

**SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCES**

**PROGRAMME CODE: SS5C**

**PROGRAMME TITLE: M.A. POLITICAL SCIENCE**

**OBJECTIVES:** The broad objectives of the M.A. Political science programme are as follows:

- Students will acquire a working knowledge of the Indian political system.
- Students will come to understand that there are various types of political systems around the world, and that these may differ from each other with regard to their individual political institutions, political culture, political ideologies, and public policies.
- Students will learn about the concepts, theories, and data needed to comprehend the interactions of nations that constitute international relations, and the nature of such global institutions as the United Nations, regional alliances, and international law.
- Students will become aware of the crucial questions raised by classical and contemporary political philosophers, and of some of the solutions proposed by them to answer fundamental questions about the role of politics in human life.
- Students will come to understand the means of inquiry in the social sciences generally, and in political science in particular.
- Students will be prepared to take entry level jobs in the public or private sector or to undertake graduate study, whether academic (e.g., master's or doctoral programs in political science) or professional (e.g., law or public administration).

**ELIGIBILITY:**

- Any Bachelor degree with at least 50% marks in aggregate or an equivalent grade for General / OBC candidates, and 45% marks in aggregate or an equivalent grade for SC/ST and Differently Abled (DA) category candidates from a recognized University / Institute.

**OR**

- Candidates who have appeared in final year degree examination can also apply. Admission will be finalized if the result is declared before August 14 in the admission year and the candidate secures min. % of marks as mentioned above.
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**AGE LIMIT:** NO AGE LIMIT.

**ADMISSION PROCEDURE:**

The admissions will be done as per merit in qualifying examination.

- **SEATS:** 50 (reservation as per state Govt. rules).
- **DURATION:** Four Semesters (Two Years).

**FEE STRUCTURE (2020-22):**

Semester	Academic Fee	Development & Maintenance Fee	Students' Services Fee		Examination Fee	Total (Rs.)	
			Boys	Girls		Boys	Girls
First	4500	1500	3300	3111	2500	11800	11611
Second	4500	1500	2911	2722	2500	11411	11222
Third	4500	1500	3300	3111	2500	11800	11611
Fourth	4500	1500	2911	2722	2500	11411	11222

- Caution money (Refundable) of Rs. 4000/- will be charged additionally in the first semester.
- Alumni Fee of Rs. 500/- will be charged extra in the first semester.
- If a student repeats a paper(s) in a semester, an additional fee of Rs.500/- per paper shall be payable.
- For NRI/ FN/ PIO Candidates, a fee of US\$ 3500 Per Annum shall be payable on yearly basis. They will have to pay a refundable deposit of US\$ 500 once at the time of admission.
- Hostel Fee and Central Library Fee will be extra.

**PROGRAMME STRUCTURE (2020-22):**

**First Semester:**

Code	Title	Credits (L T P)
<b>CORE COURSES</b>		
SS5C-501	Development of Political Thought In India.	3 (2-1-0)
SS5C-503	Comparative politics	3 (2-1-0)
SS5C-505	International Relation	3 (2-1-0)
SS5C-507	Major Ideas Of Public Administration	3 (2-1-0)
SS5C-509	Computer Application	2 (1-0-2)
SS5C-511	Ethics, Personality Development	2 (1-1-0)

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SS5C-513	Contemporary Politics (Modi's Foreign Policy) OR Current Burning Issues	3 (2-1-0)
SS5C-515	Field work	4(0-0-8)
SS5C-551	Comprehension Viva	4

### Second Semester:

Code	Title	Credits (L T P)
<b>CORE COURSES</b>		
SS5C-502	Western Political thinkers	4 (3-1-0)
SS5C-504	Comparative Studies (Major Constitution Of The World)	4 (3-1-0)
SS5C-506	International Organisation (Peace And Development)	4 (3-1-0)
SS5C-508	Advance political theory	4 (3-1-0)
<b>ELECTIVE COURSES-DISCIPLINE CENTRIC (Any One)</b>		
SS5C-510	Research Methodology	3 (2-1-0)
SS5C-522	A. Cyber Politics B. Global Governance	3 (2-1-0)
SS5C-552	Comprehensive viva	4

### Third Semester:

Code	Title	Credits (L T P)
<b>CORE COURSES</b>		
SS5C-601	Indian Government And Politics	4 (3-1-0)
SS5C-603	State Politics In India	4 (3-1-0)
SS5C-605	Federalism In India And Local Self Government (with reference to Madhya Pradesh)	4 (3-1-0)
SS5C-607	Govt. And Politics Of Madhya Pradesh	4 (3-1-0)
SS5C-609	POLITICAL ECONOMY OF INDIA	4 (3-1-0)
SS5C-611	A. Discourses Of Caste In Indian Thought B. Social movement in India.	3 (2-1-0)
SS5-613	Case Study (Political Tenure Of P. J, Nehru, Indira Gandhi, Rajiv Gandhi , P.V.N Rao, Atal Bihari Vajpaaee, Narendra Modi)	2
SS5C-651	COMPREHENSIVE VIVA	4

### Fourth Semester:

Code	Title	Credits (L T P)
SS5C-602	Indian Foreign Policy	4 (3-1-0)
SS5C-604	International law	4 (3-1-0)

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SS5C-606	Diplomacy And Human Rights.	4 (3-1-0)
SS5C-608	Media and politics	4 (3-1-0)
SS5C-610	Public Institution In India (The Presidency, Institution Of Internal Accountability (CAG, CEC, CVC Etc.)The Police System In India (Design And Performance, Civil Services(An Institutional Perspective, Reserve Bank Of India)	4 (3-1-0)
SS5C-612	Ability enhancement	3 (2-1-0)
SS5C-652	Comprehensive viva	4

Note: The above programme structure can be modified as per requirement from time to time in accordance with University Ordinance No. 14.

### PROGRAMME OUTCOMES:

- The students understand the basic principles of Politics including governing institutions and branches, political wings and organizations.
- Students will demonstrate the ability to ask relevant research questions pertaining to Political Science in their research papers and internship experiences.

### PROGRAMME SPECIFIC OUTCOMES:

- Demonstrate the ability to apply their knowledge of politics by using the major analytic and theoretical frameworks in several subfields of political science.
  - This will include gaining an understanding of the nation's political institutions, political culture, and political ideologies, as well as how public policy is decided upon and implemented.
  - This will include an understanding of how knowledge about politics and government is generated by political scientists working within their discipline.
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