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To
The Registrar,
University of Allahabad,
Allahabad.
Sir,

With reference to your mail dated 07.1.2020 regarding Academic Calendar for Old Batch and newly admitted Students enclosed is a copy of the U.G. and P.G. (all 4 Semesters) syllabus which has been duly curtailed by faculty members keeping in view the reduced number of teaching days

This is being sent for your perusal and necessary action
With regards,

Yours sincerely,

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(Prof. A. Agarwal)
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Syllabus

B.A. I

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B.A. PART – I

PAPER I

POLITICAL THEORY

UNIT – I

DEFINITION: Nature and Scope of Political Science. Political Science as study of State Government, as study of Power, as study of Political System.

NOMENCLATURE: Political Science, Politics, Political Theory, Political Philosophy, Comparative Politics.

POLITICAL SCIENCE- Its relation with other Social Sciences.

APPROACHES : Different approaches to the study of Political Science, e.g. Historical, Philosophical, Behavioural and Post- Behavioural.

UNIT – II

STATE:

i) Meaning and Elements, Dominant Perspectives -Idealistic, Individualistic, Liberal Social Welfare, Contemporary Libertarian Gandhian Concept and Marxian view of the State.

ii) Origin of the State – different theories, eg. Divine-origin, force social contract, evolutionary.

UNIT –III

SOVEREIGNTY : Concept : Attributes, Different Theories : Monistic, Pluralistic and Philosophical. Nation and Nationalism, Challenges before the Nation -state, Globalisation and Emergence of Civil Society.

UNIT –IV

CONCEPTS: Liberty, Equality, Rights, Law Justice Punishment and Citizenship

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

B.A. PART – I

PAPER II

Theory and Practice of Modern Governments (with special reference to U.K., U.S.A., China and India)

UNIT – I

Constitution of U.K.: Salient features, Conventions, Monarchy, Cabinet, prime Minister, Parliament -organization, powers and functions, Reform of the House of the lords, Organs of the higher judiciary -powers and functions, Party System.

UNIT – II

Constitution of U.S.A. : Salient features, Federalism, Constitutional Amendments, President, Vice President, Cabinet, Congress-organization, powers and functions, Supreme Court -organization, powers and functions, Judicial Review, Party System.

UNIT – IV

Constitution of India (A): The constituent Assembly- organization, powers and functions, Objectives and Philosophy of the India Constitution-Preamble, Main Features, Procedure of Amendment, Federalism, Fundamental Rights, Directive Principles of State Policy and Fundamental duties.

UNIT – V

Constitution of India (B): President, Emergency Provision, Prime Minister and Council of Ministers, Parliament – organization, powers and functions, Judiciary – Supreme Court and High Court -organization, powers and functions, Judicial activism, Governor, Chief minister and Council of Ministers, State Legislature-organization, powers and functions, Panchayati raj and Urban Local Bodies, Party System in India – basic features.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

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B.A. PART – II

PAPER I

WESTERN POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY

UNIT – I

MEANING and Nature of Political Thought – Characteristics of Ancient Greek Political Thought.

Plato: Justice, Communism, Education, Ideal State, Sub-Ideal State.

Aristotle: Method, Origin, Nature and End of State, Property and Slavery, Revolution, Law and Justice and Citizenship.

UNIT – II

FEATURES OF MEDIEVAL POLITICAL THOUGHT

Aquinas: Scholasticism, State-Church Relationship, Law, his importance.

Machiavelli: Life and Times, Views on Religion, Morality, State, Diplomacy, his importance.

Bodin: Theory of State and Sovereignty, his importance.

UNIT – III

Hobbes, Locke, Rousseau: State of Nature, Social Contract, Sovereignty, State, Rousseau's concept of General Will.

UNIT – V

Hegel: Dialectics, State, His importance. Marx: Dialectical Materialism, Economic Analysis of History, Theory of Class Conflict, Revolution and Communism, Importance of Marx.

Lenin: State, Revolution, Party and Imperialism.

Mao: Peasantry, Revolution, Guerilla Warfare, Importance of his Philosophy.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

**B.A. PART – II
PAPER II**

COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS

UNIT – I

Approaches to the study of Comparative Government

- (i) Meaning of Comparative Government and Comparative Politics.
- (ii) Nature and Scope
- (iii) Traditional and Modern Approaches.

UNIT – II

Constitution and Constitutionalism

- (i) Constitution – Meaning and Making
- (ii) Amendments and Revision.
- (iii) Constitutionalism: Meaning, Nature, Kinds of Constitutionalism
- (iv) Rule of Law
- (v) Legislature
- (vi) Executive
- (vii) Judiciary.

UNIT – III

Organisation of Governments:

- (i) Unitary and Federal
- (ii) Parliamentary and Presidential
- (iii) United Front and Coalition Government
- (iv) Democracy and Dictatorship.
- (v) Local Self Government.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

UNIT –IV

1. Political Culture and Socialisation
2. Political Parties
Organisation and Functions of Political Parties.
Types of Party System: Liberal Democratic, models and Communist Model with special reference to China Role of Parties in Modern States.
3. Pressure Group: Meaning, importance and kinds of Pressure Groups.

Role and Techniques of Pressure Groups in democracy.

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B.A. III

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<p style="text-align: center;">B.A. PART – III PAPER I INDIAN POLITICAL THOUGHT</p> <p>UNIT – I</p> <p>Main Features of Ancient Indian Political Thought, Political Ideas of Manuj and Kautilya.</p> <p>UNIT – III</p> <p>Indian Renaissance and Political Ideas of Raja Ram Mohan Roy, Dayanand Saraswati and Vivekanand.</p> <p>UNIT – IV</p> <p>Main Features Political Ideas of Bal Gangadhar Tilak, Aurobindo Ghosh, M.N. Roy and Jay Prakash Narayan.</p> <p>UNIT – V</p> <p>Jawahar Lal Nehru, Mahatma Gandhi and B.R. Ambedkar.</p>	<p>BOOKS RECOMMENDED:</p>
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B.A. PART – III

PAPER II

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO INDIA

UNIT – I

Meaning Scope & Significance of Public Administration. NPA & NPM

Organisation- Meaning, Types & Bases

Principles of Organisation (i) Span of Control (ii) Unity of Command (iii) Hierarchy (iv) Centralisation & Decentralisation

UNIT – II

Ecology of Indian Administration-(i) Constitution of India (ii) Parliamentary Democracy (ii) Federalism (iv) Planning (v) Socialism.

Structure of Organisation-(i) Central Secretariat (ii) Cabinet Secretaria (ii) PMO

Centre-State Relations- (i) Legislative (ii) Administrative (iii) Financial (iv) Recent Developments

UNIT – III

Planning in India – (i) History & Growth (ii) Impact of Liberalization (iii) NITI Aayog its Organization, Structure and Functions.

Public Sector Undertakings- (i) History & Growth(ii) Classifications (iii) Role & Relevance in the Post-Liberalization era.

Parliamentary Control over Financial Administration – (i) Public Accounts Committee (ii) Estimates Committee (iii) Committee on Public Undertakings (iv) Comptroller & Auditor General.

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

UNIT – V

Welfare Administration of SC, ST & Women.
Important Issues in Indian Administration- (i)
Generalist-Specialist Controversy (ii) Problem of
Corruption (iii) Redressal of Public Grievances
(iv) Lok Pal & Lokayukta (v) Minister-Civil Servant
Relationship.

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B.A. PART – III
PAPER III
THEORY AND PRACTICE OF
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

UNIT – I

The Study of International Relations: Meaning,
Nature and Scope
Approaches to the study of IR: Realist and Liberal
Role of state and non-state actors

UNIT – II

Cold War and its impact on world politics
Features of the present world order
Globalization and its impact on the developing
world
Problems of the third world security

UNIT – III

NAM: Origin, role and relevance
North-South Dialogue
Regional Organisations: ASEAN, SAARC

UNIT – V

India's foreign policy: Determinants and Objectives
Key features of Indian foreign policy
India's relations with Pakistan
The Post-Cold War India-US relations

BOOKS RECOMMENDED:

Suggested Book List for B.A.-I (Political Science)

***First Paper** (You can take anyone from the below list as per your need)

1. राजनीतिक सिद्धांत- ओ पी गाबा
2. राजनीति विज्ञान- ए डी आशीर्वादम और के के मिश्रा
3. An Introduction to Political Theory- O P Gauba
4. Political Theory- Eddy Ashirvadam & K K Mishra
5. राजनीतिक सिद्धांत- पुखराज जैन

***Second Paper** (You can take anyone from the below list as per your need)

1. विश्व के प्रमुख संविधान- हरि मोहन जैन
2. आधुनिक सरकारें सिद्धांत एवं व्यवहार- पुखराज जैन
3. Select Constitution- A C Kapoor and K K Mishra
4. World Constitution- Bhagawan, Bhushan and Mohla
5. An Introduction to Comparative Politics/तुलनात्मक राजनीति की रूपरेखा- ओ पी गाबा

***For Indian Constitution you can also read**

- 1-Indian Polity/भारत की राजव्यवस्था- M Laxmikant (Latest Edition)