

POLITICAL SCIENCE

Annexure - XV

- Political Theory: Meaning and its utility.
- Concepts: Rights, Liberty, Equality; Justice Secularism, Citizenship and Development.
- Indian Constitution: Constituent Assembly, Preamble, Characteristics of Constitution, Fundamental Rights, Directive Principles of State Policy.
- Federalism: Centre – State relationship.
- Union Government: President, Prime Minister & Council of Ministers, Parliament, Supreme Court.
- State Government: Governor, Chief Minister & Council of Ministers, Legislature, High Court.
- Local Government: Panchayati Raj, Urban Local Self-Government.
- Indian Politics: Challenges to Nation Building, Party System, Recent Development in Indian Politics.
- International Politics: Coldwar, End of Coldwar, American hegemony in Contemporary world. Scenario, instruments and Challenges.
- International Organisation: UN, EU, ASEAN, SAARC, ALBA&NAM.
- Foreign Policy of India: Objectives, Role of India in UN, India & United States, India & Non align movement; Challenges before India's Foreign Policy.
- Political Theory: Traditional and Modern Perspectives.
- State: Nature, Functions, Sovereignty, Pluralism
- Government: Organs – Legislature, Executive & Judiciary; Separation of Powers, Checks & Balances. Types – Democracy & Dictatorship, Parliamentary & Presidential, Federal & Unitary.
- Theories of Representation, Political Parties, Pressure Groups.
- Political Thought: Plato, Aristotle, Kautilya, Machiavelli, Hobbes, Locke, Rousseau, Bentham, Mill, Marx, Nauroji, Gandhi, Aurbindo, Ambedkar, Nehru, Lohiya
- Dynamics of Indian Democracy: Party, Caste, Region, New Social Movements.
- India's Relations with Neighbouring Countries.
- Behaviouralism and Post Behaviouralism.
- Political System, Structural – Functionalism, Political Development and Political Culture.
- Dynamics of Federalism in U.S. and India.
- Approaches to the study of International Politics and Concepts of National Power and National interest.

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