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Semester-I**

<b>Theory</b>					
<b>Paper</b>	<b>Credit</b>	<b>Tutorial Seminar/Assignments/ Field Work</b>	<b>Credit</b>	<b>Marks</b>	<b>Total Marks</b>
<b>Sem-I</b>					
PA01CPOS21	4	1	5	70/30	100
PA01CPOS22	4	1	5	70/30	100
PA01CPOS23	4	1	5	70/30	100
PA01CPOS24	4	1	5	70/30	100
PA01EPOS21	4	1	5	70/30	100
	<b>20</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>25</b>		<b>500</b>
<b>Sem-II</b>					
PA02CPOS21	4	1	5	70/30	100
PA02CPOS22	4	1	5	70/30	100
PA02CPOS23	4	1	5	70/30	100
PA02CPOS24	4	1	5	70/30	100
PA02EPOS21	4	1	5	70/30	100
	<b>20</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>25</b>		<b>500</b>
<b>Sem-III</b>					
PA03CPOS21	4	1	5	70/30	100
PA03CPOS22	4	1	5	70/30	100
PA03CPOS23	4	1	5	70/30	100
PA03CPOS24	4	1	5	70/30	100
PA03EPOS21	4	1	5	70/30	100
	<b>20</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>25</b>		<b>500</b>
<b>Sem-IV</b>					
PA04CPOS21	4	1	5	70/30	100
PA04CPOS22	4	1	5	70/30	100
PA04CPOS23	4	1	5	70/30	100
PA04CPOS24	4	1	5	70/30	100
PA04EPOS21	4	1	5	70/30	100
	<b>20</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>1400/600</b>	<b>500</b>
	<b>80</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2000</b>

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**PA01CPOS21**

**Social and Political Movements in Contemporary India**

**Course Rationale**

This paper deals with the social and political movements of the deprived sections of society in India. They are women, Dalits, tribals, workers and peasants. We shall also study environmental movement, which thought led by middle class social activists, affects all sections of society.

- Unit-I            Political Power of Women in Present Scenario  
(SC, ST, OBC and Minorities)
- Unit-II            Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe Atrocities Act 2015
- Unit-III          Environment
- Unit-IV          Workers and Peasants

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- (4) Dr. M.K. Mishra and Dr. Kamal Dadhich, Gandhi aur Dalit, Arjun Publishing House, New Delhi
- (5) A.K. Singh, Tribal Development in India, Classical Publishing Company, New Delhi
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- (14) Girish Patel, Law, Society and Girishbhai, Girishbhai Patel Sanman Samiti, Ahmedabad
- (15) Bipinchandra, Mrudula Mukharji, Aditya Mukharji, K.N. Panikar, Sucheta Mahajan, Bharat ka Swatantrata Sangarsh, Hindi Madhyam Karyanvay Nirdeshalaya, Delhi University, Delhi
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- (18) Editors: Shirish Panchal, Bakul Tailor, Jaydev Shukla, Vishmi Sadinu Gujarat, Samvad Prakashan, Vadodara
- (19) Editor: Vidhyut Joshi, Dr. Taraben Patel Smrutigranth, Samkalin Gujarati Samaj, Gurjar Granthratna Karyalaya, Ahmedabad

## PA01CPOS22

### Globalization and the Post-Cold-War-World Order Studies

#### Unit 01

The Impact and the Cost of Globalization on national cultures and the Nation State

#### Unit 02

Globalization and the Changing Landscape of International Order

#### Unit 03

The International Systemic Transition and the emergence of the post-Cold War World Order: Constructs, Characteristics, and Concerns of the Developing World

#### Unit 04

Regionalism and the issues influencing the international system

#### Unit 05

Order, Peace and Justice in the Post-Cold War World Order

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**PA01CPOS23**  
**Electoral Politics and Nation Building Process in India**

**Course Rationale**

The Indian electoral study needs to be more carefully conceived than mere enquiries related to psephological study. In fact, the latter can gain appreciably from the more fundamental study of the electoral processes and politics. This course, therefore attempts to matrix patterns and trends in elections within an appertaining framework embracing important and related segments of the political and the nation-building process in India. The course also attempts to acquaint students with the role of political leadership vis-a-vis the nation-building process in India.

Unit 01

Political Culture, Political Process and Electoral Democracy in India

Unit 02

Party Politics and Elections in India and the socio-economic support base of major political parties

Unit 03

Elections in India: A profile of patterns, and determinants of the performance and outcomes

Unit 04

Electoral Reforms in India and the role of political leadership

Unit 05

Political Leadership and Nation-building in India: The dynamics of power and decision making at the local, regional and national levels

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Reinhard Bendix, Nation Building and Citizenship

Centre for the Study of Developing Societies, Context of Electoral Change in India

Susheela Kaushik, Elections in India: Social Bases

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V. M. Sirsikar and L. Fernandes, Indian Political Parties

**PA01CPOS24**  
**Emerging Trends in Gujarat Since 1960**

- Unit-I            Socio Political Movements in the state
1. Mahagujarat movement 1956
  2. Navnirman movement 1974
  3. Anti-reservation movement 1980-85
  4. Patidar EBC reservation in the state
  5. Dalit movement of 2015
  6. Kshyatriya/Thakor movement
  7. Adivasi Bhilistan movement
- Unit-II            Practice and Pattern of state
- Unit-III          Political Parties in the state
- Unit-IV          Socio-economic Development and state of Human Development in the state

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- (6) Dr. Manhar J. Baxi, Gujaratnu Rajkaran, University Granth Nirman Board, Ahmedabad
- (7) Dr. R.T. Savalia and Shri J.M. Malkan, Gujaratna Patidaro Parampara ane Parivartan, Sarasvati Pustak Bhandar, Ahmedabad
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**PA01EPOS21**  
**Indian Political Economy**

**Course Rationale:**

Schumpeter makes a distinction between economics and political economy, the former being value free while the later deals with ideological preferences, debates and alternative proposals. The Indian democratic set up has led to a lively debate on economic issues relating to the nature of planning of India during the liberation struggle and the eventual establishment of a planning commission by Subhas Chandra Bose during his Presidency of the Congress Party and the subsequent Bombay Plan and People's Plan. The debate continues even after Independence and even today in this age of liberalization and globalization which is the thrust of this paper.

Unit 01

Approaches to the Study of Political Economy

Unit 02

Political Order and Economic Change

Unit 03

The Planning Process in India

Unit 04

Nature and Role of Capital in India: Industrialization and Rural Transformation

Unit 05

Political Elements of Economy in Inequality and Self-Sufficiency

Unit 06

Politicization of Foreign Aid and Credit

Unit 07

Factors leading to liberalization of Indian Economy

Unit 08

Major Issues of Contemporary Political Economy

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