

Lesson Plan—Political Science

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Assistant Professor

Semester – Ist

AUGUST: Indian Constitution: Sources and Features, Preamble, Fundamental Rights, Fundamental Duties and Directive Principles of State Policy.

SEPTEMBER: Union Executive: President, Vice-President, Prime Minister, Council of Ministers; State Executive: Governor, Chief Minister and Council of Ministers.

OCTOBER: Union Legislature: Parliament-Composition and Functions; Speaker of Lok Sabha, Amendment Process; State Legislature: Vidhan Sabha; Panchayati Raj Institutions: History, Basic Features and 73rd Amendment.

NOVEMBER: Judiciary: Supreme Court, High Courts, Judicial Review and Judicial Activism.

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Semester – 2nd

January

Federalism and its Working with reference to Centre-State Relations, Demand for StateAutonomy; Emerging Trends in Indian Federation.

February

Election Commission, Electoral process and its Defects and Voting Behaviour, ElectoralReforms, Problem of Defection.

March

Party System in India : National and Regional Political Parties, Interest and Pressure Groups.

April

Role of Caste, Religion, Language, Regionalism in India, Politics of Reservation, Emerging Trends and Challenges Before Political System.

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Semester – 3rd

AUGUST- Raja Ram Mohan Ray and Swami Dayanand

SEPTEMBER - Swami Vivekanand and Aurbind Ghosh

OCTOBER-Lala Lajpat Rai and Bal Gangadhar Tilak

NOVEMBER - Dadabhai Narojee and Gopal Krishan Gokhle

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Semester – 4th

January

Mahatma Gandhi and M.N. Roy.

February

Jawarharlal Nehru and B.R. Ambedkar.

March

Subhash Chander Bose and Bhagat Singh.

April

J.P. Narayan and Ram Manohar Lohia.



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Semester – 5th

August

Definition, Nature, Scope and Development of the International Relations and Autonomy Debate regarding International Relations.

September

Approaches to the Study of International Relations : Idealist, Realist, System and Marxist-Leninist.

October

National Power: Definition, Elements & Assessment; Limitation of Power: International Law, International Morality and World Public Opinion.

November

Major Concepts: Balance of Power, Collective Security, Environmentalism and Globalisation.

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Semester – 6th

January

Evolution and Growth of International Organization League and UN System. Comparison between League and UN Systems.

Meaning, Types, Evolution and role of Regional Organisation

February

Organs of the United Nations.

March

Working of UN towards Peace: Peace-Making, Peace-Enforcement, Peace-Building and Peace-Keeping

April

UN & Disarmament; Democratization of UN and India's Claim for Permanent Seat; and Assessment of UN.