

M.A (POLITICAL SCIENCE) – THIRD SEMESTER

Third Semester			
S. No.	Name of Subject	Credits	Total Marks
1	Modern Political Ideologies	6	100
2	Public Administration: Concepts and Theories – II	6	100
3	Feminist Theory and Practice: Indian Perspective	5	100
4	Modern Indian Political Thought	5	100
Total		22	

Subject Name: MODERN POLITICAL IDEOLOGIES

1. What is Ideology? Difference between Ideology and Thought as well as between Theory and Ideology.
2. Liberalism
3. Socialism
4. Nationalism
5. Fascism
6. Feminism
7. Environmentalism

Subject Name: PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION: CONCEPTS AND THEORIES – II

1. Contemporary Developments in Public Administration: New Public Administration; New Public Management; Good Governance; Corporate Governance; Feminist Perspective and Ecological Perspective on Public Policy and Administration.
2. Democratisation, Decentralisation and Social Protection; Administrative, Financial and Fiscal Decentralisation in Rural and Urban Areas; Social Welfare Administration; Social Protection for Weaker sections.
3. Citizen: Policy and Administration; Criteria of Successful Administration; Meaning and Forms of Public Accountability; People's Participation in Public Administrations; Non – Governmental Organisations (NGOs); Role of Machinery for Redressal of Public Grievances; Lokpal; Citizens' Charter; Right to Information; Consumer Rights, E – Governance.

Subject Name: FEMINIST THEORY AND PRACTICE: INDIAN PERSPECTIVE

1. Approaches to Understanding Patriarchy
 - Feminist Theorising of the Sex/Gender distinction, Biologism vs. Social Constructivism
 - Understanding Patriarchy and Feminism
 - Liberal, Socialist, Marxist, Radical Feminism, New Feminist Schools
2. History of Feminism
 - Origins of Feminism in West: Britain, France and USA

- Role of women in Indian National Movement
- 3. Contemporary Women's Issues in India
 - Brief History of Women's Movement in India: The three "waves", Emergence of Autonomous Women's Movements and various streams within Women's Movements.
 - Violence against Women: Legal Campaign and Law Reforms
 - Women and Media
 - Inequality of Personal Laws and Adoption of Uniform Civil Code
 - Reproductive Health and Women's Rights; Sex Selection and Feminist Response
 - Women's Political Participation and Representation
 - Women and Ecology.

Subject Name: MODERN INDIAN POLITICAL THOUGHT

1. Understanding Modern Indian Political Thought
2. Raja Ram Mohon Roy (Rights)
3. Vivekananda (Ideal Society)
4. Rabindranath Tagore (Critique of Nationalism)
5. V.D. Savarkar (Hindutva)
6. B.R. Ambedkar (Social Justice)
7. M.K. Gandhi (Swaraj)
8. J.L.Nehru (Secularism)
9. Pandita Ramabai (Gender)
- 10. Ram Manohar Lohia (Socialism)**