

Semester	2
Course	MAJOR C1BG230221T
Paper Title	INDIAN POLITICS AND SOCIETY
No. of Credits	4
Theory / Practical / Composite	Theory
Minimum No. of preparatory hours per week a student has to devote	4
Number of Modules	2
Syllabus	<p>Module-I</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Indian State: Liberal, Gandhian and Marxist Approaches 2. State and Market in India's Development 3. New Welfarism <p>Module-II</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Religion and Politics 5. Caste and Class in Indian Politics 6. Social Movements in contemporary India: select cases
Learning Outcomes * ³	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Facilitates understanding of the functioning of important institutions in Indian polity • Helps grasp theories and policy approaches to address local and national challenges.
Reading/Reference Lists * ⁴	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Abbas, H., Kumar, R. & Alam, M. A. (2011) <i>Indian Government and Politics</i>. New Delhi: Pearson, 2011. Chandhoke, N. & Priyadarshi, P. (eds.) (2009) <i>Contemporary India: Economy, Society, Politics</i>. New Delhi: Pearson. Chakravarty, B. & Pandey, K. P. (2006) <i>Indian Government and Politics</i>. New Delhi: Sage. 2. Chandra, B., Mukherjee, A. & Mukherjee, M. (2010) <i>India After Independence</i>. New Delhi: Penguin. 3. Singh, M.P. & Saxena, R. (2008) <i>Indian Politics: Contemporary Issues and Concerns</i>. New Delhi: PHI Learning. 4. Vanaik, A. & Bhargava, R. (eds.) (2010) <i>Understanding Contemporary India: Critical Perspectives</i>. New Delhi: Orient Blackswan. 5. Menon, N. and Nigam, A. (2007) <i>Power and Contestation: India Since 1989</i>. London: Zed Book.

	<p>6. Austin, G. (1999) <i>Indian Constitution: Corner Stone of a Nation</i>. New Delhi: Oxford University Press.</p> <p>7. Austin, G. (2004) <i>Working of a Democratic Constitution of India</i>. New Delhi: Oxford University Press.</p> <p>8. Jayal, N. G. & Mehta, P. B. (eds.) (2010) <i>The Oxford Companion to Indian Politics</i>. New Delhi: Oxford University Press.</p> <p>9. https://egyankosh.ac.in/bitstream/123456789/25340/1/Unit-4.pdf</p> <p>10. https://egyankosh.ac.in/bitstream/123456789/42059/1/Unit-3.pdf</p> <p>11. https://egyankosh.ac.in/bitstream/123456789/41972/1/Unit-1.pdf</p>	
Evaluation	Theory CIA: Semester Exam:	Practical (if applicable) CA: Semester Exam:
Paper Structure for Theory Semester Exam	<p>Short questions: 10 out of 15 of 2marks each (10x2=20)</p> <p>Essay Type: 1 out of 3 of 15 marks each (1X15= 15) (35 marks per module)</p> <p>35+35 (Module I + Module II= 70) (70+30 CIA=100)</p>	