

VEER NARMAD SOUTH GUJARAT UNIVERSITY, SURAT
Faculty of Arts- M.A. (POLITICAL SCIENCE) EXTERNAL

With Effect From 2014-15 Academic Year: Annual Examination Mode:
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Papers for MA Political Science are as below:

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All are compulsory papers

- Paper- I : Government & Politics of India.
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Second Year: M.A. PART – II
All are compulsory papers

- Paper - VI : Contemporary Political Theory : Issues & Trends.
Paper - VII : Major Ideas & Issues in Public Administration.
Paper - VIII : Indian Foreign Policy
Paper – IX : Research Methodology
Paper - X : Government & Politics of Gujarat.

Note: Each paper will be of 100 marks.

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PAPER - I
GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS OF INDIA.

- Unit - 1 : IDEOLOGICAL CONTENTS : Background of the Constituent Assembly, Preamble, Fundamental Rights and Duties, Directive Principles of State Policy.
- Unit - 2 : FEDERALISM and its Working with reference to centre-state relationship and demands for state autonomy.
- Unit - 3 : UNION, STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT.: Parliament, President, Prime Minister, Cabinet. State legislature, Governor, Chief Minister, Urban and Rural Local Bodies .
- Unit - 4 : ELECTION & PARTY SYSTEM : Nature of Party System, National & Regional Parties, Pressure Groups , patterns of coalition politics, Election Commission.
- Unit - 5 : CRITICAL ASSESSMENT OF INDIAN POLITICAL SYSTEM: constitution as an instrument of social change - amendment process, judicial system, judicial activism, Impact of caste, religion, regionalism, communalism and language.

BOOKS :

- Indian Political System : N. D. PAIMER.
- The Foundations of New India : K. M. PANNIKKAR.
- New Patterns of Democracy in India : V. M. DEAN.
- Union - States Relations in India : V. K. SANTHANAM.
- The Indian Paradox : Essays in Indian Politics: WEINER, M.,
- Politics in India :KAVIRAJ, SUDIPTA.
- ‘ The Indian State fifty years, C.P.Bhambri Shipra - New Delhi 1999.
- ‘Politics of India Since Independence (2nd ed) P.Brass Cambridge university press Cambridge,1994.
- F.R.Transforming India Social and political dynamics of Frankel democracy New Delhi Oxford University Press 2000.
- Cobridge S. and Harris ‘Reinventng India Liberalization; Hindu nationalism and popular democracy oxford university press Delhi 2001.

- A Kohli ‘ The Success of Indias democracy Cambridge, university press Cambdge 2001.
- R. Thakur The government and politics of India Macmillan London 1998.
- Arora B. and D.V.Verney(ed) Multiple identities in a Single state Indian federalism in comparative perspective konark Delhi 1995.
- S Bay’y Caste, Society and politics in India from the eighteen Century to the modern Age, Cambridge university press 1999.Cambrdge.
- P.R.Brass Language, Religion and politics in north India Cambridge university press 1974.
- Shukla Dinesh ‘ Indian politics’(in Gujarati) university Granthnirman board Ahmedabad.
- Kothari Rajani(Tran by sheth P.N. & Shukla Dinesh) Indian politics university Granth Nirmanboard Ahmedabad.
- Dr.Shukla G.B.’ Government and politics of India’ Popular Prakashan Surat.
- Dr.Shukla G.B.’ Government at centre and State level Gujar Grant Nirman Ahmedabad-2007
- Basu DD, An Introduction to the Constitution of India
- S Kaushik (ed), Indian Government and Politics
- Rajni Kothari, Politics in India

PAPER – II

MODERN INDIAN POLITICAL THOUGHT

- Unit - 1 : Overview of Indian political thought genesis and development. The Indian renaissance : Rammohan Roy to Vivekanand.
- Unit - 2 : The Debate Between the Moderates and Extremists. Critique of Caste System- Ambedkar and Periyar.
- Unit - 3 : Contributions of Mahatma Gandhi, Jawaharlal Nehru, Rammanohar Lohia
- Unit - 4 : Nationalism - Revolutionary & Composite.
- Unit - 5 : Liberlism, Socialism, Communism.

BOOKS :

- Indian Thought - A Critical Survey, K. Mamodran.
- Modern Indian Political Thought, S. Ghose.
- A History of Indian Political Ideas, U. N. Ghoshal.
- Indian Politics from Dadabhai Navroji To Gandhi - A Study of Political Ideas of Modern India : K. P. Karunakaran.
- Indian Political Through - V. P. Varma.
- Political Thought in Modern India, Pantham, Thomas & Deustch, K
- Foundation of Indian political thought- Mehta V.R. .
- Dr.B.R.Ambedkar, -Kadam K.N.(ed)
- Tamil renaissance and Dravidian nationalism Arooran K.Nambi .
- ‘Modern Indian Political Thinkers’ (in Gujarati) Vol.-1,2,&3 Pandya H.J Anada Prakashan, Ahmedabad.
- ‘Indian Political Thinkers’ Dr.Shukla G.B .
- India’s Idea of Freedom, D.G.Dalton

PAPER - III INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS.

- Unit - 1 : Nature and scope of International Relations, Methodology, Development, of the study of International Relations Level of Analysis - Approaches and trends in International Relations. Emergence of New States, Theories of Imperialism.
- Unit - 2 : Capability Inventory : Nation States, Determinants of National Power, National Security - National Interest.
- Unit - 3 : Ideology - International Law - Balance of Power, Collective security, World Public Opinion, Morality in International Relations, Arms Control, Disarmament, Nuclear Non - Proliferation Treaty, Human Rights.
- Unit - 4 : Theories of Foreign Policy : Foreign Policy Making, Ends of Foreign Policy, Diplomacy, Politics of Aid & Development, Propaganda, Intervention, Foreign Policy of UK, USA, Russia, China & India.
- Unit - 5 : International Organisations : U.N., W.T.O., I.M.F. Regionalism, International Economic, Co-operation, New International Economic Order.

BOOKS :

- Politics Among Nations : Hans J. Morgenthau.
- Concepts of International Politics. C. O. Lerche & A. A. Said.
- Foreign Policy in World Politics, R. C. Macridis.
- Approaches and Theory in International Relations : T. Talor.
- The Imperatives of Non-Alignment, A. P. Rana.
- Beyond the Nation State : Functionalism and International Organisation, By E. B. Hass.
- Games Nations Play : John Spanair.
- , Set. al., Theories of International Relation, Macmillan, Hampshire, 2001.
- Sullivan, M. R. Theories of International Politics, Macmillan, Hampshire, 2001.
- Kumar S.(ed) The united Nations at 50 : An Indian View UBSPD, Delhi.1995.
- Saxena K.P. Reforming the United Nations : The Challenge and relevance Sage Publications New Delhi-1993.
- Jacobson H.K., Network of interdependence international organizations and the Global political System, Alfred Knopf, Newyork -1979.

PAPER - IV COMPARATIVE POLITICS.

- Unit - 1 : Comparative Method in the Study of Political System – Approaches Political Sociology, Political Economy and Structural Functionalism.
- Unit - 2 : Theories of State. Political Culture and Political Socialization. Political Modernization
- Unit - 3 : Significance of Marxists-Leninist approach in Comparative Politics and its critical appraisal
- Unit - 4 : Political Parties. Pressure Groups and Social Movements, Political Development.
- Unit - 5 : Theories of Political Conflict. Theories of Social Change.

BOOKS :

1. Almond and Powell : Comparative Politics : A Development Approach.

2. Almond : Comparative Politics Today - A World view.
3. Hague - Harrils : Comparative Government and Politics.
4. Bye - Verloa : Political culture and Political Development.
5. J.Blondel, An introduction to Comparative Government
6. Lucian Pye, New aspects of Politics
7. L. Diamond, Political Culture and Democracy in Developing Countries

PAPER – V
CONTEMPORARY POLITICAL ISSUES.

- Unit - 1 : Factors leading to the end of the cold war. Contemporary issues in Post Cold war period.
- Unit - 2 : Key issues in North South Relationship. Globalization.
- Unit - 3 : Gender Issues. Environmental issues.
Development issues.
- Unit - 4 : Nature of State and the Liberalization Process.
Human Rights.
- Unit - 5 : Terrorism. Factors which give rise to terrorism. International terrorism, Cross border terrorism

BOOKS :

- M. Albrow & E. King : Globalization, Knowledge and Society.
- M. Albrow & E. King : The Global Age.
- P. Allan & K. Goldman : The End of the Cold war.
- J. Gelb : Feminism and Politics.
- A Giddens : The Consequences of Modernity.
- F. Fukuyama : The End of History and the Last Man.
- P. Ekins : A new world order : Grass roots Movements for Global Change.
- B. Hettne : Development. Theory and the Three worlds.
- R. Holton : Globalization and the Nation state.

- S. P. Huntington : The Third Wave; Democratization in the late twentieth century.
- M. Lagnatieff : Human Rights as Politics and Idolatry.
- W. Lacquer : Terrorism.
- W. Lacquer : The Age of Terrorism.
- N. O. Sullivar : Terrorism, Ideology Revolution. The origin of Modern Political violence.
- B. Nelson & N. Chudhary : Woman and Politics World Wide.
- U. Randall : Women and Politics : An International Perspective.
- D. D. Raphael : Political Theory and the Rights of Man.
- B. M., Russett : Grasping the Democratic Peace : Principles for post-cold-war world.
- R. L. Sivard : Women : A World Survey.