



**MAHARASHTRA EDUCATION SOCIETY
ABASAHEB GARWARE COLLEGE
(AUTONOMOUS)
(UNDER SAVITRIBAI PHULE PUNE UNIVERSITY)**

**Structure of B.A. Degree Program in Political Science
(Faculty of Humanities)**

**Choice Based Credit System
To be implemented from Academic Year 2022-2023**

STRUCTURE
UNDER GRADUATE

Eligibility: XIIth Pass of any Discipline

Sr. No	Year	Semester	Course Type	Paper Number	Course Code	Title of Paper	No. of Credits	No. of Lectures
1	FYBA	1	Theory	G-1	UAPO-111	Introduction to Indian Constitution	3	48
		2	Theory	G-1	UAPO-121	Introduction to Indian Government	3	48
2	SYBA	3	Theory	G-2/CC-1C	UAPO-233	Indian Political Thought	3	48
			Theory	S-1/DSE-1A	UAPO-231	Western Political Thought	3	48
			Theory	S-2/DSE-2A	UAPO-232	Introduction to International Relations	3	48
			Theory	SEC-2A	UAPOSEC-234	Political Journalism	2	16
3	SYBA	4	Theory	G-2/CC-1D	UAPO-243	Modern Political Ideologies	3	48
			Theory	S-1/DSE1B	UAPO-241	Key Concepts in Political Science	3	48
			Theory	S-2/DSE-2B	UAPO-242	Public Administration	3	48
			Theory	SEC-2B	UAPOSEC-244	Introduction to Research Tools	2	16
4	TYBA	5	Theory	G-3/CC-1E or G-3/CC-1E	UAPOELE-353A or UAPOELE-353B	India's Foreign Policy or Local Self Government: Urban	3	48
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			Theory	S-3/DSE-1C	UAPO-351	Modern Political Analysis	3	48
			Theory	S-4/DSE-2C	UAPO-352	Introduction to Political Economy	3	48
			Theory	SEC-2C	UAPOSEC-354	Introduction to Women's Studies	2	16
5	TYBA	6	Theory	G-3/CC-2E or G-3/CC-2E	UAPOELE-363A or UAPOELE-363B	Issues in World Politics or Local Self Government: Rural	3	48
			Theory	S-3	UAPO-361	Research Methodology	3	48
			Theory	S-4	UAPO-362	Introduction to Political Sociology	3	48
			Theory	SEC-2C	UAPOSEC-364	Understanding Politics through Films	2	16

STRUCTURE**POST GRADUATE****Eligibility: Graduate of any Discipline**

Sr. No	Year	Semester	Course Type	Paper Number	Course Code	Title of Paper	No. of Credits	No. of Lectures
1	MA-I	1	Theory	PO-C1	PAPO-111	Traditions of Political Thought	4	60
				PO-C2	PAPO-112	Administrative Theory	4	60
				PO-C3	PAPO-113	Political Institutions in India	4	60
				PO-04	PAPOELE-114	India's Foreign Policy	4	60
		2	Theory	PO-C4	PAPO-121	Comparative Political Analysis	4	60
				PO-C5	PAPO-122	Theory of International Politics	4	60
				PO-C6	PAPO-123	Public Policy	4	60
				PO-06	PAPOELE-124	Human Rights	4	60
2	MA-II	3	Theory	PO-C7	PAPO-231	Modern Political Thought	4	60
				PO-C8	PAPO-232	Political Sociology	4	60
				PO-C9	PAPO-233	World Politics: New Developments	4	60
				PO-09	PAPOELE-234	Indian Administration	4	60
		4	Theory	PO-C10	PAPO-241	Fundamentals of Political Theory	4	60

				PO-C11	PAPO-242	Political Process in India	4	60
				PO-C12	PAPO-243	Politics and Society	4	60
				PO-016	PAPOELE-244	Globalisation and the State	4	60



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**Three Year B.A. Degree Program in Political Science
(Faculty of Humanities)**

SYLLABI UNDER AUTONOMY

**F.Y.B.A.
Political Science**

**Choice Based Credit System Syllabus
To be implemented from Academic Year 2022-2023**

Objectives

The contents of this course are designed with the following objectives:

1. To acquaint students with the basic features of the Constitution of India
2. To familiarise students with the working of the Indian Government
3. To create awareness among the students about the functioning of the Indian Polity

SEMESTER I**INTRODUCTION TO INDIAN CONSTITUTION**

Course Code- (UAPO-111)

Total Credits: 03

	Period
Unit 1: Making of the Indian Constitution	12
a) Constituent Assembly and Preamble	
b) Salient Features	
c) Basic Structure Doctrine	
Unit 2: Fundamental Rights, Duties and Directive Principles	12
a) Fundamental Rights	
b) Fundamental Duties	
c) Directive Principles of State Policy	
Unit 3: Federalism	12
a) Features of Indian Federalism	
b) Centre-State Relations	
c) Issues of Conflict(Water and Border Disputes)	
Unit 4: Parliamentary System	12
a) Features of Parliamentary System	
b) Relation of Legislature with Executive and Judiciary	
c) Bureaucracy	

SEMESTER II**INTRODUCTION TO INDIAN GOVERNMENT****Course Code- (UAPO-121)****Total Credits: 03****Period****Unit 1: Structure of Union Government****12**

- a) Union Legislature- Structure, Powers and Role
 - i) Lok Sabha
 - ii) Rajya Sabha
- b) Union Executive- Structure, Power and Role
 - i) President
 - ii) Prime Minister
 - iii) Council of Ministers

Unit 2: Structure of State Government**12**

- a) State Legislature - Structure, Power and Role
- b) State Executive - Structure, Power and Role
 - i) Governor
 - ii) Chief Minister
 - iii) Council of Ministers

Unit 3: Judiciary**12**

- a) Supreme Court: Powers and Functions
- b) High Court: Powers and Functions
- c) Judicial Review and Judicial Activism

Unit 4: Electoral System**12**

- a) Election Commission: Composition, Function and Role
- b) Chief Election Commissioner
- c) Electoral Reforms

Proposed Outcomes

1. Students will learn about the structures of governance and philosophy.
2. Students will be skilled with the conceptual base of Indian Constitution.
3. Understand the working of the Indian Political System.

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