



Sh. L. N. Hindu College, Rohtak (Haryana)

Course Plan

Department of Political Science
Program: B.A. Pass Course II Semester
Indian Politics opt.(i)

SCHEME

Course Name	Indian Politics	Course Type	Theory
Course Code	Opt.(i)	Class	B.A. 2 nd Sem.
Instruction Delivery	Per week Lectures: 6, Tutorial:1, Practical: - Total No. Classes Per Sem: 65(L), 15(T), -(P) Assessment in Weightage: Sessional (20%), End Term Exams (80%)		
Course Coordinator	Dr. Rajni Kumari	Course Instructors	Theory: Dr. Rajni Kumari

COURSE OVERVIEW

Indian Politics involves nature and working process of Indian Federalism, Centre-State relation, Election Commission, Electoral process, Voting behavior, Party system, Politics of Reservation, & Emerging Trends in Indian Politics.

PREREQUISITE

Democracy, State & Centre Government, Election Process, Political Parties, Regional Parties.

COURSE OBJECTIVE

The objective of this course is to introduce the brief idea about the Indian Federalism, Demands for state Autonomy, Electoral process and its defects & reforms, National & Regional political Parties, Role of Caste, Religion, Regionalism, in India, and Emerging trends & challenges before political system.

COURSE OUTCOMES (COs)

After the completion of the course, the student will be able to: understand/gain knowledge about:

CO No.	Course Outcomes
1.	Gain knowledge about Indian Federalism, Voting Behaviour, Center-State Relations, State Autonomy, Caste, Religion, language, reservation & Regionalism on politics. KL1
2.	Understand the working process of Indian Federalism, Election Commission, Electoral Process, Indian Party System. KL2
3.	Compare the Centre-State Issues, State Autonomy Issues, Reservation issues, Manifesto of different Political Parties. KL3
4.	Analyze and provide the solution for Harmony & strong relation between Centre & State, Ethical Voting by Citizens, Removal of bad impact of Caste, Creed, Regionalism, Language from Indian Politics. KL4



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COURSE CONTENT

Content
UNIT-I Federalism and its Working with reference to Centre-State Relations, Demand for State Autonomy; Emerging Trends in Indian Federalism.
UNIT-II Election Commission, Electoral Process and its Defects and Voting Behaviour, Electoral Reforms, Problem of Defection.
UNIT-III Party System in India: National and Regional Political Parties.
UNIT-IV Role of Caste, Religion, Language, Regionalism in India, Politics of Reservation.

LESSON PLAN (THEORY AND TUTORIAL CLASSES)

L. No	Topic to be Delivered	Tutorial Plan	Unit
1.	Literal meaning, definition of federalism	Practice Questions on Federalism	UNIT-1
2.	Nature of Indian federalism		
3.	Federal features of the Indian Constitution		
4.	Working of Indian federalism		
5.	Problems of Indian federalism		
6.	The issue of the state autonomy	Practice Questions on State Autonomy	
7.	Demand for State Autonomy		
8.	State autonomy and Sarkari Commission		
9.	Causes powerful centre		
10.	Legislative relations	Practice Questions on Centre-State Relations	
11.	Administrative relations		
12.	Financial function		
13.	Criticism and evaluation		
14.	Sarkari Commission, Inter-state Council		
15.	Composition & importance of election Commission	Practice Questions on Election Commission	UNIT-2
16.	Working of the election commission		
17.	Criticism of election commission		
18.	Suggestions for improvement in election commission		
19.	Characteristics of electoral system in India	Practice Questions on Electoral system in India	



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20.	Defects in the Indian electoral system	Practice Questions on voting behaviour & Defection	
21.	Suggestions to Reform the Indian electoral system		
22.	Factors influencing the voting behaviour in India		
23.	Meaning & Causes of defection		
24.	Political effects of defection		
25.	Proposal to solve the problems of defection		
26.	Constitutional provision to prevent defection		
27.	Features of Indian party system	Practice Questions on Indian party System	UNIT-3
28.	Problems of the Indian party system		
29.	Solutions of the Indian party system		
30.	Indian national Congress	Practice Questions on National Political Parties	
31.	Bhartiya Janata Party		
32.	Communist Party of India		
33.	Communist Party of India (marxist)		
34.	Bahujan Samaj party		
35.	Nationalist Congress Party		
36.	Role of opposition party		
37.	Meaning & Importance of Regional parties		Practice Questions on Regional Parties
38.	Shiromani Akali Dal		
39.	Dravid munetra karagham (DMK)		
40.	All India Anna Dravid munetra karagham (AIADMK)		
41.	National Conference		
42.	Telugu Desham		
43.	Asam gana Parishad		
44.	Meaning & characteristics of pressure groups	Practice Questions on Pressure Groups	
45.	Interest groups and pressure groups, Difference between pressure groups and political parties		
46.	Various pressure groups working in India		
47.	Role of pressure groups in India		
48.	Criticism of pressure groups		



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49.	Caste and politics in India	Practice Questions on Caste & Politics	UNIT-4
50.	Impact of the caste on the politics & impact of political system on caste		
51.	Caste and Indian constitutional system		
52.	Main causes of the impact of religion on Indian politics	Practice Questions on Religion & Secularism	
53.	Impact of religion on Indian politics		
54.	Secularism in India		
55.	Features of secularism in India		
56.	Hurdles in the way of Indian secularism		
57.	Language and politics	Practice Questions on Language & Politics	
58.	Interaction between language and politics		
59.	Meaning & Basis of regionalism	Practice Questions on Regionalism	
60.	Causes of regionalism		
61.	Impact of regionalism on Indian politics		
62.	Bad impacts of regionalism		
63.	Suggestions to solve the problem of regionalism		
64.	Arguments for reservation	Practice Questions on Reservation	
65.	Argument against the policy of reservation		
66.	Effect of the politics of Dalit and backward classes and reservations		
67.	Emerging trends in Indian politics	Practice Questions on Emerging trends	

Text Book

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8. J.R. Siwach, Dynamics of Indian Government & Politics, New Delhi, Sterling Publishers, 1985.
9. R. Thakur, The Government & Politics of India, London, Macmillan, 1995.

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- <https://www.youtube.com/live/HLrY7sview?si=QoW2reM5sK0stg2Y>
- <https://youtu.be/3C6337g7uBg?si=C6mPinua-vHMeRbL>
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PRACTICE QUESTIONS (QUESTION BANK)

S No	Problems
1.	What do you mean by State Autonomy? राज्य स्वायतता का क्या अर्थ है ।
2.	Explain the two defects of Indian Electoral system. भारतीय चुनाव प्रणाली के दो दोष बताइए ।
3.	Write any two features of Indian Electoral System. भारतीय निर्वाचन प्रणाली की कोई दो विशेषताएँ बताइए ।
4.	Discuss the Legislative relations between Centre and State. संघ और राज्यों के बीच कोई दो विधायी संबंध बताइए ।
5.	Write down the name of four National Political Parties of India. किन्ही चार भारतीय राष्ट्रीय राजनीतिक दलों के नाम बताइए ।
6.	What do you mean by Voting Behaviour? मतदान व्यवहार से आपका क्या अभिप्राय है ?
7.	Write a note on Bahujan Samaj Party? बहुजन समाज पार्टी पर नोट लिखें ।
8.	Describe any two main defects of Casteism. जातिवाद के कोई दो मुख्य दोष बताएं ।
9.	What is the role of caste in Indian Politics? भारतीय राजनीति में जाति की क्या भूमिका है ।
10.	What is casteism?



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	जातिवाद क्या है ।
11.	Give two arguments in the favour of reservation? आरक्षण के पक्ष में कोई दो तर्क दीजिए ।
12.	What is meant by Communalism? साम्प्रदायिकता का क्या अर्थ है ।
13.	What is Union List ? संघ सूची क्या है ?
14.	What do you understand by concurrent list ? समवर्ती सूची से आप क्या समझते हैं।
15.	What is Regional Party? क्षेत्रीय दलों से क्या अभिप्राय है ?
16.	What is meant by Secularism? धर्मनिरपेक्षता का अर्थ बताइए ?
17.	Write any two features of Federal Government? संघात्मक सरकार की कोई दो विशेषताएं बताइए ।
18.	What is meant by Defection? दल-बदल से क्या अभिप्राय है ।
19.	Describe the role of opposition in India? भारत में विरोधी दल की भूमिका बताइए ।
20.	What is people's participation? लोक सहभागिता क्या है ।
21.	What do you understand by pressure groups? दबाव समूह से आप क्या समझते हैं ।
22.	Write two features of pressure group? दबाव समूह की दो विशेषताएं लिखें ।
23.	Write any two legislative relations of centre State? केंद्र राज्य के दो वैधानिक संबंध बताएं ।
24.	Explain the causes for the establishment of Akali Dal? अकाली दल की स्थापना के कारण बताओ ।
25.	What is the role of language in Indian politics? भारतीय राजनीति में भाषा की भूमिका लिखें ।
26.	What do you understand by coalition Government? गठबंधन की राजनीति से आप क्या समझते हैं ।
27.	What do you understand by criminalisation of politics? राजनीति के अपराधीकरण से आप क्या समझते हैं।
28.	Describe the Legislative, administrative and financial relations between the union and the states. भारत में संघ और राज्यों के बीच विधायी, प्रशासनिक तथा वित्तीय सम्बन्धों का वर्णन कीजिए ?
29.	The Constitution of India is Quasi-federal. Explain? भारतीय संविधान एक अर्ध - संघ की स्थापना करता है । व्याख्या कीजिए ?
30.	What is meant by State Autonomy? Give argument in favour and against it. राज्य स्वायत्तता का क्या अर्थ है । इसके पक्ष तथा विपक्ष में तर्क दीजिए ।
31.	What is meant by State autonomy. Describe the demand/causes of state autonomy? राज्य स्वायत्तता का क्या अर्थ है? राज्य स्वायत्तता के कारणों का उल्लेख कीजिए ।
32.	Discuss the emerging trends of Indian Federalism.



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	भारतीय संघवाद में उभरती हुई प्रवृत्तियों का वर्णन कीजिए ।
33.	Discuss that "The constitution of India is Federal in the character but is designed to become unitary in the times of emergency"? भारत के संविधान की प्रकृति संघीय है परंतु संकटकाल में इसका रूप एकात्मक हो जाता है। व्याख्या कीजिए ।
34.	Discuss the relation between Union and state? संघ तथा राज्यों के बीच संबंधों की व्याख्या कीजिए ।
35.	Examine the composition and functions of the election commission of India. भारत में निर्वाचन आयोग के संगठन एवं कार्यों की विवेचना कीजिए ।
36.	Explain the weakness and suggestion to reform the Indian Electoral System भारतीय चुनाव प्रणाली के दोष तथा उन्हें दूर करने के सुझाव दीजिए ।
37.	Explain the weakness and suggestion to reform the Indian Electoral System. भारतीय चुनाव प्रणाली के दोष तथा उन्हें दूर करने के सुझाव दीजिए ।
38.	What do you mean by Political Defection? Describe its main reasons and effects. राजनीतिक दल-बदल से आपका क्या अभिप्राय है । इसके प्रमुख कारणों एवं प्रभावों का वर्णन कीजिए ।
39.	What do you understand by Voting Behavior in India? Discuss the factors influencing the Voting Behavior in India. भारत में मतदान व्यवहार से आप क्या समझते हैं । भारत में मतदान व्यवहार को प्रभावित करने वाले तत्वों का वर्णन करें ।
40.	What are the main determinants of voting behaviour in India? भारत के मतदान व्यवहार के मुख्य निर्धारक तत्व का वर्णन कीजिए ।
41.	Describe the main features of electoral system in India? भारत में निर्वाचन प्रणाली की प्रमुख विशेषताओं का वर्णन करें ।
42.	Describe the various problems faced by political parties in India. भारत में राजनीतिक दलों के सामने आने वाली समस्याओं का वर्णन कीजिए ।
43.	Explain the main problems of political parties in India? भारत में राजनीतिक दलों की प्रमुख समस्याओं की व्याख्या कीजिए ।
44.	Discuss the role of opposition party in India? भारत में विरोधी दल की भूमिका पर प्रकाश डालिए ।
45.	What is Pressure Group? Discuss the role of Pressure Group in India. दबाव समूह किसे कहते हैं ? भारत में दबाव समूहों की भूमिका की व्याख्या करें ।
46.	Discuss the nature of Indian Political party System. भारतीय दलीय व्यवस्था के स्वरूप का वर्णन कीजिए ।
47.	Discuss the salient features of Indian party system? भारतीय राजनीतिक दलों की प्रमुख विशेषताओं की व्याख्या कीजिए ।
48.	What is Pressure Group? Discuss the role of Pressure Group in India. दबाव समूह किसे कहते हैं ? भारत में दबाव समूहों की भूमिका की व्याख्या करें ।
49.	Discuss the organisations and policies of Bhartiya Janata Party? भारतीय जनता पार्टी के संगठन तथा नीतियों की व्याख्या कीजिए ।
50.	Give the arguments in favor and against of reservation. आरक्षण निति के पक्ष एवं विपक्ष में तर्क दीजिए ।
51.	Make a case for and against reservation? आरक्षण के पक्ष व विपक्ष में तर्क दें ।
52.	Describe the role of Regionalism in Indian Politics.



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	भारतीय राजनीति में क्षेत्रवाद की भूमिका का वर्णन कीजिए ।
53.	Discuss the emerging trends in Indian Politics. भारतीय राजनीति में उभरती प्रवर्तियों का वर्णन कीजिए ।
54.	Write a detailed essay on regionalism and politics in India? भारत में क्षेत्रवाद एवं राजनीति पर एक विस्तृत निबंध लिखिए ।
55.	What is Regionalism? Describe the influences of Regionalism of Indian politics. क्षेत्रवाद क्या है भारतीय राजनीति पर इसके प्रभावों का वर्णन कीजिए ।
56.	What do you mean by regionalism? What are the reasons of problem of regionalism rise in India? क्षेत्रवाद से क्या अभिप्राय है? भारत में क्षेत्रवाद की समस्या की उत्पत्ति के क्या कारण हैं ।
57.	Discuss the role of religion in Indian politics? भारतीय राजनीति में धर्म की भूमिका का उल्लेख कीजिए ।



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Department of Political Science

Program: B.A.IVth Sem

Principles of Political Science

SCHEME

Course Name	Principal of Political Science	Course Type	Theory
Course Code	PS03	Class	B.A 2nd Sem.
Instruction Delivery	Per week Lectures: 4, Tutorial:1 Total No. Classes Per Sem: 60(L), 13(T), 3 (Class Test) Assessment in Weightage: Sessional (20%), End Term Exams (80%)		
Course Coordinator	Dr Rajni Kumari	Course Instructors	Theory: Dr. Rajni Kumari

COURSE OVERVIEW

The course provides a comprehensive exploration of fundamental political science principles. Students examine the delicate interplay between rights and duties, delve into human rights frameworks, and analyze theories of liberty and equality in contemporary contexts. The course critically explores social change theories, development concepts, and the intricacies of rights to information, emphasizing transparency in governance. Additionally, students gain insights into consumer rights within the broader spectrum of human rights.

PREREQUISITE

Concept of Political Theory ,Basic structures of Political systems and Governance

COURSE OBJECTIVE

The objective of this course is to introduce the fundamental ideas of the functions of complex variables and developing a clear understanding of the fundamental concepts of Complex Analysis such as analytic functions, complex integrals and a range of skills which will allow students to work effectively with the concepts.

COURSE OUTCOMES (COs)

After the completion of the course, the student will be able to:

CO No.	Course Outcomes
1	To acquire the knowledge of the various Concepts and Theories of Rights. KL1
2	To be familiar with the theory of Liberty and Equality. KL2
3	To grasp the Concept of Social Change. KL3
4	To get information about RTI and Consumer Protection.. KL4



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COURSE CONTENT

Content
Unit - I
Quick Review of Concept of Political Theory, Definition of right, Characteristics of Right classification of Rights, Liberal theory of Rights, Marxist theory of Rights, legal theory of Rights, Laski's theory of Rights, Relationship between Rights and Duties, Universal Declaration of Human Rights, Classification of Human Rights, Characteristics of Universal Declaration of Human Rights. Criticism and Importance of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, Steps taken by the United Nation to implement Human Rights, Amnesty International.
Unit - II
Concept of Liberty, Definition and Characteristics of Liberty, Different kinds of Liberty, Meaning and Definition of Negative Liberty, Criticism of Negative Liberty, Meaning and Characteristic of Positive Liberty, Marxian theory of Liberty, How can Liberty be safeguard, Meaning and Definition of Equality, Characteristics of Equality, Various kind of Equality, Relationship between Equality and Liberty, Political Equality is myth without Economic, Relevance Equality in Democracy.
Unit - III
Concept of Social change, Theories of Social change, Nature of Social change, Meaning and Definition of Development, Nature of Development, Different Dimensions of Development, Goal of Development, Problem of Development, Concept of Welfare state, Function of Welfare state, Socialist view of Development, Concept of Sustainable Development.
Unit - IV
Right to Information, Historical development of Right to Information, Effect of Right to Information Act, Consumer Protection and Welfare, Problems of exploitation of consumers, Worldwide Consumer Protection movement, Rights of Consumer, Need and importance of Consumer Protection, Central Consumer Protection Council, State consumer Protection Councils,

LESSON PLAN (THEORY AND TUTORIAL CLASSES)

L. No	Topic to be Delivered	Tutorial Plan	Unit
1	Quick Review of Concept of Political Theory	Take doubts and queries about concepts	1
2	Definition and Characteristics of Right		
3	Classification of Right		
4	Civil Rights	Take doubts and queries about concepts	1
5	Social Rights		
6	Political and economics Rights		
7	Liberal theory of Rights	Take doubts and queries about concepts	
8	Marxist theory of Rights		
9	legal theory of rights		
10	Laski's theory of Rights		



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11	laski's theory of Rights	Take doubts and queries about concepts	
12	Relationship between Rights and Duties		
13	Universal Declaration of Human Rights		
14	Classification of Human Rights	Take doubts and queries about concepts	1
15	Characteristics of Universal Declaration of Human Rights		
16	Criticism and Importance of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights		
17	Steps taken by the United Nation to implement Human Rights ,Amnesty International.		
18	Concept of Liberty	Take doubts and queries about concepts	2
19	Definition and Characteristics of Liberty		
20	Different kinds of Liberty		
21	Meaning and Definition of Negative Liberty	Take doubts and queries about concepts	
22	Criticism of Negative Liberty		
23	Meaning and Characteristic of Positive Liberty		
24	Marxian theory of Liberty		
25	How can Liberty be safeguard		
26	Meaning and Definition of Equality	Practice questions on concept	2
27	Characteristics of Equality		
28	Various kind of Equality,		
29	Relationship between Equality and Liberty	Practice questions and queries about concepts	2
30	Political Equality is myth without Economic		
31	Relevance Equality in Democracy.	Practice questions and queries about concepts	3
32	Concept of Social change,		
33	Theories of Social change		



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34	Theories of Social change		
35	Nature of Social change		
36	Different Dimensions of Development	Practice questions and queries about concepts	
37	Different Dimensions of Development		
38	Goal of Development,	Practice questions and queries about concepts	3
39	Problem of Development,		
40	Concept of Welfare state		
41	Function of Welfare state		
42	Function of Welfare state		
43	Socialist view of Development	Practice questions and queries about concepts	
44	Type of Socialism		
45	Democratic Socialism		
46	Gandhian view of Development		3
47.	Concept of Sustainable Development.		3
48.	Right to Information	Practice questions and queries about concepts	4
49.	Historical development of Right to Information		
50.	Need of Right to Information in India		
51.	Main Provisions of Right to Information Act Of 2005		
52.	Effect of Right to Information Act	Practice questions and queries about concepts	
53.	Suggestions for effective Right to Information		
54.	Consumer Protection and Welfare		4
55.	Problems of exploitation of consumers		
56.	Worldwide Consumer Protection movements	Practice questions and queries about concepts	
57.	Rights of Consumer		
58.	Need and importance of Consumer Protection		
59.	Center consumer Protection Council		
60.	State consumer Protection Councils	Practice questions and queries about concepts	



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PRACTICE QUESTIONS (QUESTION BANK)

S No	Questions
1	Describe the various rights of citizens in a modern democratic state.
2	Discuss the meaning of Rights. Describe its types.
3	“Rights and duties are two sides of the same coin”. elaborate this statement.
4	Critically examine the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.
5	Discuss the importance of the universal declaration of human rights.
6	Define Liberty And explain its various kinds.How can Liberty be safeguarded?
7	What is equality discuss the various dimensions of equality.



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8	“Equality and Liberty as complementary”. Discuss
9	Explain the meaning of economic equality.
10	Define Social Change .Discuss the various factors responsible for Social Change.
11	Discuss the various theories of Social Change.
12	Critically examine the Welfare State as a model of development.
13	Explain briefly the concept of Sustainable development.
14	Write an essay on Right to Information act 2005.
15	Describe the problem about RTI and give suggestions to making the RTI effective.
16	What do you mean by consumer protection? Discuss the various problem with the consumer has to Face
17	What do you mean by consumer forum ?Explain the composition and jurisdiction of the consumer forum organized at the district, state and Centre level.
18	Write short notes on Amnesty International.
19	Write short notes on the United Nation Human rights Commission.
20	Discuss any two kinds of Liberty.
21	Define the concept of Development.
22	Write any two limitations on the right of Information.
23	What is consumer Protection?
24	Write a short note on social equality.
25	write a short note on moral duties.
26	Write a short note on sustainable development.
27	What is meant by fundamental rights.
28	Define positive liberty.
29	What are the main three aspects of development?
30	Name any two protectors of Liberty
31	What are civil liberties?



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Department of Political Science

Program: B.A.VIth Sem

Comparative Constitutions of UK and USA

SCHEME

Course Name	Comparative constitutions of UK and USA	Course Type	Theory
Course Code	PS03	Class	B.A VIth Sem.
Instruction Delivery	Per week Lectures: 4, Tutorial:1 Total No. Classes Per Sem: 60(L), 12(T), 3 (Class Test) Assessment in Weightage: Sessional (20%), End Term Exams (80%)		
Course Coordinator	Dr Rajni Kumari	Course Instructors	Theory: Dr. Rajni Kumari

COURSE OVERVIEW

The course provides a comprehensive examination of the constitutional structures of the United Kingdom and the United States. Students delve into the historical development, fundamental principles, and institutional frameworks that underpin these influential political systems. Through comparative analysis, students explore variations in executive, legislative, and judicial branches, as well as the nuances of federalism and constitutional amendments. The course emphasizes critical evaluation of constitutional features, including the UK's unwritten constitution and the USA's codified one. By fostering a nuanced understanding of constitutional governance, this course enables students to appreciate the unique features and challenges of two major democracies, contributing to a broader comprehension of global political systems.

PREREQUISITE

Meaning and nature of comparative politics , Basic structures of Indian constitution

COURSE OBJECTIVE

This course objective is to provide students with a deep understanding of the constitutional frameworks of the United Kingdom and the United States. Students will analyze the historical evolution, key principles, and institutional structures of these two major democracies. Through a comparative lens, the course seeks to elucidate differences and similarities in executive, legislative, and judicial branches, federal arrangements, and constitutional amendments. The objective is to equip students with the analytical tools to critically assess and comprehend the distinct features of the UK's unwritten constitution and the USA's codified constitution, fostering a nuanced appreciation of comparative constitutional governance.

COURSE OUTCOMES (COs)

After the completion of the course, the student will be able to:

CO No.	Course Outcomes
1	To point out the basic features of the government of the U.K. and the USA. KL1
2	To outline the role and function of the Executive and Legislative U.K & USA. KL2
3	To grasp the Judiciary System in the special reference of the UK and the USA. KL3
4	To identify Electoral Rules and Procedure in the U.K & USA. KL4



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COURSE CONTENT

Content
<p style="text-align: center;">UNIT-I</p> <p>Quick Review of Meaning and nature of comparative politics, Historical background of the British constitution, Historical background of the evolution of American political traditions, Importance conventions in the British constitutional system, Conventions in the constitution of America, legacies of British constitution, legacies of American constitution, Basic feature of the British constitution, Basics feature of the American constitution, Socio - economic basis of the British constitution, Socio - economic basis of the constitution of USA.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">UNIT-II</p> <p>Function of the Executive, British Executive, Power of the king, Functions of the king, Is the king the fifth wheel of the coach, Justification of Monarchy in England, Silent feature of the British cabinet system, Power of the Prime Minister of Britain, Election of the president of America, Power of the president of America, American president is a Colossus in Chains, Cabinet of America, British Parliament - House Of Lords, Power of the House of Lords, House of commons, Power of the House of Commons, Speaker of the House of Commons, Role of British Parliament, Sovereignty of the parliament of British, America legislature - House of representative and Senate, Functions of the House of representative, Power of the Senate, Mutual relations of the two houses of the Congress, Senate is the most powerful Second Chamber in the world, Power of the Congress.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">UNIT-III</p> <p>Feature of the England Judiciary system, Powers of the Supreme Court, Rule of law in England, Power of the Supreme court of America, Judicial review in America, Functions of the political parties, Main features of the British political parties, Main features of the American political parties, Meaning and definition of the pressure groups, Characteristics of the British pressure groups, Characteristics of the American pressure groups.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">UNIT-IV</p> <p>Electoral processes in Britain, American electoral processes, Meaning of the Voting behaviour, Factor determine Voting behaviour in England, Factor determine Voting behavior in USA, Meaning and definition of Bureaucracy, Bureaucracy in Britain, Bureaucracy in America.</p>

LESSON PLAN (THEORY AND TUTORIAL CLASSES)

L. No	Topic to be Delivered	Tutorial Plan	Unit
1	Quick Review of Meaning and nature of comparative politics	Take doubts and queries about concepts	1
2	Historical background of the British constitution		
3	Historical background of the evolution of American political traditions		
4	Importance conventions in the British constitutional system,	Take doubts and queries about concepts	



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5	Conventions in the constitution of America		
6	legacies of British constitution		1
7	legacies of American constitution	Take doubts and queries about concepts	
8	Basic feature of the British constitution,		
9	Basics feature of the American constitution		
10	Socio - economic basis of the British constitution		----- ----- 2
11	Socio - economic basis of the constitution of the USA.		
12	Function of the Executive	Take doubts and queries about concepts	
13	British Executive		
14	Power of the king		2
15	Functions of the king	Practice questions , Take doubts and queries about concepts	
16	Is the king the fifth wheel of the coach		
17	Justification of Monarchy in England		
18	Silent feature of the British cabinet system		3
	Power of the Prime Minister of Britain		
20	Power of the Prime Minister of Britain	Practice questions , Take doubts and queries about concepts	
21	Election of the president of America		
22	Election of the president of America		Practice questions , Take doubts and queries about concepts
23	Power of the president of America		
24	Power of the president of America		
25	American president is a Colossus in Chains		
26	Cabinet of America		
27	British Parliament - House Of Lords		Practice questions , Take doubts and queries about concepts
28	Power of the House of Lords		
29	House of commons		
30	Power of the House of Commons		
31	Speaker of the House of Commons	Practice questions , Take doubts and queries about concepts	
32	Role of British Parliament		
33	Sovereignty of the parliament of British		
34	America legislature - House of representative and Senate		



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35	Functions of the House of representative	Practice questions , Take doubts and queries about concepts	
36	Power of the Senate,		
37	Mutual relations of the two houses of the Congress		
38	Senate is the most powerful Second Chamber in the world	Practice questions , Take doubts and queries about concepts	
39	Power of the Congress.		
40	Power of the Congress.		----- 3
41	Feature of the England Judiciary system	Practice questions , Take doubts and queries about concepts	
42	Powers of the Supreme Court		
43	Rule of law in England		
44	Power of the Supreme court of America,	Practice questions , Take doubts and queries about concepts	
45	Power of the Supreme court of America,		
46	Judicial review in America		
47.	Functions of the political parties		
48.	Main features of the British political parties	Practice questions , Take doubts and queries about concepts	
49.	Main features of the American political parties		
50.	Meaning and definition of the pressure groups		
51.	Characteristics of the British pressure groups		
52.	Characteristics of the American pressure groups.	Practice questions , Take doubts and queries about concepts	
53.	Electoral processes in Britain		4
54.	American electoral processes		
55.	Meaning of the Voting behavior		
56.	Factor determine Voting behavior in England	Practice questions , Take doubts and queries about concepts	
57.	Factor determine Voting behavior in USA		
58.	Meaning and definition of Bureaucracy		
59.	Bureaucracy in Britain		
60.	Bureaucracy in America.	Practice questions , Take doubts and queries about concepts	



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PRACTICE QUESTIONS (QUESTION BANK)

S No	Questions
1	Discuss the salient features of the British constitution.
2	Discuss the salient features of the American constitution.
3	Discuss the socio economic bases of the British constitution.
4	Discuss the socio economic bases of the American constitution.
5	Discuss the power of the British king.
6	Explain the power and position of the British Prime Minister.
7	Examine the power and position of the American president .
8	Discuss the power and functions of the house of commons in Britain.
9	“American Senate is the most powerful Second chamber in the world.” explain this statement.
10	Describe the power , functions and position of the American Congress .
11	Describe the main features of British judicial system.
12	Explain the power and position of the supreme court of U.S.A.
13	Discuss the role of Judicial review in U.S.A.
14	Discuss the main features of British party system.
15	Discuss the main features of American party system.
16	What do you understand about interest groups and pressure groups ? Describe the role of the pressure group in England .
17	Describe the role of pressure groups in America.
18	Discuss the main characteristics of the electoral system of U.K.
19	Discuss the main characteristics of the electoral system of U.S.A.
20	What is voting Behaviour .Discuss the factor influencing the voting Behaviour in U.S.A.
21	Discuss the factor influencing the voting Behaviour in U.K.
22	Compare the characteristics of British and American bureaucracy.
23	Mention any two sources of the British Constitution.
24	Mention any two benefits of monarchy in England.
25	Explain the difference between the Council of Ministers and Cabinet.
26	Write two powers of the American Congress.
27	Write two characteristics of the British party system.
28	What is the electoral system?
29	What do you understand by guardian bureaucracy.
30	What does the Spoil system mean?