

POLITICAL SCIENCE
CLASS XI

One Paper

3 Hours

100 Marks

Unit	Unitwise Weightage	Marks
1.	Introduction to Political Theory	6
2.	Fundamental Rights and Fundamental Duties	16
3.	Making of the Constitution of India	8
4.	Legislature at the Central and State level	10
5.	Executive in India	20
6.	Judiciary in India	12
7.	Freedom, Equality and Social Justice	15
8.	Rights; Citizenship; Peace and Development	13

Unit-1: Introduction to Political Theory

- Meaning; Nature; Scope; Utilities
- Need of Political Theory
- Approaches:- Normative and Empirical

Unit-2: Fundamental Rights and Fundamental Duties

- Importance of Fundamental Rights.
- Fundamental Rights enshrined in the Constitution.
- Fundamental Duties.

Unit-3: Making of the Constitution of India

- Historical Background.
- Importance of Constitution.
- Constituent Assembly
- Sources of the Constitution.
- Amendment of the Constitution:- Procedure and major amendments

Unit-4: Legislature at the Central and State Level

- Union Parliament:- (Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha) – Composition, powers and functions.
- State Legislature:- Composition, Powers and Functions.
- Legislative Procedure.

Unit-5: Executive in India

- President of India: Election removal, formal and real Powers.
- Prime Minister and Council of Ministers:- Powers and Functions.
- Chief Minister and Council of Ministers:- Powers and Functions.
- Governor in the State:- Role and Powers.

Unit-6: Judiciary in India

- Independence of Judiciary
- Supreme Court-appointment of Judges, Powers.
- High Court-appointment of Judges, Powers.
- Public interest litigacy, Lok Adalat.

Unit-7: Freedom, Equality, Social Justice

- Meaning and kinds of Freedom, its limitations.
- Meaning and kinds of Equality: Different forms of Equality.
- Meaning and dimensions of Justice.

Unit-8: Rights; Citizenship; Peace and Development

- Rights:- meaning; kinds; Difference between Rights and Claims.
- Citizenship-meaning; types; grounds for inclusion and exclusion.
- Peace and Development:- Meaning; relationship

PRESCRIBED TEXTBOOKS :

1. Indian Constitution and Political Theory for Class XI
By: B.B. Tayal
Published by: Arya Book Publications.
2. Political Science for Class XI
By: Avnindra Kumar Verma
Published by V.K. Global Publication Pvt. Limited, New Delhi.

3. Indian Constitution at Work
(Textbook in Political Science for Class XI)
Published by: NCERT, New Delhi
4. A Study of Local Self-Government in Manipur
By: M. Ibohal Singh
Published by: Mutum Gourahari, Advocate, for Pakhangba Laining (Mayai Sanglen) Heingang
Kontha Makha Leikai, Imphal

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3.	Politics of Planned development	6
4.	India & the World	14
5.	Recent Issues and Challenges	16
B	CONTEMPORARY WORLD POLITICS	
1.	Cold War Era and World Politics	20
2.	International Organisation in a Unipolar World	18
A.POLITICS IN INDIA SINCE INDEPENDENCE		

Unit-1: Party System in India

- Congress dominance at the national level, Uneven dominance at state level, Coalition nature of Congress.
- Major opposition parties & Coalition Politics

Unit-2: Nation Building and its Problems

- Nehru's approach to Nation Building
- Legacy of partition
- Organisation & Reorganisation of States
- Political Conflicts over languages.

Unit-3: Politics of Planned Development

- Five year Plan
- Planning Commission
- Food crisis & Green Revolution

Unit-4: India & the World

- Nehru's Foreign Policy
- Sino-Indian War of 1962, Indo-Pak war of 1965 & 1971
- India's Nuclear Approach

Unit-5: Recent Issues and Challenges

- Challenge of and responses to globalization;
- Rise of OBCs in North Indian Politics,
- Challenges of Communalism.

B. CONTEMPORARY WORLD POLITICS**Unit-1: Cold War Era and World Politics**

- Era of Bipolarity and Cold War.
- Emergence of two Power blocs
- Challenges of Bipolarity.
- Growth of Unilateralism and US dominance in World Politics.

Unit-2: International Organisation in a Unipolar World

- Restructuring and future of the UN.
- India's Position in restructured UN.
- Rise of new international actors.
- New International Economic organisation and NGOS.

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2. Contemporary World Politics Part-A for Class XII
By: B.B. Tayal
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3. Politics in India Since Independence Part-B for Class XII
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2. Contemporary World Politics
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