

Understanding Political Theory

Major Course - MK 1

Theory - 48 Lectures

Course Credit - 06

Fall Marks 100

COURSE OBJECTIVES

The course has been designed to introduce key concepts of Political Science to the students to sharpen their understandings of political discourses. The idea is to introduce and assess the conventional as well as contemporary approaches to understanding politics.

COURSE OUTCOMES

On completion of the course the student will be able to

1. Define the meaning, nature and scope of Political Science and its significance.
2. Discern and comprehend the evolution of the major approaches to the understanding of political theory.
3. Understand the various traditions and approaches of political theory and appreciate how they get reflected in organizing social living.
4. Understand multiple frames by which the idea of political community is debated.
5. Understand the significance of theorizing and of applying theory into practice.

MJC : Understanding Political Theory (Theory) (credits 6)		
Unit	Topics to be Covered	No. of Lectures
1	What is Politics: Theorizing the 'Political' Meaning, nature and scope of Political Science Genesis of Political Science as a Discipline: Traditionalism, Behaviouralism and Post-Behaviouralism State of Political Theory Today: Decline or Resurgence.	12
2	Schools of Political Theory: Liberal, Marxist and Socialist and Anarchist.	08
3	Approaches to Political Theory: Normative, Historical, Legal and Institutional and Empirical	10
	State, Elements, Origin and Development Sovereignty, Meaning, Schools: Monism and Pluralism Liberty and Equality Justice and Rights Democracy: Meaning, Types, Direct and Indirect and theories and Related Debates.	20
4	Critical and contemporary perspectives in political theory: Feminism and Post-Modernism, Environmentalism and Neo-liberalism.	10
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Suggested Readings:

1. Jhaji, J C (1996), *Aadhunik Rajnitik Vigyan Ke Siddhant*, Sterling publisher.
2. *Political Theory: Ideas and Concepts*, Sushila Ramaswamy, PHI, Learning private Ltd.
3. Kumar Sanjiv (2021), *Rajnitik Siddhant: Awadharmayog aur Vimarsh*, Sage Publication.
4. *Rajnitik ke Siddhant*, S. C. Singhal, Latent Names Agrawal, Agra
5. Jain, Pankaj (2020), *Rajnitik Siddhant*, Sahitya Bhawan Publication.
6. Srivastava, J (2018) 'Democracy', in Bhargava, Ranil Acharya, A. (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*, New Delhi: Pearson Longman.
7. *Modern Political Theory* — S.P Verma, Vansh Educational Books
8. *Theory Today* — edited by David Held

Additional Readings:

1. Guha, OP (1981), 'An Introduction to Political Theory Macmillan, New Delhi.
2. Raynal Bhattacharya (1962), 'Political Theory', World Press, Calcutta.
3. Heywood, Andrew (1994), 'Political theory', Palgrave Macmillan
4. Rajkumar, 'Rajnitik Vigyan Ke Siddhant', Arjun Publishing House
5. Guha, OP (1983), *Rajnitik Siddhanti*, Kaprekha Jewahar Publishers.

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SEMESTER 2

MIC 2: Constitutional Government and Democracy in India

Major Course - MIC 2

Theory - 60 Lectures

Course Credit - 46

Full Marks: 100

Course Objectives:

The Objectives of this course is to enable students to gain knowledge about the constitutional design as well as the empirical practice of state structures and institutions. The Indian Constitution accommodates divergent theoretical impulses (liberty and equality with a focus on justice, territorial decentralization and a unitary federation, development alongside democracy) within itself. The course is expected to enable students to develop the ability to construct rigorous arguments on Indian politics, based on empirical knowledge and informed by a critical awareness of the scholarly literature on the subject. In addition, the course explains the complex ways in which the emergency provisions work and how security laws may be understood within the larger constitutional framework.

Course Outcomes:

On completion of the course the student will be able to:


- Be familiarised with the debates around the origin, and evolution of the Indian constitution.
- Become aware of the way government functions through its various organs.
- Understand the division of power between various organs of the government at different levels.
- Conceptualize the frame work of democracy and limited government.
- Indoctrinate the values of the Constitution.
- Comprehend the functioning of the three organs of the government.
- Critically examine the emerging trends and incidents and learn to resolve issues in the interest of the country.

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MJC 2: Constitutional Government and Democracy in India (Theory: 6 credits)		
Unit	Topics to be Covered	No. of Lectures
1	The Constituent Assembly and the Making of the Constitution a) Making of the Constitution, Debates in the Constituent Assembly b) Philosophy and Preamble of the Constitution c) Salient features of the Constitution d) Fundamental Rights, Duties and Directive Principles	20
2	Organs of the Government a) Legislature : Parliament b) Executive : President and Prime Minister c) The Judiciary: Appointment of Judges in High Courts and the Supreme Court, Power and Functions of High Courts and the Supreme Court.	20
3	Dynamics of the Constitution-1 a) Amendment Procedure, Major Constitutional Amendments b) Unitary and Federal Features of the Indian Constitution c) Centre-State Relations d) Election Commission and Electoral Reforms e) Emergency provisions in the Constitution	12
4	Dynamics of the Constitution-2 a. Political Parties, National and Regional Parties b. Governor and Chief Minister c. Changing Role of the Governor d. Local-Self Government	08
Total		60


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1. D. D. Basu, (2012) Introduction to the Constitution of India.
2. S. Chhibber, (2009) The Making and the Working of the Indian Constitution.
3. Brij Kishore Sharma (2015) Introduction to the Constitution of India.
4. G. Austin, (2010) 'The Constituent Assembly: Microcosm in Action', in The Indian
5. Constitution: Cornerstone of a Nation, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.
6. R. Bhargava, (2008) 'Introduction: Outline of a Political Theory of the Indian Constitution.
7. R. Bhargava (ed.) Politics and Ethics of the Indian Constitution, New Delhi: Oxford University Press.

Additional Readings:

1. Subhash Kashyap (2004) Constitutional reforms, problems, prospects and perspectives.
2. R. Bhargava (2008) Introduction Outline of a political theory of the Indian Constitution.
3. The Constitution of India, Bare Act (2011) with short notes
4. U. Basu (2010) The Judiciary as a resource of Indian Democracy
5. Bhartiya Samvidhan, S.C. Singhal, Laxmi Narain Agrawal, Agn

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SEMESTER-III

(MJC 3): POLITICAL THEORY - CONCEPTS AND DEBATES)

Major Course -MJC 3

Theory - 30 Lectures

Course Credits - 05

Full Marks: 100

Course Objectives:

The course will enable the student to understand and engage with the central concepts, debates and theories in the field of politics; and to identify and analyze the normative aspects of Political Philosophy.

Course Outcomes:

On completion of the course the student will be able to comprehend and analyze the various concepts examined by classical and contemporary Political Thinkers; to understand the basics of Political philosophy; and, to evaluate the core concepts of Political values as enunciated by the meta-narratives and their importance in Political and Social life.

Course Content:

MJC 3: POLITICAL THEORY - CONCEPTS AND DEBATES (Credits: 5)		
Unit	Topics to be covered	No. of Lectures
1	Concept of Liberty: Positive & Negative Freedom as Emancipation and Development Important issues: Freedom of Expression and Dissent	10
2	Concept of Rights: Natural Rights; Moral and Legal Rights; Human Rights	10
2	Concept of Equality: Meaning and Types Egalitarianism: Inequalities and Differential Treatment Important issues: Affirmative Action	09
3	Concept of Justice: Procedural justice, Distributive Justice; Global Justice Power, Authority and Legitimacy	13
4	Concept of Law: Political obligation and Civil Disobedience	08
	Total	50

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Recommended Readings:

1. Jhuti, J. C. 1996. *Andazek Rajnit Vigyan Ke Sidhant*. Sterling Publisher.
2. Acharya, Ashok. 2008. 'Affirmative Action', in Rajev Bhargava and Ashok Acharya (eds.) *Political Theory: An Introduction*. Pearson Longman.
3. Dadbhik, Naresh. 2015. *Samsayik Rajnit Sidhant : Ek Parichay*. Rawat Books.
4. Narain, C. V. 1975. *Introduction to Modern Political Analysis*. Metrosaki Publications.
5. Jhuti, J. C. 1979. *Contemporary Political Theory*. Sterling Publication.
6. Gauba, O. P. 2009. *An Introduction to Political Theory*. Macmillan Publication.
7. Vinod, M. J. and Meena Deshpande. 2013. *Contemporary Political Theory*. PHI Learning Private Limited.
8. Held, David. 1991. *Political Theory Today*. Polity Press.

Additional Readings:

1. Azra, N. D. and S. S. Avasthi. 1997. *Rajnit Sidhant*. Har-Anand Publications.
2. Kapur, A. C. 1950. *Principles of Political Science*. S.Chand.
3. Bhagwan, Vishnu and Vidya Bhushan. 2005. *Political Theory: Principles and Concepts*. Kalyani Publishers.
4. Kumar, Sanjay. 2021. *Rajnit Sidhant: Anubhavan aur Vichar*. Sage Publication.
5. Jain, Pakhraj. 2020. *Rajnit Sidhant*. Sahitya Bhawan Publication.
6. Ray, Gandhiji. 1994. *Rajnit Sidhant*. Bharati Bhawan Publication.
7. Furnell, Colin. 2003. *Contemporary Political Theory: A Reader*. Sage Publication.
8. Heywood, Andrew. 2022. *Political Theory: An Introduction*. Bloombury, Macchar Publisher.

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SEMESTER-III

(MJC 4: POLITICAL PROCESS IN INDIA)

Major Course -MJC 4

Theory - 40 Lectures

Course Credits - 04

Full Marks: 100

Course Objectives:

Politics cannot flourish in a vacuum. It requires a social foundation. This is the reason why Political structures function differently in various Political systems. Idealism in politics is often contrasted with realist approach. This paper will enable students to develop a pragmatic approach in understanding actual working of the Indian state amidst power equations and dynamics.

Course outcomes:

This course intends to achieve following outcomes: Developing analytical approach towards Political relations, actions and processes; Enhancing interdisciplinary approach in comprehending Political behaviour; Assessing the role of non-state actors in determining active participation; and, Examining the role of party system and interest groups in democratization of polity.

Course Content:

MJC 4: POLITICAL PROCESS IN INDIA (Credits: 4)		
Unit	Topics to be covered	No. of Lectures
1	(a) Political Parties and Party System in India: Nature & Trends (b) Role of Political Parties in the functioning of Indian democracy	5
2	(a) Elections in India: Issues and Challenges (b) Determinants of Voting Behaviour: Caste, Class, Gender, Religion, Language and Factors (c) Election Commission of India	7
3	Regionalism in Indian Politics: The politics of secession, accommodation and insurgencies.	5
4	(a) Issues of Secularism in Indian Politics (b) Politics of Mobilization and Identity Politics in India	8

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SEMESTER-IV

(MJC 7: PERSPECTIVES ON INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AND WORLD HISTORY)

Major Course -MJC 7

Theory - 30 Lectures

Course Credits - 05

Full Marks: 100

Course Objectives:

This paper seeks to equip students with the basic intellectual tools for understanding International Relations. It introduces students to some of the most important theoretical approaches for studying International Relations. The course begins by historically contextualizing the evolution of the international state system before discussing the agency- structure problem through the levels of analysis approach. After having set the parameters of the debate, students are introduced to different theories and events in International Relations.

Course Outcomes:

This course provides a fairly comprehensive overview of the major theoretical constructs of International Relations, Political Developments and events starting from the twentieth century.

Students are expected to learn about the key milestones in world history and equip themselves with the tools to understand and analyze the same from different perspectives. A key objective of the course is to make students aware of the implicit Euro-centrism of International Relations by highlighting certain specific perspectives from the Global South.

Course Content:

MJC 7: PERSPECTIVES ON INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AND WORLD HISTORY (Credits: 5)		
Unit	Topics to be covered	No. of Lectures
1	Studying International Relations (A) International Relations: Meaning, Nature & Scope (B) History of IR: Emergence of the International State System (C) Post-Westphalian International Order	10
2	Theoretical Perspectives-I (A) Idealism (B) Classical Realism & Neo-Realism (C) Liberalism & Neo-liberalism	10

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3	Theoretical Perspectives-2 (A) Marxist Approaches (B) Feminist Perspectives (C) Eurocentrism and Perspectives from Global South	10
4	An Overview of Twentieth Century IR History-1 (A) Rise of Nation/Fascism (B) World War II: Causes and Consequences (C) Cold War: Meaning, Origin and its Different Phases (D) Emergence of the Third World	10
5	An Overview of Twentieth century IR History-2 (A) Collapse of the USSR and the End of the Cold War (B) Post-Cold War Developments- US Unilateralism (C) Rise of China: Challenge to US Hegemony (D) Towards a Multipolar World Order: Emergence of Other Power Centres - India, Russia and European Union	10
Total		30

Recommended Readings:

- Goldstein, S. Joshua and J. Pezchoose. 2007. *International Relations*. Pearson.
- Kumar, Mahendra and Nandlal. 2021. *Antarvashtrika Rajnitik le Siddhanti Pukh*. Shiva Lal Agarwal & Company.
- Pant, Pushpesh. 2019. *Antarvashtrika Rajnitik*. Marmakoshi Prakashan.
- Art, Robert J. and R. Jervis. 2016. *International Politics: Enduring Concepts and Contemporary Issues*. Pearson Education.
- Smith, M. and R. Little (eds). 2000. "Introduction". In *Perspectives on World Politics*. Routledge.
- Jackson, Robert H. and Sorenson, G. 2007. *Introduction to International Relations: Theories and Approaches*. Oxford University Press.
- Basu, Ramki. 2015. *Antarvashtrika Rajnitik: Anubhavit, Siddhanti tatha Madhye*. Sage Bhoshik Publication, New Delhi.
- Kumar, Ajay. 2011. *Antarvashtrika Sambandhitik le Siddhanti: Ek Purichay*. Pearson Education, Delhi.
- Biswal, Tapen. 2016. *Antarvashtrika Sambandhitik*. The Orient Blackswan.

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10. Heywood, Andrew. 2022. *Key Concepts in Politics and International Relations*. Manchester Publishers.

Additional Readings:

1. Nicholson, M. 2022. *International Relations: A Concise Introduction*. Palgrave.
2. Baylis, J., S. Smith and P. Owens. 2008. *The Globalization of World Politics: An Introduction to International Relations*. Oxford University Press.
3. Carr, E. 1981. *The Twenty Years Crisis, 1919-1939: An Introduction to the Study of International Relations*. Macmillan.
4. Halliday, F. 1994. *Rethinking International Relations*. Macmillan.
5. Acharya, A. and B. Buzan. 2007. "Why Is There No Non-Western IR Theory: Reflections from Asia". *International Relations of The Asia-Pacific*. Vol 7(3)

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6	Federalism: Historical context of Federation and Confederation Concept of Cooperative Federalism	08
Total		50

Recommended Readings:

1. Biswal, Tapas, *Comparative Politics*, (2013), Macmillan.
2. Heywood, A. *Representation Electoral and Voting in Politics*, (2002), Palgrave.
3. Jhau, J.C. *Contemporary Political Theory*, Sterling Publisher
4. Kapoor, A.C. *Principles of Political Science*, S.Chand Publication.
5. Jain, P. *Talantnal Shashtr evam Rajnit*, Sahitya Bhawan Publication.
6. Kaushik, Sushila. *Bharatiya Sashtr evam Rajnit*. Delhi University Press.

Additional Readings:

1. Hall, P. Taylor and C. Rosemary. *Political Science and the Three New Institutionalism*, (1996), *Political Studies*, XLIV, .
2. R. Maser, and S. Efron. 'Mixed Electoral Systems and Electoral System Effects: Controlled Comparison and Cross-national Analysis', (2004), in *Electoral Studies*.
3. B. Criddle. *Parties and Party System*, in R. Astmann, (ed.) *Understanding Democratic Politics: An Introduction*, (2003), Sage Publications.
4. A. Heywood. *Politics*, (2002), Palgrave
5. B. Smith, 'Democratization in the Third World', in *Understanding Third World Politics: Theories of Political Change and Development*, (2002), Palgrave Macmillan.
6. Chilcote, R. H. *Theories of Comparative Politics*. Westview Press.
7. Sushila Ramaswamy and Subrato Mukherjee. *Theoretical Foundation of Comparative Politics*. Orient Blackswan.

2. Deo: Jais and Sen, Amartya (1995), India, Economic Development and Social Opportunity, Oxford University Press

3. Dehaene: R.B. and Dehaene, J.V. Public Administration, (2009), Brooks/Cole.

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Recommended Readings:

1. Saha, J.P., *Panchajanya Rajnitik Vicharo ka Bhasa*, (2017), K. Nath & Co.
2. Jha, Shrikak, *Western Political Thought*, (2018), Pearson Education
3. Coleman, J. *A History of Political Thought: From Ancient Greece to Early Christianity*, (2005), Oxford: Blackwell Publishers
4. Ganga, O.P., *Western Political Thought*, (2014), Mayur Paperbacks
5. T. Bates, *Political Thinkers: From Socrates to the Present*, (2009), Oxford University Press.

Additional Readings:

1. Q Skinner, *The Foundations of Modern Political Thought Volume I*, (2008), Cambridge University Press
2. S Mukerjee, & S Ramaswamy, *A History of Political Thought*, (1999), Prentice Hall
3. H. Schmitz, George, *A History of Political Theory*, (1973), Oxford and I.B.H. Publishing.
4. E. Barker, *The Political Thought of Plato and Aristotle*, (1964), Dover Publications
5. C.L. Weyper, *Political Thought*, (1965), Hutchinson (Hindi Edition available)

1. Varma, Vishwanath Prasad, *Hindu Political Thought and Its Metaphysical Foundations*, (1974) Motilal Banarsidass
2. Sharma, R.S. *Aspects of Political ideas and institutions in Ancient India*, Delhi, 1958.
3. Parekh, B. 'Some Reflections on the Hindu Tradition of Political Thought', in T. Pantham, and K. Deutsch (eds.), *Political Thought in Modern India*, (1986), Sage Publications.
4. Pantham & K. Deutsch (eds.), *Political Thought in Modern India*, (1986), Sage Publications.
5. Shukle M. 'Dynamics of Muslim Political Thought', in T. Pantham, and K. Deutsch (eds.), *Political Thought in Modern India*, (1986), Sage Publications.
6. Singhal, S.P., *Prachin Burtiya Rajyuk Chintan*, (2016), Lexis Nazim Agrawal

Additional Readings:

1. G. Pardey, *Seaman Tradition: Its History and Contribution to Indian Culture*, (1978), Alondalabad: L.D. Institute of Indology.
2. Appandana, A., *Indian Political Thinking*, (1971), Oxford University Press.
3. Sharma, R. 'Varma in Relation to Law and Politics (c. 600 BC-AD 500)', in *Aspects of Political Ideas and Institutions in Ancient India*, (1991), Motilal Banarsi Dass.
4. Kargle, R. (1997) *Arthashastra of Kautilya - Part III: A Study*, Delhi: Motilal Banarsidass.
5. Habib, 'Ziyarati's Vision of the State', in *The Medieval History Journal*, (1998)
6. *The Ayn-i Akbari* (translated by H. Blochmann), G. H. Rose.

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Semester - VII

(MJC 15: INDIAN POLITICAL THOUGHT - II)

MJC 15

Course Credits - 06

Full Marks: 100

Theory - 60 Lectures

Course Objectives:

The objective of this course is to study important themes through individual thinkers. The course has been designed to give students a glimpse about the richness and diversity within Indian political thought.

Course Outcomes:

It is expected that at the end of the course the students will be able to think about issues and debates in contemporary India.

Course Content:

MJC 15 : INDIAN POLITICAL THOUGHT - II (Credits 6)		
Unit	Topics to be covered	No. of Lectures
1	Introduction to Modern Indian Political Thought	06
2	(A) Political Philosophy of Sri Aurobindo (B) Vivekananda: Cultural Nationalism, Ideal Society (C) Parvita Ramabai: Gender	15
3	(A) Ambedkar: Social Justice and Nation-Building (B) Lohia: Four INER State, Idea of Gupta Kaanti	12
4	(A) Gandhi: Truth, Non-violence, Swadeshi, Swaraj & Relevance in Modern age (B) Devn Dyal Upadhyay: Integral Humanism, Antyodaya (C) Nehru: Secularism & Socialism	15
5	(A) M.N. Roy: Radical Humanism (B) Veer Savarkar: Hindutva, Swaraj and Swadharma (C) Jai Prakash Narayan: Political and Social Ideas, Idea of 'Sampoorna Kranti'	12
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SEMESTER-VIII
(MJC 16: POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY)

Major Course - MJC 16

Theory - 40 Lectures

Course Credits - 04

Full Marks 100

Course Objectives:

The course will enable Students to evolve interdisciplinary approach in dealing with Political process and human behaviour. Students will learn the nuances of social-political interaction in a given society.

Course Outcomes:

Students will evolve empirical approach in the habit of indoctrination. Students will inculcate the skill of scientific socialization and Political participation. Students will be able to create an awareness among students towards the leadership skills and accountability.

Course Content:

MJC 16: POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY (Credits: 4)		
Unit	Topics to be covered	No. of Lectures
1	Political Sociology: Meaning, Nature and Scope. Difference between Political Sociology and Sociology of Politics.	06
2	Political Socialization: Meaning, Nature, Types and Agencies Political Culture: Meaning and Classification Political Participation: Meaning, Nature, Forms and Variables, Political Apathy	10
3	Political Development and Underdevelopment: Meaning, Characteristics and Lucian Pye's views Political Modernization: Meaning, Features and Agencies	08
4	Political Recruitment: Meaning, Nature and Kinds Political Leadership: Characteristics, Accountability and Efficacy Political Elite: Meaning and Theories Political Communication	10
5	Voting Behaviour in India: Nature and Determinants Relationship between Politics and Society in India	06
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Recommended Readings:

1. राजें शर्मा, राजनितिक समाजशास्त्र की इतिहास, (2010) में दिल्ली, पीएनएच प्रेस
2. Roy Shafiq, Society and Politics: Understanding Political Sociology, (2021) New Delhi, PNH Learning
3. Sharma L.N. and Ali Ashraf, Political Sociology: A new grammar of Politics, (1983) Universities press
4. Basu Prady, Political Sociology (2020), Seta Prakashan
5. Chikole, R. H. Theories of Comparative Politics. Westview Press.
6. Sushila Ramaswamy and Subrato Mukherjee, Theoretical Foundation of Comparative Politics. Orient Blackswan.

Additional Readings:

1. Banerjee Sunanda, Introduction to Political Sociology, Janaki Prakashan Patna
2. Ghai K.K, Political Sociology, (2015), Generic Publisher
3. Falks Keith, Political Sociology: A critical Introduction, (1996), Edinburg University Press
4. Ozbalt, Wilken and Stephen Turner, Handbook of Political Sociology, (2020), Sage Publication.

Semester VII

MJC14- Research Methodology (Social Sciences & Humanities)

Course credit- 05, Full marks- 100

Course Objectives:

CO1: The course intends to familiarise the students of the fundamentals and process of research.

CO2: to acquaint the students with research aptitude in knowledge seeking.

CO3: to enable students to scientifically assess the reliability and validity of facts.

CO4: To empower students to conduct a factual estimate of socially relevant issues in a scientific manner.

Course Outcomes

On completion of the Course, the students can undertake independent research with following Outcomes:

LOC 1: Students will gain skills of scientific analysis.

LOC 2: Students will gain contemporary and interdisciplinary knowledge.

LOC 3: Students will have global understanding of nuances of Research.

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Unit	Topics to be covered	No. of lectures
I	Research- Meaning, Purpose, Significance, Types, Stages of Research, Review of Literature, Ethical issues in Research, Plagiarism.	08
II	Research Design- Meaning and types, Identification of Research Problems and Types of variables. Hypothesis- Nature, Types, Sources, Importance, Characteristics of a good hypothesis.	10
III	Method and Tools of Data Collection Sources of Data- Primary and Secondary, Comparative method, Observation, Interview, Questionnaire, and Schedule Sampling Method- Concept, Types, Purpose, and Rationale	12
IV	Analysis and Processing of Data, Classification, and Tabulation of Data Measures of Central Tendency and Variability, Graphic representation Use of Internet and Computer technologies in Research- MS Word, MS Excel, Power point Presentation, SPSS	10
V	Report Writing and Thesis writing- Objective, Content, Layout, Research proposal Synopsis. Referencing- Endnote, Footnote, In-text citation, Index, Document work, Bibliography (MLA and APA format), Webliography	10
	Tutorial	10
	Total	60

Suggested readings

1. Ashford, R.L., (1953), "Design of social research" The University of Chicago Press, Chicago.
2. Goode, W. and Hatt, P.K., (1952), "Methods in Social Research" MC Graw-Hill.
3. Sharma, V.P. (2013), "Research Methodology" Parshwanath Publications, Jaipur.
4. Singh, A.K., "Test Measurements and Research Methods in Behavioural Sciences" Bharati Bhawan Publication.
5. मिश्र , जयदेव : ऐतिहासिक अनुसंधान, भागी प्रकाश जयप्रकाश शोध संस्थान , पटना।
6. अग्रवाल, राम: सामाजिक अनुसंधान, एनए प्रकाशन, जयपुर।
7. राणा सुनील कुमार मिश्र - सामाजिक शोध की पद्धति।
8. शशिदेवी सिन्हा: अनुसंधान का स्वरूप, नेहरून परिचयिका इकाय , दिल्ली।
9. विजय मोहन शर्मा: शोध पद्धति , नेहरून परिचयिका इकाय , दिल्ली।
10. शशिदेवी सिन्हा: अनुसंधान की पद्धति , विजयेंद्र प्रकाश, दिल्ली अनुसंधान संस्थान।

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