

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

Branch (ii) B.A. Political Science
Choice Based Credit System (Overall)
With Effect From 2012-2013 onwards

No	Title	Hours	Marks		Credits		
			CA	ESE			
Semester- I							
1	Part-I	Language-I	4	50	50	3	Hours=30 Credits=24 *BT-Basic Tamil *AT- Advanced Tamil
2	Part-II	English-I	4	50	50	3	
3	Part-III						
4	Major	Principles of Political Science	5	50	50	5	
5	Major	Principles Of Modern Governments	5	50	50	5	
6	Part-III Allied-I	Principles Of Sociology	6	50	50	5	
7	Part-IV a	General Course: Introduction to Political Science/BT/AT	4	50	50	2	
8	Part-IV d	Value Education	2	50	50	1	
Semester- II							
9	Part-I	Language- II	4	50	50	3	Hours=30 Credits=24
10	Part-II	English-II	4	50	50	3	
11	Part-III						
12	Major	Indian Constitution	5	50	50	5	
13	Major	Western Governments	5	50	50	5	
14	Part-III Allied-I	Principles Of Public Administration	6	50	50	5	
15	Part-IV a	General Course: Introduction to Political Science/BT/AT	4	50	50	2	
16	Part-IV d	Value Education	2	50	50	1	
Semester- III							
17	Part-I	Language- III	4	50	50	3	Hours=30 Credits=23
18	Part-II	English- III	4	50	50	3	
19	Part-III Major	Western Political Thinkers (From Plato to Machiavelli)	5	50	50	5	
20	Major	Political Process in India	5	50	50	5	
21	Part-III Allied-II	Policy Studies/World Civilizations/ History of Tamil Literature-I	6	50	50	5	
22	Part-IV b	Personality Development (Skill Based)	2	50	50	-	
	Part-IV c	Environmental Studies	4			2	
Semester- IV							
23	Part-I	Language-IV	4	50	50	3	Hours=30 Credits=27
24	Part-II	English-IV	4	50	50	3	
25	Part-III Major	Modern Political Thinkers (From Hobbes to Marx)	5	50	50	5	
26	Major	Indian Administration	5	50	50	5	
27	Part-III c Allied-II	Allied: Policy Studies/World Civilizations/ History of Tamil Literature- II	6	50	50	5	
	Part-IV b	Personality Development (Skill Based)	2			3	
28	Part-IV b Inter-Disp.	Political Economy of India	4	50	50	3	

Semester- V							
29	Part-III	Introduction to Research Methodology	6	50	50	5	Hours=30 Credits=26
30	Major	Introduction to International Relations	6	50	50	5	
31	Major	Modern Indian Political Thinkers	6	50	50	5	
	Major						
32	Major	National Security of India	6	50	50	5	
33	Part-IV b Computer Skill (Skill Based)	Theory & Practical	2	50	50	3	
34	Part IV b General Electives (Skill Based)	Introduction to Human Rights	4	50	50	3	
Semester- VI							
35	Part-III a, b Major	Contemporary Political Theory	6	50	50	5	Hours=30 Credits=25
36	Major	Issues in International Relations	6	50	50	5	
37	Major	Political Ideologies	6	50	50	5	
39	Major	Govt. & Politics Of Tamil Nadu	6	50	50	5	
40	Major	Foreign Policy of India	6	50	50	5	
		<u>Part-V Extension Activities</u> (Taken outside class hours):- Physical Education NSS/NCC/Sports/Scrub Society Service learning program	1				Credit= 1

Mandatory Credits =140

Part -I: Language= 12

Part-II: English= 12

Part-III a :Core Courses= 60

Part-III b :Elective= 15

Part-III c :Allied= 20

Part-IV: Non-major Course= 20

Part-IV a: BT/AT/General Course

Part-IV b: Skill based (PD/ID/GE
Computer Skill)

Part- IV c: Environmental Studies

Part- IV d: Value Education

Part- V: Extension Activities= 1

Total Hours: 180

Total Credits: 150 (12+12+85+20+4+12+2+2+1)

Mandatory credits for a pass: 140

(12+12+75+20+4+12+2+2+1)

Part IV a:-

*BT: Those who have not studied Tamil up to 12th Std. and taken a non- tamil language Shall take Basic Tamil. (Level 6th Std.)

*AT: Those who have studied tamil up to 12th std, and taken a non-tamil language shall take Advanced Tamil.

*Others who do not come under the above two categories can choose non-major electives (General course)

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Semester-I						
1	Major	Political Theory	6	50	50	5
2	Major	Comparative Government	6	50	50	4
3	Major	Western Political Thought	6	50	50	5
4	Major	Human Rights	6	50	50	4
5	Elective	Sociological Thought	6	50	50	5
Semester-II						
6	Major	Constitution of India	6	50	50	5
7	Major	Comparative Politics	6	50	50	4
8	Major	International Relations	6	50	50	4
9	Major	Indian Political Thought	6	50	50	4
10	Elective	Society In India	6	50	50	5
Semester-III						
11	Major	Politics in India	6	50	50	5
12	Major	Comparative Foreign Policies	6	50	50	4
13	Major	Research Methodology	6	50	50	5
14	Major	Public Administration	6	50	50	4
15	Elective	Strategic Studies: Concepts and Issues	6	50	50	5
Semester-IV						
16	Major	Public Policy in India	6	50	50	4
17	Major	Issues in World Politics	6	50	50	5
18	Major	Dissertation	6	50	50	4
19	Major	Politics and Development in South Asia	6	50	50	4
20	Elective	State and Society in India	6	50	50	5
Total			120			90

Major: 16 Papers (10 x 4 = 40)
(6 x 5 = 30)
Elective: 4 Papers (4 x 5 = 20)

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M.Phil

PAPER I

Contemporary Political Theory

1. Contemporary Political Philosophies by Crespigny
2. Patterns of Political Behaviour by Alec Barbrook
3. Beyond Ideology by Germino
4. Rationalism in Politics by Michael Oakshott
5. New Science of Politics by Eric Voegelin

PAPER II

Research Methodology

1. Political System by David Easton
2. Research Methods in Social Sciences by Selltiz et al
3. Conducting Political Research by E.T.Jones
4. Methods in Social Research by Goode and Hatt

PAPER III

Content Paper