



SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY
Vallabh Vidyanagar, Gujarat
(Reaccredited with 'A' Grade by NAAC (CGPA 3.25)
Syllabus with effect from the Academic Year 2021-2022

(Post Graduation) (Master of Arts)
(M.A. in Political Science) Semester 2

Course Code	PA02EPOS52	Title of the Course	Dr. B. R. Ambedkar in contemporary India
Total Credits of the Course	4+1	Hours per Week	5

Course Objectives:	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. To understand about B.R Ambedkar's life and his education2. To understand about social and political thought of B.R. Ambedkar3. To understand about the role of B.R Ambedkar in constitution making
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Course Content		
Unit	Description	Weightage* (%)
1.	Early life of Ambedkar a) Birth, Primary and Middle Education b) Education in Britain and America c) Shaping of Ambedkar	25
2.	Contribution of Ambedkar in Constitution a) Entry in Constitution Assembly b) Ambedkar as an architect of Indian Constitution c) Ambedkar's view on Social importance of Constitution	25
3.	Social thinking of Ambedkar a) role in upliftment of weaker section b) contribution in development of women c) contemporary relevance of Ambedkar's thought on religion and social equality	25
4.	Political thought of Ambedkar a) Ambedkar as a multi dimensional personality b) Ambedkar's thoughts on democracy, judicial system, parliamentary democracy and secularism c) contemporary relevance of Ambedkar's political thought	25



Teaching-Learning Methodology	Class Discussion, Lectures, Power Point Presentation etc.,
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Evaluation Pattern		
Sr. No.	Details of the Evaluation	Weightage
1.	Internal Written / Practical Examination (As per CBCS R.6.8.3)	15%
2.	Internal Continuous Assessment in the form of Practical, Viva-voce, Quizzes, Seminars, Assignments, Attendance (As per CBCS R.6.8.3)	15%
3.	University Examination	70%

Course Outcomes: Having completed this course, the learner will be able to	
1.	Explain Ambedkar's early life and his educational journey.
2.	Elaborate the role of Ambedkar in framing of Indian constitution.
3.	Know about the social and political thinking of Ambedkar and its contemporary relevance in Indian Democracy.

Suggested References:	
Sr. No.	References
1.	Dr. D.R. Jatav: <i>Dr. Ambedkar vyaktitva evam krutitva(Hindi)</i> , samta sahitya sadan, 1984
2.	Dr. P.G. Jyotikar: <i>Dr. Baba saheb ambedkar jivan charitra(Gujarati)</i> , edu. Dept of Gujarat, 1995
3.	Dr. D.R. Jatav: <i>Dr. Ambedkar samvidhan ke mukhya nirmata (Hindi)</i> , samta sahitya sadan, 1996
4.	Parmar Rameshchandra: <i>yugpurush dr. Baba saheb ambedkar(Gujarati)</i> , Gurjar Grantratna karyalaya, 1990



5.	Dr. H. A. Mansuri: <i>Dr. Ambedkar Rajkiya Chintan ane samprat darshan</i> (Gujarati), ret international publisher, 2015
6.	Dr. H. A. Mansuri: <i>Dr. Ambedkar Samajik Chintan ane samprat darshan</i> (Gujarati), ret international publisher, 2015
7.	Varinder Grower: <i>Bhimrav Ramji Ambedkar (Gujarati)</i> , Honest Publication, 2003
8.	Datto Panth Thengadi: <i>Dr. Ambedkar ane samajik kranti ni yatra</i> (Gujarati): samajik samrasta manch, 2007.
9.	Dr. Baldev Agja: <i>Yugpurush Baba Saheb</i> ; Sardar Patel University Press, 2016

On-line resources to be used if available as reference material

On-line Resources

<https://www.mea.gov.in/books-writings-of-ambedkar.htm>

