



# **SAVITRIBAI PHULE PUNE UNIVERSITY**

**(formerly University of Pune)**

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

**(Credit and Semester System under NEP-2020)**

**Revised syllabus will be implemented with effect from the**

**Academic Year 2024-2025**

# SAVITRIBAI PHULE PUNE UNIVERSITY PUNE.

## BOS, Political Science and Public Administration

### FYBA Political Science Semester I & II

Course structure as per NEP 2020 From Academic Year 2024-25

		DSC-1	DSC-2	VSC-3	GE/OE	SEC	IKS	AEC	VEC	CC	TOTAL	
<b>4.5/ 100</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>2T+ 2T/ P</b>	<b>2T+2T/P</b>	<b>2T+ 2T/ P</b>	<b>2T</b>	<b>2T/ P</b>	<b>2T</b> Generic	<b>2T</b>	<b>2</b>		<b>22</b>	
			POL 101 MJ (2T) Introduction to Political Science-I		OE 101 POL (2T) Good Citizen-ship			-	VEC 101 POL (2T) Indian Constitution			
			POL 102 MJP (2P) Political Science - Practical-I									
	<b>1<sup>ST</sup> Year</b>	<b>II</b>	<b>2T+ 2T/ P</b>	<b>2T+2T/P</b>	<b>2T+ 2T/ P</b>	<b>2T/P</b>	<b>2T/ P</b>		<b>2T</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>22</b>
				POL 151 MJ (2T) Introduction to Political Science-II		OE 151 POL (2P) Good Citizen-ship - Practical						
				POL 152 MJP (2P) Political Science - Practical-II								
		<b>4T +4P</b>	<b>4T +4P</b>	<b>4T +4P</b>	<b>2T+2T/P</b>	<b>2T/ P+2 T/P</b>	<b>2T</b>	<b>2T+2 T</b>	<b>2+2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>44</b>	

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

### **Semester I (Total 08 Credits)**

1. POL 101 MJ : Introduction to Political Science - I (2T)
2. POL 102 MJP : Political Science - Practical – I (2P)
3. OE 101 POL : Good Citizenship (2T)
4. VEC 101 POL : Indian Constitution (2T)

### **Semester II (Total 06 Credits)**

1. POL 151 MJ : Introduction to Political Science – II (2T)
2. POL 152 MJP : Political Science - Practical – II (2P)
3. OE 151 POL : Good Citizenship - Practical (2P)

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

## **Semester I (Total 08 Credits)**

1. POL 101 MJ : Introduction to Political Science - I (2T)
2. POL 102 MJP : Political Science – Practical - I (2P)
3. OE 101 POL : Good Citizenship (2T)
4. VEC 101 POL : Indian Constitution (2T)

# **POL 101 MJ : Introduction to Political Science -I**

**Total Credits: 2T**

**Total Hours: 30**

## **Objectives:**

This course is designed to acquaint students with the –

1. Important concepts in Political Science.
2. Approaches to study Political Science.
3. Basic Concepts and Values in Political Science.

## **Course Outcomes :**

1. The students will be able to understand the nature and scope of Political Science.
2. The students shall understand the various traditional and modern approaches to the study of Political Science.
3. The students will understand the basic concepts in Political Science and apply these concepts in making sense of social realities.

## **Unit I – Introduction to Political Science**

**15**

- a. Meaning and Definition.
- b. Nature of Political Science.
- c. Scope of Political Science.
- d. Approaches to the Study Political Science -Traditional and Modern.

## **Unit II – The State**

**15**

- a. Meaning and Definition.
- b. Evolution of State.
- c. Nature of State.
- d. Elements of the State.

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2. Gupta Sachdeo and Singh S K, 1987, *Political Theory and Ideology*, Delhi, Ajanta Prakashan.
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## **POL 102 MJP : Political Science Practical -I**

**Total Credits: 2P**

**Total Hours : 60**

### **Objective:**

1. To enable the students to apply their understanding of basic concepts of Political Science and their application.
2. To understand the various dimensions of state, equality-freedom and democracy through their practical use.

### **Learning Outcomes :**

1. Students will know how to apply the concepts learned in class in real life.
2. The students will know how the contents of Political Science are actually used.

### **Practical : Write a report on the challenges facing democracy through Newspapers**

**(Any Two)**

**60**

1. Violation of Freedom
2. Violation of Equality
3. Violation of Sovereignty
4. Violation of Justice
5. Violation of Power of State
6. Other violation of Democracy.

**Process of Activity:**

1. Students have to complete each activity by studying the Newspapers and Films or Short films.
2. Each student has to complete these activities under the guidance of a guide/mentor. The Department of Political Science will allot the students respective guides/mentors. The Department of Political Science may also appoint guides/mentors from other faculties or subject related industry areas.
3. Students have to choose the topic of activity in consultation with the teacher/guide/mentor.
4. After the study the student has to submit two separate reports and each report will be a minimum of one thousand words. In the report along with write-up must be included photographs, newspaper clippings, images for the support of study. Students can give graphs, tables for statistics.
5. The report should contain objectives, observations and conclusions.
6. After the approval letter from the guide/mentor, students can submit the report to the department.
7. After submission of the report, the department will conduct an interview of students or arrange a presentation in the classroom.
8. Assessment will be done on the basis of a report and interview/presentation.
9. Activity reports will be of 35 marks and the interview will be of 15 marks.



# OE 101 POL : Good Citizenship

**Total Credits: 2 T**

**Total Hours: 30**

## **Objectives**

1. To explore the idea of citizenship, covering historical perspectives, civic responsibilities, and the evolving nature of good citizenship.
2. To stimulate thinking by prompting students to reflect on the dynamic aspects of good citizenship, including social justice, inclusivity, and the challenges associated with responsible civic participation.
3. To enable the students to develop the basic skill set to contribute to the well-being of the society as good citizens.

## **Learning Outcomes**

1. The students will develop a basic understanding of citizenship theories and concepts, demonstrating a comprehension of the foundational elements that shape good citizenship.
2. They will be able to take on the challenges to citizenship in a more matured learned manner.
3. They will acquire the skills necessary for effective civic discussion, enabling students to actively contribute to community discussions, collaborate with peers, and work towards positive societal changes.

### **1. Introduction**

**15**

- a. Meaning and Definition of Citizen and Citizenship
- b. Concept of Citizenship in Indian Context
- c. Responsible Citizenship : Fundamental Duties
- d. Citizenship Acts

### **2. Challenges to being Active Citizens**

**15**

- a. Issues of Social Justice and Inclusiveness (gender equality, racial and ethnic diversity and promotion of equitable society)
- b. Digital Challenge (online privacy, digital rights and impact of social media on civic engagement)

- c. Environmental Challenge (climate change, sustainable development of responsibility of citizens)
- d. Political Participation and Disinformation Challenge (issues like voter suppression, voter polarization and role of civic education in fostering informed citizenship and impact of fake news, propaganda and digital manipulation on formation of informed and responsible citizens)

### **Readings:**

1. Bhargav Rajeev & Acharya Ashok, ....., *Political Theory : An Introduction*, Pearson Longman (Topic 8 covers concept of Citizenship) Common Sense Education, *Digital CitizenshipCurriculum*,  
<https://www.commonsense.org/education/digital-citizenship/curriculum>
2. De Rohit, 2018, *A People's Constitution : The Everyday Life of Law in the Indian Republic*, Princeton University Press.
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12. पठाण नूरखान, 2022, *आपले संविधान - राज्यपद्धती नव्हे तर जीवनपद्धती*, कल्याण, प्रियदर्शी पब्लिकेशन.
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14. सुमंत यशवंत, 2018, *प्रा. यशवंत सुमंत यांची तीन भाषणे*, पुणे, युनिक अॅकॅडमी पब्लिकेशन.

## VEC 101 POL : Indian Constitution

Total Credits: 2T

Total Hours: 30

### Objective:

1. To sensitize the significance of the Constitution of India to students from all faculties and help them to understand the basic concepts of Indian Constitution.
2. To familiarize students with the working of the Constitution of India.
3. To help the students to understand the importance of fundamental rights as well as fundamental duties.

### Learning Outcomes:

1. The students will be able to explain the core philosophy and ideals of the Indian Constitution.
2. The students will be able to understand the Indian values, ideals and the role of the Constitution in a democracy.
3. Students will know about the fundamental rights and how these rights are different from the Directive Principles of the State Policy.

### Unit 1 : Making of the Indian Constitution

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- a) Historical Background
- b) Constituent Assembly
- c) Preamble
- d) Salient features of Indian Constitution

### Unit 2 : Fundamental Rights, Fundamental Duties and Directive Principles of State

#### Policy

15

- a. Meaning and Importance
- b. Fundamental Rights.
- c. Fundamental Duties
- d. Directive Principles of State Policy

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2. Austin Granville, 1999, *The Indian Constitution: Cornerstone of a Nation*, Oxford, Oxford University Press.
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7. Jha Rajesh, 2012, *Fundamentals of Indian Political System*. Delhi, Dorling Kindersley (India) Pvt. Ltd., Pearson Education Society.
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# **F.Y.B.A Political Science**

## **Semester II (Total 06 Credits)**

1. POL 151 MJ : Introduction to Political Science – II (2T)
2. POL 152 MJP : Political Science - Practical – II (2P)
3. OE 151 POL : Good Citizenship - Practical (2P)

## **POL 151 MJ : Introduction to Political Science -II**

**Total Credits: 2T**

**Total Hours: 30**

### **Objectives:**

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1. Important concepts in Political Science.
2. Approaches to study Political Science.
3. Basic Concepts and Values in Political Science.

### **Course Outcomes :**

1. The students will be able to understand the nature and scope of Political Science.
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### **Unit I – Sovereignty**

**15**

- a. Meaning and Definition.
- b. Evolution of Sovereignty.
- c. Characteristics of Sovereignty.
- d. Types of Sovereignty.

### **Unit II – Liberty and Equality**

**15**

- a. Meaning and Nature
- b. Aspects of Liberty and Equality
- c. Types of Liberty
- d. Dimensions of Equality

## References :

1. Bhargava Rajeev and Ashok Acharya (eds.), 2008, *Political Theory*, Delhi, Pearson.
2. Gupta Sachdeo and Singh S K, 1987, *Political Theory and Ideology*, Delhi, Ajanta Prakashan.
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## **POL 152 MJP : Political Science - Practical - II**

**Total Credits: 2P**

**Total Hours : 60**

### **Objective:**

1. To enable the students to apply their understanding of basic concepts of Political Science and their application.
2. To understand the various dimensions of state, equality-freedom and democracy through their practical use.

### **Learning Outcomes :**

3. Students will know how to apply the concepts learned in class in real life.
4. The students will know how the contents of Political Science are actually used.

### **Practical : Write a report on the challenges facing democracy through films and**

#### **Short Films. (Any Two)**

**60**

1. Challenges before Freedom
2. Challenges before Equality
3. Challenges before Sovereignty
4. Challenges before Justice
5. Challenges before Power of State
6. Other challenges before Democracy.



**Process of Activity:**

1. Students have to complete each activity by studying the Newspapers and Films or Short films.
2. Each student has to complete these activities under the guidance of a guide/mentor. The Department of Political Science will allot the students respective guides/mentors. The Department of Political Science may also appoint guides/mentors from other faculties or subject related industry areas.
3. Students have to choose the topic of activity in consultation with the teacher/guide/mentor.
4. After the study the student has to submit two separate reports and each report will be a minimum of one thousand words. In the report along with write-up must be included photographs, newspaper clippings, images for the support of study. Students can give graphs, tables for statistics.
5. The report should contain objectives, observations and conclusions.
6. After the approval letter from the guide/mentor, students can submit the report to the department.
7. After submission of the report, the department will conduct an interview of students or arrange a presentation in the classroom.
8. Assessment will be done on the basis of a report and interview/presentation.
9. Activity reports will be of 35 marks and the interview will be of 15 marks.

## **OE 151 POL : Good Citizenship - Practical**

**Total Credits: 2P**

**Total Hours : 60**

### **Objectives :**

1. To engage students in hands-on experiences, such as community service projects and civic workshops, fostering the practical application of citizenship skills in real-world settings.
2. To appreciate the diversity in our society and integrate it meaningfully to create a better society.

### **Learning Outcomes :**

1. They will be able to showcase the ability to translate theoretical knowledge into practical action through engagement in community service projects and active participation in civic initiatives.
2. This will help them to understand the real-life situations in our society and use their skills to practically deal with them

### **Activity 1 : College Campus need based Activity (Any one)**

**30**

1. Cleanness
2. Tree plantation
3. Voter awareness and registration
4. Beautification
5. Group discussion and lectures
6. College need based other activity

### **Activity 2 : Society need based Activity (Any one)**

**30**

1. Health awareness
2. Flag hoisting awareness
3. Tax pay awareness
4. Road safety awareness
5. Public property awareness
6. Society need based other activity

**Process of Activity:**

1. Students have to complete each activity by studying with active participation.
2. Each student has to complete this activity under the guidance of a guide/mentor. The Department of Political Science will allot the students respective guides/mentors. The Department of Political Science may also appoint guides/mentor from other faculties or subject related industry areas.
3. Students have to choose the college and society needs base activity in consultation with the teacher/mentor.
4. After the study the student has to submit two separate reports and each report will be a minimum of one thousand words. In the report along with writeup must be included photographs, newspaper clippings, images for the support of study. Students can give graphs, tables for statistics.
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