

Semester	1
Course	MAJOR
Paper Code	C1PS230121T
Paper Title	INTRODUCTION TO INDIAN CONSTITUTION AND GOVERNMENT
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. Constituent Assembly and philosophy of the Constitution 2. Fundamental Rights and Duties; Directive Principles of State Policy 3. Constitutional Amendment <p>Module-II</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. The Executive---President, Emergency powers, Prime Minister and Council of Ministers 5. The Legislature---structure and functions of the Parliament, role of the Speaker, law-making 6. The Judiciary---structure, powers, jurisdictions, judicial activism
Learning Outcomes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Cite relevant Constitutional provisions and basic facts of the Constitution ● Understand and explain the politics of governmental functioning
Reading/Reference Lists	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Basu, DD (2022), Introduction to the Constitution of India, 26th edition, Lexis Nexis, New Delhi, India, 2. Austin, Granville (1999), The Indian Constitution---Cornerstone of a Nation, Oxford University Press, New Delhi, India. 3. Austin, Granville (1999), Working a Democratic Constitution---A History of the Indian Experience, Oxford University Press, New Delhi, India 4. Hasan, Zoya, Sridharan E., Sudarshan R. (2002) eds., India's Living Constitution---Ideas, Practices, Controversies, Permanent Black, New Delhi

	<p>5. Bhargava, Rajeev (2009), Politics and Ethics of the Indian Constitution, Oxford University Press, New Delhi.</p> <p>6. https://egyankosh.ac.in/bitstream/123456789/57222/1/Unit5.pdf</p> <p>7. https://egyankosh.ac.in/bitstream/123456789/38537/1/Unit-7.pdf</p>	
Evaluation	<p>Theory</p> <p>CIA:30</p> <p>Semester Exam:70</p>	<p>Practical (if applicable)</p> <p>CA:</p> <p>Semester Exam:</p>
Paper Structure for Theory Semester Exam	<p>Short Notes: 3 out of 4 of 5marks each (3x5=15)</p> <p>Essay Type: 2 out of 3 of 10 marks each (2X10= 20) (35 marks per module)</p> <p>35+35 (Module I + Module II= 70) (70+30 CIA=100)</p>	