

Syllabus for Political Science (PGQP42)

1 . a. Western Political Philosophy:

- Plato
- Aristotle
- Machiavelli
- Hobbes
- Locke
- Rousseau
- J.S. Mill
- Karl Marx
- John Rawls

b. Modern Indian Political Thought:

- Ram Mohan Roy
- Gandhi
- Ambedkar
- Savarkar
- Kautilya

c. Political theory:

- Concepts of liberty
- Equality
- Justice
- Sovereignty
- Citizenship and Gender
- Democracy human Rights, State
- Contemporary Issues
- Feminism Ideology

d) International Relations:

- Realism & Liberalism
- Cold War politics
- NAM, SAARC, UNO, ASEAN, EU

- India's foreign policy particularly with China
- Pakistan and USA.

d. Indian Government and Politics:

- Preamble
- Making of the Constituent Assembly
- Constitutional Provisions
- Parliament
- Cabinet
- Prime Minister
- President
- Fundamental Rights
- Fundamental Duties
- Directive Principles of State Policy
- Amendments
- Governor
- State Government
- Federalism
- Political Parties (National and Regional)
- Elections
- Local Government
- Judiciary
- Governance

e. Comparative Government and Politics

- Political Culture
- Political Parties

- Electoral Systems
- Approaches/ Models
- Types of Regimes

f. Public Policies in India

- Models
- Process
- Types

2. General issues of contemporary relevance.

- Global Justice
- Nationalism
- Climate Change