

Title of the Course: Constitution of India												L	T	P	Credit		
Course Code:												3	--	--	3		
Course Pre-Requisite: Basics of Indian History, Independence Movement, Fundamentals of Civics.																	
Course Description: This Course is an introduction of Indian Constitution and basic concepts highlighted in this course for understanding the Constitution of India. This course is structured to give a deeper insight for making the nexus between the other law subjects.																	
Course Objectives																	
At the end of the course the student is expected to have acquired:																	
1. A basic understanding of Constitution of India.																	
2. Builds the ability to apply the knowledge gained from the course to current social legal issues.																	
3. Ability to understand and solve the contemporary challenges.																	
4. Understanding constitutional remedies.																	
Course Learning Outcomes:																	
CO	After the completion of the course the student should be able to															Bloom level	
C01	Explain the significance of Indian Constitution as the fundamental law of the land															II	
C02	Exercise his fundamental rights in proper sense at the same time Identifies his responsibilities in national building.															II	
C03	Analyze the Indian political system, the powers and functions of the Union, State and Local Governments in detail															II	
C04	Understand Electoral Process, Emergency provisions and Amendment procedure.															II	
CO-PO Mapping:																	
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C01																	
C02																	
C03																	
C04																	
Assessments:																	
Teacher Assessment:																	

One End Semester Examination (ESE) having 100% weights respectively.

Assessment	Marks
ESE	100
ESE: Assessment is based on 100% course content	

Course Contents:

Unit 1:- Constitution – Structure and Principles (03) Hrs.

- 1.1: Meaning and importance of Constitution
- 1.2: Making of Indian Constitution – Sources
- 1.3: Salient features of Indian Constitution

Unit 2:- Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles (10) Hrs.

- 2.1: Fundamental Rights & Fundamental Duties
- 2.2: Directive Principles of State Policy

Unit 3:- Union Government & Executive (04) Hrs.

- 3.1: President of India – Qualification, Powers and Impeachment
- 3.2: Lok Sabha & Rajya Sabha Sabha- Composition, Powers & Functions, Scope to amendment in Constitution

Unit 4:- State Government & Executive (03) Hrs.

- 4.1: Governor – Qualification, Appointment, Powers & Functions
- 4.2: Legislative Assembly & Legislative Council – Composition, Powers & Functions

Unit 5:- The Judiciary (03) Hrs.

- 5.1: Features of Judicial System in India
- 5.2: Hierarchy of Courts, Composition and Jurisdiction

Unit 6:- Local Self Government and other constitutional Organizations (03) Hrs.

- 6.1: 73rd and 74th Constitutional Amendments
- 6.2: Public Service Commission, Election Commission, CAG, National Commissions for SC, ST etc.

Textbooks:

1. M.P. Jain, Indian Constitutional Law
2. M.P. Singh (ed.), V.N. Shukla, Constitutional Law of India
3. D.D. Basu, Commentary on the Constitution of India
4. S.S. Desai, Constitutional Law–I & II

References:

1. Durga Das Basu, Introduction to the Constitution of India, Gurgaon; LexisNexis, 2018 (23rd edn.)
2. J.N. Pandey, The Constitutional Law of India, Allahabad; Central Law Agency, 2018 (55th edn.)

3. Shripad Shridhar Desai, Constitutional Law--I, S.S. Law Publication, 2021
4. Shripad Shridhar Desai, Constitutional Law –II, S.S. Law Publication, 2021
5. Constitution of India (Full Text), India.gov.in., National Portal of India,
https://www.india.gov.in/sites/upload_files/npi/files/coi_part_full.pdf
6. Durga Das Basu, Bharatada Samvidhana Parichaya, Gurgaon; LexisNexis Butterworths Wadhwa, 2015