

Class – XI A

Sub: POLITICAL SCIENCE

Weekly Syllabus (Tentative)

Academic Session 2024-25

Month	Week	Dates		Days	No of Periods	Chapter	Contents	Syllabus
Mar 24	Block Teaching							
Apr-24	I	01-06	06-Working Saturday (Staff)	05		<u>Beginning of the session for class XI</u> Brief Introduction to the discipline - political science Chapter 1: - The constitution: why and how?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Discussed different important terms of political science• Why do we need a constitution?• How was the Indian constitution made?	
	II	08-12	11 – Id-ul-Fitr	04		Chapter 1: - The constitution: why and how?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Why do we need a constitution?• How was the Indian constitution made?	
	III	15-19	14 - Ambedakar Jayanti 17 – Ram Navami 21 - Mahavir Jayanti	04		Chapter 1: - The constitution: why and how?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Institutional Arrangements of the Indian constitution	

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							<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The constituent assembly debates Formation of the Indian constitution 	
	IV	22-27	27-Working Saturday (Student)	06		Chapter 1: - The constitution: why and how?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Institutional Arrangements of the Indian constitution The constituent assembly debates Formation of the Indian constitution 	
	V	29-30		02		Chapter 2: - Rights of the Indian Constitution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Importance of Rights Fundamental Rights of the Indian constitution Directive principles of state policy 	
May-24	I	01-03	01-03 : ES-1 (XII)/ CT-1 (X)	03		Chapter 2: - Rights of the Indian Constitution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Importance of Rights Fundamental Rights of the Indian constitution Directive principles of state policy 	ES-1 (XII)/ CT-1 (X) Date: 01-07 May
	II	06-10	06-07 : ES-1 (XII)/ CT-1 (X) 09,10 – The Quest	05		Chapter 2: - Rights of the Indian	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Importance of Rights Fundamental Rights of 	

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						Constitution	<p>the Indian constitution</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Directive principles of state policy 	
	III	13-18	18- Working Saturday (Open House X & XII)	06		Chapter 3: - Elections and Representation in India	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elections and Democracy • Election System in India • Electoral Reforms 	
***** SUMMER BREAK 20 MAY -30 JUN 2024 *****								
Jul-24	I	01-06	01- School reopens for staff 06-Working Saturday (Student)	05		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • REVISION (Ch – 1 AND 2) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • REVISION (Ch – 1 AND 2) 	PT-I Class VI-X Date: 05 Jul – 12Jul ES-2 (XII): 05 Jul – 12Jul
	II	08-12		05		Chapter 3: - Elections and Representation in India	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elections and Democracy • Election System in India • Electoral Reforms 	
	III	15-19	17-Muharram	04		Chapter 4: - The Executive	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is an Executive? • Different Types of Executive • Parliamentary Executive in India • Prime Minister and 	

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							Council of Ministers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Permanent Executive: Bureaucracy. 	
	IV	22-27	27 – Working Saturday (Students)	06		Chapter 4: - The Executive	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is an Executive? Different Types of Executive Parliamentary Executive in India Prime Minister and Council of Ministers Permanent Executive: Bureaucracy 	
	V	29-31		03		Chapter 5: - The Legislature	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Why do we need a Parliament? Unicameral / Bicameral Legislature Functions and Power of the Parliament Parliamentary committees. Parliamentary Officials:- Speaker, Deputy Speaker, Parliamentary Secretary 	

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Aug-24	I	01-03	03 – Working Saturday (Open House (VI-X), XII)	03		Chapter 5: - The Legislature	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why do we need a Parliament? • Unicameral / Bicameral Legislature • Functions and Power of the Parliament • Parliamentary committees. • Parliamentary Officials:- Speaker, Deputy Speaker, Parliamentary Secretary 	
	II	05-09		05		Chapter 6: - The judiciary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why do we need an Independent Judiciary? • Rule of Law • Need and importance of and Independent judiciary • Structure of the Indian judicial system • The supreme court and the chief justice of India, powers and functions of supreme court • The state judicial system / high court and district courts – powers of high courts 	

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							<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Judicial Review and Public Interest Litigation Judicial Activism Judicial Over-reach 	
	III	12-16	15 – Independence Day	04		Chapter 1: - Introduction to political theory (BOOK 2)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is Politics? Politics V/s Political Theory Importance of Political Theory 	
	IV	19-23	19-Raksha Bandhan	04		Chapter 2: - Freedom	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Liberty Vs Freedom Negative and Positive Liberty Harm principle Freedom of speech and expression 	ES-1 (XI): Chapter 1: - The constitution: why and how? Chapter 2: - Rights of the Indian Constitution
	V	26-31	26-Janmashtami 31-Working Saturday (Students) 31-Annual Prize Distribution	05		REVISION	REVISION	
Sep-24	I	02-06		05		HALF YEARLY EXAM	HALF YEARLY EXAM	
	II	09-14	14 – Working Saturday (Students)	06		HALF YEARLY EXAM	HALF YEARLY EXAM	Mid Term (PT-II)/ HYE Date 02- 14Sep
	III	16-21	16-Milad-un-Nabi	05		Chapter 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is Federalism? 	

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			21 – Working Saturday (Students)			Federalism	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Features of the Indian Federal structure – strong center • Constitutional Provisions 	THEORY - BOOK 1 – INDIAN CONSTITUTION AT WORK CHAPTER 1 – THE INDIAN CONSTITUTION; WHY AND HOW? CHAPTER 2 – RIGHTS OF THE INDIAN CONSTITUTION CHAPTER 3 – ELECTIONS AND REPRESENTATION CHAPTER 4 - THE EXECUTIVE Chapter 5: - The Legislature Chapter 6: - The Judiciary BOOK 2 – POLITICAL THEORY CHAPTER 1 – INTRODUCTION TO POLITICAL THEORY CHAPTER 2 –FREEDOM
	IV	23-27		05		Chapter 7 Federalism	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evolution & Growth of the Indian Federalism: • Quasi Federalism, • Cooperative Federalism & 	
	V	30		01		Chapter 8: - Local self-government	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why do we need Local Governments? • Growth of Local Government in India • 73rd and 74th Amendments • Working and Challenges of Local Governments 	

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								Practical – (as per new CBSE guidelines)
Oct-24	II	01-05	02-Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday 05-Annual Prize Distribution	04		Chapter 8: - Local self-government	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why do we need Local Governments? • Growth of Local Government in India • 73rd and 74th Amendments • Working and Challenges of Local Governments 	
	III	07-12	09-13– Autumn Break 12- Dussehra	02		Chapter 9: - Constitution as a Living Document	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indian constitution; A Dynamic Document • Procedure for Amendments to the constitution 	
	IV	14-19	17-Maharishi Valmiki's Birthday 19 – Working Saturday (Open House VI-XII)	05		Chapter 9: - Constitution as a Living Document	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indian constitution; A Dynamic Document • Procedure for Amendments to the constitution 	
	V	21-25	20– Karwa Chouth	05		Chapter 10: - Philosophy of the	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Core provisions to the Indian constitution 	

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						Indian Constitution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Criticism and limitation to the Indian constitution 	
	VI	28-31	30-03 Nov – Diwali Break	02		Chapter 10: - Philosophy of the Indian Constitution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Core provisions to the Indian constitution Criticism and limitation to the Indian constitution 	
*** Autumn Break 09-13 Oct 2024 ***								
Nov-24	I	04-09	09 – Working Saturday (Students)	06		Chapter 3: - Equality	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is Equality? Significance of Equality Various dimensions of Equality How can we promote Equality? 	
	II	11-15	12 – Annual Day 15 – Guru Nank's Birthday	04		Chapter 3: - Equality	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is Equality? Significance of Equality Various dimensions of Equality How can we promote Equality? 	
	III	18-22		05		Chapter 4: - Social Justice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is Justice? Different dimensions of Justice Distributive Justice 	PT-II (VI-VIII): 19 Nov-10 Dec PT-III (IX): 19 Nov-10 Dec PT-III (X): 14 Nov-25 Nov MPB (XII): 14 Nov-25 Nov
	IV	25-30	29,30 – Annual Athletic Meet	06		Chapter 4: - Social Justice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is Justice? Different dimensions of Justice 	

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							<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Distributive Justice 	ES-2 (XI): Chapter 7 Federalism Chapter 8: - Local self-government
Dec-24	I	02-07	07 – Sports Day	06		Chapter 5: - Rights	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What are Rights? Where do Rights come from? Legal Rights and the State Kinds of Rights Human Rights 	
	II	09-13		05		Chapter 5: - Rights	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What are Rights? Where do Rights come from? Legal Rights and the State Kinds of Rights Human Rights 	
	III	16-21	21-Working Saturday, Open House (X & XII)	06		Chapter 6: - Citizenship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is citizenship? Citizen and Citizenship Citizen and Nation Global Citizenship 	
	IV	23	24,25 – Christmas Holidays	01		Chapter 6: - Citizenship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is citizenship? Citizen and Citizenship Citizen and Nation Global Citizenship 	
*** Winter Break from 26 Dec to 04 Jan 2025 ***								
Jan-25	I	06-10		05		Chapter 7: - Nationalism	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nations and Nationalism Variants of Nationalism Nationalism 	

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							<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pluralism and Multiculturalism 	
	II	13-18	18-Working Saturday, Open House (VI-IX, XI)	06		Chapter 7: - Nationalism	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nations and Nationalism Variants of Nationalism Nationalism Pluralism and Multiculturalism 	
	III	20-25	25-Citation Ceremony 25-Open House XII 26-Republic Day	06		Chapter 8: - Secularism	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is Secularism? What is Secular State? The Western and the Indian perspectives to Secularism. Salient Features of Indian Secularism 	
	IV	27-31		05		Chapter 8: - Secularism	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> What is Secularism? What is Secular State? The Western and the Indian perspectives to Secularism. Salient Features of Indian Secularism 	
Feb-25	I	01	01 – Farewell XII 01- Open House X	01		REVISION	REVISION	
	II	03-07		05		REVISION	REVISION	Annual Exam Class IX & XI – 05 Feb-19 Feb 2025
	III	10-14		05		REVISION	REVISION	ANNUAL EXAM – THEORY –

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	IV	17-22	22-Working Saturday (students)	06		REVISION	REVISION	BOOK 1 – THE INDIAN CONSTITUTION AT WORK (COMPLETE) BOOK 2 – POLITICAL THEORY (COMPLETE) Practical – (as per new CBSE guidelines)
	V	24-28	26-Maha Shivratri	04		REVISION	REVISION	
Mar-25	Annual Exam Classes VI-VIII – 25 Feb-10 Mar 2025							

Note: The examination syllabus as mentioned above is to be considered Tentative. The final syllabus for each exam will be uploaded on the website along with the Date Sheet at the time of the examination.