Machiavelli: Science of Statecraft, Separation of Ethics from Politics | 12 |
| 2. Hobbes - State of Nature, Social Contract, Sovereignty, Political Obligation | 12 |
| 3. Locke - State of Nature, Social Contract, Political Obligation, Rights of Citizen | 12 |
| 4. Rousseau - State of Nature, Social Contract, General Will and Political Obligation | 12 |
| 5. J.S.Mill - Liberty and Representative Government | 12 |

Suggested Readings:

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| Bhandari, D.R. | : | History of European Political Philosophy. New Delhi. |
| Dunnings, W. A. | : | History of Political Theory, Allahabad, Central Book Depot. |
| Mukhopadhyay, A. | : | History of Western Political Thought: Plato to Marx. Calcutta, K.P. Bagchi and Co. |
| Rao, V. Venkata | : | History of Political Theories, New Delhi, S.D. Chand and Co. |
| Sabine | : | A History of Political Theory, New Delhi, Oxford and IBH. |
| Sibley, Q. Mulford | : | Political Ideas and Ideologies: A History of Political Thought, New York, Harper and Row. |

THIRD SEMESTER

Paper-PLSH. 301
Comparative Government and Politics - I

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

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|--|----|
| 1. Comparative Politics: Meaning and its Evolution, Nature and Scope | 12 |
| 2. Approaches to Comparative Politics- Traditional and Modern | 12 |
| 3. Classification of Political Systems- Democratic and Authoritarian; Unitary-federal, Parliamentary- Presidential | 12 |

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| 4. Political Tradition and Legacies of UK and USA, Characteristics of the Constitution | 12 |
| 5. Political Tradition and Legacies of Switzerland and China, Characteristics of the Constitution | 12 |

Suggested Readings :

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|--------------------------|---|
| Almond, G. & G.B. Powell | : Comparative Politics : A Developmental Approach, Boston, Little, Brown and Company. |
| Blondel, J. | : An Introduction to Comparative Government London, Weidenfeld and Nicolson. |
| Deol, D. | : Comparative Government and Politics, New Delhi, Sterling Publishers. |
| Johari, J.C. | : Comparative Politics, New Delhi, Sterling, Publishers. |
| Kapur, A.C. | : Select Constitutions, New Delhi, S.Chand and Co. |
| Ray, S.N. | : Modern Comparative Politics: Approaches, Methods & Issues, New Delhi, Prentice Hall of India. |
| Strong, C.F. | : Modern Political Constitutions, London, Sidgwick And Jackson. |

Paper-PLSH. 302 (A)
Political Sociology - I

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

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|---|----|
| 1. Political Sociology-Definition and its Scope, Critical Assessment of Political Sociology as a Formal Subject | 12 |
| 2. Social Stratification-Caste and Class | 12 |
| 3. Influence and Power - Meaning, Types and Relations | 12 |
| 4. Legitimacy and Authority - Meaning, Types and Relations | 12 |
| 5. Distribution of Power-Marxist theory and Elite theories-Pareto, Mosca, Michaels and C. Wright Mills | 12 |

Suggested Readings :

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|----------------------------|--|
| Ashraf, A. and L.N. Sharma | : Political Sociology: A New Grammar of Politics, Madras University Press. |
| Bottomore, Tom | : Political Sociology, Bombay, B.I. Publication. |
| Mukhopadhyay, A.K. | : Political sociology, Calcutta, K.P. Bagchi and Co. |

- Coulson, M and Carol Riddell : Approaching Sociology: A Critical Introduction, London, Routledge and Kegan Paul.
- Rush, M. and Philip Althoff : An Introduction to Political Sociology London, Thomas Nelson.

Paper-PLSHL 302 (B) Modern Political Analysis - I

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

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| 1. Political Science - Meaning and its Evolution, Changing Nature and Scope, Science of Politics and Question of Fact and Value | 12 |
| 2. Approaches to the Study of Political Science - Normative and Empirical, Philosophical, Institutional and Behavioural, Origin, Character and Contribution of Behavioural Approach - Post Behavioural Revolution | 12 |
| 3. Group Theory: Arthur Bentley and David Truman | 12 |
| 4. Influence, Power and Authority - Meaning, Types and Relationship | 12 |
| 5. Systems Analysis of David Easton and Structural Functionalism of Gabriel Almond | 12 |

Suggested Readings :

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| Ball, Alan R. | : Modern Politics and Government, Macmillan, India. |
| Dahl, RA. | : Modern Political Analysis, New-Delhi, Prentice Hall of India. |
| Gandhi, M.G. | : Modern Political Analysis, New-Delhi Oxford and IBN Publishing Co. |
| _____ | : Modern Political Theory, New Delhi, Oxford and IBN Publishing Co. |
| Pye, Lucian | : Aspects of Political Development, Boston, Little Brown. |
| Valsnagar, M. Pinmtio and L.D'Silva | : Aspects of Political Theory, Bombay Orient Longman |
| Varma. S.P. | : Modern Political Theory, New - Delhi, Vikash Publishing House. |
| Wasby, S.L. | : Political Science: The Discipline and its Dimensions, Calcutta Scientific Book Agency |

Paper-PLSH. 302 (C)
COLONIALISM AND NATIONALISM IN INDIA - I

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

	No. of Classes
1. Colonialism and Nationalism - A Theoretical Analysis.	12
2. Social Reform Movement in 19 th Century India - Raja Rammohan Roy and M.G. Ranade.	12
3. Nationalist Movement: The Moderate Phase (1885 - 1905) - Moderates and their Programme, Political Strategy and Method of Political Action and Social Base	12
4. Nationalist Movement - The Extremist and Terrorist Phase (1905 - 1920)	12
5. Nationalist Movement - The Gandhian Era, Policies, Programme, Political Strategy and Method of Political Action and Social Base.	12

Suggested Readings :

Bandopadhyay, J.	: Social and Political Thought of Gandhi, Bombay, Allied Publishers.
Chandra, Bipin	: Rise and Growth of Economic Nationalism in India, New Delhi Peoples Publishing House.
Chandra, Bipin	: Modern India, New Delhi NCERT.
Chandra, Bipan, Amalesh Tripathi and Barun De	: Freedom Struggle, India, National Book Trust.
Desai, A. R.	: Social Background of Indian Nationalism, Bombay, Popular Praakashan.
Dutta, R. P	: India Today, Calcutta Manisha.
Mukherjee, Hiren	: India's Struggle for Freedom, Calcutta, Monisha Granthalaya.
Majumdar, R. C.	: History of Freedom Movement in India, Calcutta, Firma K.L.M.

Paper-PLSH. 303 (A)

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION : THEORIES AND CONCEPTS

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

1. Meaning, Nature and Scope of Public Administration, Evolution of Public Administration as a discipline, Public Administration and Private Administration 12
2. Theories of Organisation:

Structural :

- a) Classical Theory b) Scientific Management Theory c) Bureaucratic Theory 12
3. Theories of Organisation:

Behavioural :

- a) Human Relations Theory b) Decision Making Theory c) Systems Approach 12
4. Principles of Organization: Hierarchy, Span of Control, Unity of Command, Coordination. 12
5. Structure of Organization: Chief Executive - Line and Staff 12

Suggested Readings :

- Avasthi and Maheshwari : Public Administration, Agra, Lakshmi Narayan Agarwal.
- Basu Rumki : Public Administration: Concept and Theories.
- Bhattacharya Mohit : Public Administration, Calcutta, World Press.
- Maheswari, S. R. : Administrative Theories.
- Maheswari S. R. : Public Administration.
- Bhagawan V & Vidya Bhushan : Public Administration, New Delhi, S. Chand and Co.
- Bhambhri, C.P. : Public Administration: Theory and Practice, Meerut, Jai Prakash Nath and Co.
- Sharma, M.P. and B.L. Sharma : Theory and Practice of Public Administration, Allahabad, Kitab Mahal.

Paper-PLSH. 303 (B)
INTERNATIONAL LAW

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

1. International Law - Definition, Nature and Scope, Sources; Relation between International Law and Municipal Law	12
2. Development of International Law; Codification of International Law - Principles of Codification	12
3. Recognition - Theories and Types, Intervention and Grounds of Intervention	12
4. Jurisdiction - Territory, Seas, Space - Restrictions	12
5. Diplomatic Relations: Kinds of Rights and Privileges of Diplomatic Staff	12

Suggested Readings :

Bhattacharya, K.K	: International Law, Allahabad, Central Law Agency.
Brownlie, Ian	: Principles of Public International Law, Oxford, Clarendon Press.
Kapoor, S. K.	: International Law, Allahabad, Central Law Agency.
Puri, Manohar	: International Law, New Delhi, University Book House.
Starke, J. G.	: Introduction to International Law, London, Butterworths.
Tandon, M. P and V.K. Anand.	: International Law and Human Rights, Faridabad, Allahabad Law Agency.

Paper-PLSH.303 (C)

GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS IN SOUTH ASIA - I

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

1. South Asia - A Geo-Political Entity, Colonial Heritage - Strategic importance	12
2. Growth of Nationalism in South Asian Countries	12
3. Governmental Structures and Political Processes	12
4. Nature of Party System in South Asian Countries	12
5. Politics & Religion in South Asia	12

Suggested Readings:

- Amin, Samir : Imperialism and Unequal Development, Susses, Harvester
- Bahadur, Kalim (ed) : South Asia in Transition: Conflicts and Tensions, New Delhi, Patriot Publishers.
- Blackburn, R : Explosion in a Sub-Continent: India, Pakistan, Bangladesh and Ceylon, Harmondsworth.
- Brocher, M : The New States of South Asia - A Political Analysis, London.
- Kim, C.I. Eugene & Lawrence Ciring : An Introduction to Asian Politics, Prentice Hall,
- Smith D.E. : South Asian Politics and Religion.
- Wilson, A. Jeyaratnam and : The State of South Asia, Problems of National
- Dennis Dalton : Integration, OUP.

FOURTH SEMESTER

Paper-PLSH. 401

Comparative Government and Politics- II

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

1. Political System of U.K.: Power, Position and Role of the Crown-the Cabinet-the Prime Minister-the Parliament-Composition and Functions of the House of Commons - the Speaker - The House of Lords - Relation between the two Houses 12
2. Political System of the USA: Nature of Federalism-Amendment Procedure-the Congress: Composition, Powers and Role - the President, Powers and Functions, the Supreme Court and the Judicial Review 12
3. Political System of Switzerland: Federal System - Amendment Procedure - Direct Democracy-the National Government - the Judicial System 12
4. Political System of the People's Republic of China - State Structure - Power and Role of the Communist Party of China, Party - State Relations - Judicial System 12
5. Comparison between the Political System of the U.K., U.S.A., Switzerland and the People's Republic of China 12

Suggested Readings :

- Almond, G. & G.B. Powell : Comparative Politics : A Developmental Approach, Boston, Little, Brown and Company.

Blondel, J.	:	An Introduction to Comparative Government London, Weidenfeld and Nicolson.
Deol, D.	:	Comparative Government and Politics, New Delhi, Sterling Publishers.
Johari, J.C.	:	Comparative Politics, New Delhi, Sterling Publishers.
Kapur, A.C.	:	Select Constitutions, New Delhi, S.Chand and Co.
Strong, C.F.	:	Modern Political Constitutions, London, Sidgwick And Jackson.

Paper-PLSH. 402 (A)
POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY - II

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

1. Political Culture and Political Socialisation - Types and Relations, Agents of Political Socialisation	12
2. Political Participation - Mode and Determinants, Political Apathy	12
3. Political Parties - Importance, Types, Role and Functions	12
4. Pressure Groups - Types and Role	12
5. Political Development - Attributes, Theories of Political Development: Lucian Pye and Huntington	12

Suggested Readings :

Ashraf, A. and L.N. Sharma	:	Political Sociology: A New Grammar of Politics, Madras University Press.
Bottomore, Tom	:	Political Sociology, Bombay, B.I. Publication.
Mukhopadhyay, A.K.	:	Political sociology, Calcutta, K.P. Bagchi and Co.
Coulson, M and Carol Riddell	:	Approaching Sociology: A Critical Introduction, London, Routledge and Kegan Paul.
Rush, M. and Philip Althoff	:	An Introduction to Political Sociology London, Thomas Nelson.

Paper-PLSH. 402(B)
Modern Political Analysis - II

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

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| 1. Political Development - Concept, Attributes and Theories of Lucian Pye and Huntington | 12 |
| 2. Modernisation - Meaning, Attributes and Agencies | 12 |
| 3. Political Culture and Political Socialisation - Meaning and Relationship, Types of Political Culture, Agents of Political Socialisation | 12 |
| 4. Political Participation - Modes and Determinants, Political Apathy | 12 |
| 5. Political Evaluation - Normative, Empirical and Conceptual Analyses | 12 |

Suggested Readings :

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| Ball, Alan R. | : Modern Politics and Government, Macmillan, India |
| Dahl, R. A. | : Modern Political Analysis, New Delhi, Prentice Hall of India. |
| Gandhi, M.G | : Modern Political Analysis, New Delhi Oxford and IBH Publishing. |
| _____ | : Modern Political Theory, New Delhi, Oxford and IP Publishing. |
| Pye, Lucian | : Aspects of Political Development, Boston, Little Brown. |
| Valsnagar, K., M. Pinto, L. D'Silva | : Aspects of Political Theory, Bombay Orient Longman. |
| Varma. S.P. | : Modern Political Theory, New - Delhi, Vikash Publishing House. |
| Wasby, S.L. | : Political Science: The Discipline and its Dimensions, Calcutta Scientific Book Agency. |

Paper-PLSH. 402 (C)
COLONIALISM AND NATIONALISM IN INDIA - II

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

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|---|----|
| 1. Religious and Secular Nationalism: Syed Ahmed Khan, M. A. Jinnah, A. K. Azad, M. K. Gandhi, J. Nehru | 12 |
| 2. Democratic Humanist Phase: M. N. Roy, J. P. Narayan | 12 |
| 3. Perspectives of Labour Movement in India | 12 |

4. Perspectives of Labour Movement with Special Reference to Assam	12
5. Legacies of Colonialism: Challenges to Nation Building	12

Suggested Readings :

Bandopadhyay, J.	: Social and Political Thought of Gandhi, Allied Publishers, Bombay.
Chandra, Bipin	: Rise and Growth of Economic Nationalism in India, Peoples Publishing House, New-Delhi.
Chandra, Bipin	: Modern India, NCERT, New Delhi.
Chandra, Bipin, Amalesh Tripathi and Barun De	: Freedom Struggle, National Book Trust, India.
Desai, A. R.	: Social Background of Indian Nationalism, Popular Praakashan, Bombay.
Dutta, R. P	: India Today, Manisha, Calcutta.

Paper-PLSH. 403 (A) PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION IN INDIA

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

1. Evolution of Modern Administration in India	12
2. Personnel Administration in India - Recruitment - Training, Promotion, Motivation, Morale	12
3. UPSC: Composition, Functions and Role, Relation between Ministers and Civil Servants	12
4. Financial Administration - Budgetary Processes in India - Parliamentary Control over Finance in India, Comptroller and Auditor General of India	12
5. Citizen and Administration - Institution of Ombudsman in India, Lokpal and Lokayukta - Right to Information	12

Suggested Readings :

Avasthi & Avasthi	: Indian Administration, Agra, Lakshmi Narain Agarwal.
Bhambri, C. P	: Administrators in a Changing Society, Delhi National Publishing House.
Bhagwan, V & Vidya Bhushan	: Indian Administration, New Delhi, S. Chand & Co.
Maheswari, S. R	: Indian Administration, Bombay Orient Longman

Paper-PLSH. 403 (B)
INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

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| 1. League of Nations- Organization, Success and Failures | 12 |
| 2. UNO - Genesis, Principles and Organization -Principal Organs | 12 |
| 3. Specialized Agencies -ILO, FAO, WHO, UNESCO-Role and Evaluation | 12 |
| 4. UNO and Regional Organisation: ASEAN, NAM, SAARC, EU | 12 |
| 5. Regional Security Alliances: SEATO, Warsaw Treaty Organisation, NATO | 12 |

Suggested Readings :

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| Bhunya, N | : United Nations: Problems and Prospects, Calcutta, K.P. Bagchi and Co. |
| Bennet, A. Leroy | : International Organisation, New Jersey, Prentice Hall. |
| Barross, James (ed.) | : The UN: Past, Present and Future, New York, Free Press. |
| Bhattacharya, D.C | : International Relations since the Twentieth Century, Kolkata, Vijaya Publishing House. |
| Ghosh, Partha | : Co-operation and Conflict in South Asia, Delhi, Manohar Publication. |
| Gupta, B.S. | : Regional Co-operation and Development in South Asia, New Delhi, South Asian Publishers. |
| Gregg, Robert W. and M Barku | : The United Nations: The System and Its Function, New Delhi, Affiliated East Press. |
| Narasimhan, C.V. | : The UN; An Inside View, New Delhi, Vikas Publishing House. |
| Sinha, H.K. | : India's Role in SAARC, Delhi, Rahul Publishing House. |
| Tandon, M.P and V.K. Anand | : International Law and Human Rights, Faridabad, Allahabad Law Agency. |

Paper-PLSH. 403 (C)
GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS IN SOUTH ASIA- II

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

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| 1. South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC) and its Role | 12 |
| 2. Political Development and Political Transition in South Asian Countries | 12 |

3. Problems and Prospects of Economic Development in the Region 12
4. Major Issues in South Asian Countries - Ethnic Movements, Terrorism and Refugee Problem 12
5. India and Her Relationships with Neighbouring Countries 12

Suggested Readings :

- Amin, Samir : Imperialism and Unequal Development, Susses, Harvester.
- Bahadur, Kalim (ed) : South Asia in Transition: Conflicts and Tensions, New Delhi, Patriot Publishers
- Blackburn, R : Explosion in a Sub-Continent: India, Pakistan, Bangladesh and Ceylon, Harmondsworth.
- Brocher, M : The New States of South Asia-A Political Analysis, London.
- Sinha, H.K. : India's Role in SAARC, Delhi, Rahul Publishing House.
- Smith, D.E. : South Asian Politics and Religion.
- Wilson, A. Jeyaratnam and Dennis Dalton : The State of South Asia, Problems of National Integration, OUP.

FIFTH SEMESTER

Paper-PLSH. 501

GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS IN INDIA-I

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

1. Historical Development of the Indian Constitution -Features and Philosophy 12
2. Fundamental Rights, Fundamental Duties, Directive Principles of State Policy 12
3. Structure of Government -President, Prime Minister - Council of Ministers, Parliament: Structure, Functions and Role 12
4. Structure of Government: Governor, Chief Minister, Council of Ministers, State Legislature 12
5. Judicial System - Supreme Court - High Court- Judicial Review, Judicial Activism 12

Suggested Readings :

- Publication Division,
Government of India : Constitution of India.

Austin, Graneville	:	The Indian Constitution, Cornerstone of a Nation Oxford, Clarendon Press.
Bipin Chandra, et.al	:	Freedom Struggle, India, National Book Trust.
Basu D.D.	:	Introduction to the Constitution of India New Delhi, Printece Hall of India.
Kothari, Rajni	:	Politics in India, Bombay, Orient Longman.
Pylee, M.V.	:	Constitutional Government in India.
Johari, J.C.	:	Government and Politics in India, New Delhi, Vishal Publishers.
Hardgrave, Robert L.Jr.	:	India: Government and Politics in a Developing Nation, Delhi Freeman Book Company.
Palmer, N. D.	:	Indian Political System, Boston, Houghton Mifflin Co.
Sikri, S.L.	:	Government and Politics in India, Bombay, Kalyani Publisher.

Paper-PLSH.502 Socialist Thinkers - I

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No of Classes

1. Early Socialists-St. Simon, Charles Fourier, Robert Owen	12
2. Precursors of Marx- Hegel and Feuerbach	12
3. Marx - Dialectical Materialism, Historical Materialism, Theory of Surplus Value, Class Struggle	12
4. Marx - Alienation, State, Dictatorship of the Proletariat	12
5. Lenin- Imperialism, State and Revolution, Party, Dictatorship of the Proletariat	12

Suggested Readings :

Avineri, S.	:	The Social and political Thought of Karl Marx, OUP
Kolakowski, L.	:	Main Currents of Marxism (3 Volumes) Oxford.
Marx, K.H.	:	The Communist Manifesto.
McLellan, D.	:	Thought of Karl Marx.
Macmillan	:	Marxism after Marx.
Milliband, R.	:	Marxism and Politics, Oxford.
Singer, P.	:	Marx.
Subrata Mukherjee &	:	

Sushila Ramaswamy	:	A History of Socialist Thought, New Delhi, Sage.
Plamenatz	:	Man & Society, (Vol. 2).
Afanasev, N. G.	:	Marxist Philosophy, Progressive Publishers, Moscow.
Robert. C. Tucker	:	The Marxian Revolutionary Idea.
Chantal Mouffe (ed.)	:	Gramsci and Marxist Theory, Routledge & Keagal Paul.
Norman Geras	:	Literature of Revolution, Delhi, Disha Publisher.

Paper-PLSH.503
FREEDOM MOVEMENT AND POLITICS IN
NORTHEAST INDIA-I

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

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| 1. | Geopolitical and Historical Profile of North East in the 19 th . Century- British Annexation and the Amalgamation of Sylhet and Cachar to Assam and its Consequences | 12 |
| 2. | Nature and Growth of Freedom Struggle in different parts of the North East in the 19 th Century-Revolt of 1857 and the North East –Rebellion by the Nobles-Popular uprisings. | 12 |
| 3. | Formation of the Indian National Congress-the Moderate and the Militant Phase and their Impact on the North East | 12 |
| 4. | Gandhian Era-Non Cooperation Movement and the North East | 12 |
| 5. | Civil Disobedience Movement, Quit India Movement and the North East | 12 |

Suggested Readings :

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| Borpujari, H.K (Gen. Ed.) | : | Political History of Assam, Vol.I, Gauhati. |
| Bhuyan, A.C and others. | : | Political History of Assam Vol. I & II, Gauhati. |
| Chaube, S.K | : | Hill Politics in NE India, Bombay, Orient Longman. |
| Mazumder, R.C | : | History of Freedom Movement (3 Volumes), Calcutta, Firma KLM. |
| Choudhury, S. (ed.) | : | Mutiny Period of Cachar, Calcutta, Sribhumi Publishing Co. |
| Guha, A. | : | Planter Raj to Swaraj: Freedom Struggle and Elcrtoral Politics in Assam 1826-1947, New Delhi, ICHR. |
| Sen, S.N. | : | Eighteen Fifty Seven, Publication Division, Government |

	of India.
Dutta, A.	: Assam in the Freedom Movement, Calcutta, Darbari Prokashn.
Sarkar, S.	: Modern India, Macmillan.
Bhattacharjee, T.	: The Sylhet Referendum: A Study in Retrospect, Silchar.
Dutta, K.N.	: Landmarks of the Freedom Struggle in Assam Gauhati.
De, Sibopada	: Illegal Migration and the North East: A Study of Migrants from Bangladesh, Kolkata, MAKAIAS.
Tarachand	: History of the Freedom Movement in India' (4 Vols).

SIXTH SEMESTER

Paper-PLSH. 601

GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS IN INDIA-II

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

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| 1. Party system-Origin, Development and Changing Nature | 12 |
| 2. Structure, Ideology and Social Base of National and Regional Parties | 12 |
| 3. Political Dynamics-Secularism, Regionalism, National Integration-Role of Religion, Caste and Language | 12 |
| 4. Electoral Politics in India-Patterns and Trends | 12 |
| 5. Federalism and Democratic Decentralization - Recent Trends | 12 |

Suggested Readings :

Publication Division,	
Government of India	: Constitution of India.
Bipin Chandra, et.al	: Freedom Struggle, India, National Book Trust.
Basu D.D.	: Introduction to the Constitution of India New Delhi, Prentice Hall of India.
Austin, Graneville	: The Indian Constitution, Cornerstone of a Nation Oxford, Clarendon Press.
Kothari, Rajni	: Politics in India, Bombay, Orient Longman.

Pylee, M.V.	:	Constitutional Government in India.
Johari, J.C.	:	Government and Politics in India, New Delhi, Vishal Publishers.
Hardgrave, Robert L.Jr.	:	India: Government and Politics in a Developing Nation, Delhi Freeman Book Company.
Palmer, N. D.	:	Indian Political System, Boston, Houghton Mifflin Co.
Sikri, S.L.	:	Government and Politics in India, Bombay, Kalyani Publisher.
Reddy, G.Ram (ed.)	:	Patterns of Panchayat Raj in India.

Paper-PLSH.602 Socialist Thinkers II

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

1. Stalin: Nationality Question and Socialism in One Country	12
2. Mao - On Practice, On Contradiction	12
3. Mao: New Democracy, Cultural Revolution, On War	12
4. Euro Communism	12
5. New Left - Che Guevara, Herbert Marcuse	12

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Subrata Mukherjee & Sushila Ramaswamy	:	A History of Socialist Thought, New Delhi, Sage.
Plamenatz	:	Man & Society, (Vol. 2).
Afanasev, N. G.	:	Marxist Philosophy, Progressive Publishers, Moscow.
Sasoom, A. S.	:	Gramsci's Politics.
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Chantal Mouffe (ed.)	:	Gramsci and Marxist Theory, Routledge & Keagan Paul.
Norman Geras	:	Literature of Revolution, Delhi, Disha Publisher
Smart Ninian	:	Mao, Fontana.
Perl, M. K. (Trans.)	:	The Origin of Modern Leftism, Penguin.
Granston, Maurice	:	The New Left, Delhi, National Academy.

Paper-PLSH. 603
FREEDOM MOVEMENT AND
POLITICS IN NORTH EAST INDIA - II

Total marks- 50

Pass Marks - 17

No. of Classes

1. North East in the Twilight of Independence - Cabinet Mission, the Grouping Plan and Partition 12
2. Congress and Muslim League Politics in the North East - Question of Sylhet's Reunion with Bengal - Referendum and the Transfer of Sylhet to Pakistan and its Consequences 12
3. Politics of Immigration before and after Independence 12
4. Language Politics and Re-organisation of Assam, Anti-foreigners Agitation in Assam and its Consequences on the North East 12
5. Autonomy / Statehood Movements, Insurgency and its Impact 12

Suggested Readings :

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| Borpujari, H.K (Gen. Ed.) | : | Political History of Assam, Vol. I, Gauhati. |
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| Tarachand | : | History of the Freedom Movement in India' (4 Vols) |

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