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Department of Political Science Programme Outcomes

After Completing this programme, the students will be able to:

- ✚ Understand meaning and significance of political theory, different ideologies and approaches.
- ✚ Explain concept of state and its changing nature.
- ✚ Learn what is power and authority and how they are interwoven.
- ✚ Learn different dimensions of sovereignty and its relationship with state.
- ✚ Explain liberty, equality, justice and rights.
- ✚ Explain different models of democracy and theories of representation.
- ✚ Understand the constitutional development in India.
- ✚ Answer how constituent assembly was formed.
- ✚ Describe the significance of the Preamble, Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy in the constitutional design of India.
- ✚ Answer questions pertaining to the function and role of the president, Prime Minister, Governor, Chief Minister, Parliament and State Legislature and the courts in the constitutional design of India.
- ✚ Identify the power divisions in constitutional setup.
- ✚ Understand the significance of the study of political philosophy.
- ✚ Know the key idea of Greek political thinkers Plato and Aristotle.
- ✚ Explain what the ideal state was according to Plato and how was it linked to his scheme of education and theory of justice.
- ✚ Answer how Aristotle differed from his master Plato on the conception of justice.
- ✚ Answer why Machiavelli is called the child of his age.
- ✚ Answer how and why Machiavelli give an overriding priority to pragmatism above ethics and values in operation of statecraft.
- ✚ Make a distinction among Hobbes and Locke and Rousseau on the state of nature, the law of nature, nature and form of contract and the emergence of state from the contract.
- ✚ Learn key ideas of idealist thinkers.
- ✚ Learn the key ideas in Marxism and will be able to answer the Socialist and Communist tradition after Marx in political ideas of Lenin and Laski.
- ✚ Think of Manu and Kautilya.
- ✚ Explain social political ideas of Rajaram Mohan Roy, Swami Vivekananda, Lokmanya Bal Gangadhar Tilak and Shri Arvind Ghosh.
- ✚ Explain the key ideas of Mahatma Gandhi, Jawaharlal Nehru, Subhash Chandra Bose and Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar.

- ✚ Evaluate the ideas of M.N. Roy, Ram Mohan Lohia, Jayaprakash Narayan and Pt. Deen Dayal Upadhyay.
- ✚ Understand the contribution of women in Indian political thought.
- ✚ Develop an authentic understanding of India's Foreign Policy.
- ✚ Understand the framework to analyse and become familiar with India's diplomatic agenda and current engagements with partner countries.
- ✚ Learn the key drivers of Indian Political System.
- ✚ Explain how caste, religion and language have influenced the identity of politics in India.
- ✚ Explain the ideology, social base and function of key political parties.
- ✚ Critically examine and explain the development issues in India especially in the firm of and industrial sectors.

