SNDT Women's University, Mumbai

Master of Arts (Political Science)

M.A. (Political Science)

as per NEP-2020

Syllabus

(2023-24)

SNDT WOMEN'S UNVERSITY
Mumbai-400 020

Postgraduate Programme
in Political Science-2023

Programme Degree		Master of Arts
Specialization		Political Science
Preamble		The learners Master of Arts in Political Science programme will get an in-depth understanding of the discipline of Political Science and its various sub fields. They will be able to discern, analyse and critique the philosophical debates of the discipline, understand the institutional framework and its working which constitute the foundation of modern-day politics. The course develops in the learners a global, national and local perspective of various issues focusing on both the theoretical and practical aspects of the discipline.
Programme Specific Outcomes (POs)		After completing this programme, Learner will
		• get an in-depth understanding of the discipline of Political Science and its various sub fields.
		• be able to discern, analyse and critique the philosophical debates of the discipline, understand the institutional framework and its working which constitute the foundation of modern-day politics.
		• become familiar with specialized and contemporary analytical framework through which politics is studied
		• a global, national and local perspective of various issues focusing on both the theoretical and practical aspects of the discipline.
Eligibility Criteria for Programme		BA in any Discipline
Intake (For SNDT WU Departments and Conducted Colleges)		25

RM: Research Methodology

OJT: On-Job Training

RP: Research Project

Postgraduate Programme of 2 years:

SN	Courses	Type of Course	Credits	Marks	Int	Ext
	Semester I					
110911	Classical Traditions in Political Thought	Major (Core)	4	100	50	50
110912	Indian Constitution & Political Institutions	Major (Core)	4	100	50	50
110913	Administrative Theory & Process	Major (Core)	4	100	50	50
110914	Indian Administration/ Public Policy: Theory & Process	Major (Core)	2	50	50	0
120911/ 120912	Gandhi: Non-Violence & Satyagraha/ Development Administration	Major (Elective)	4	100	50	50
130911	Research Methodology	Minor Stream (RM)	4	100	50	50
			22	**550**	**300**	**250**
	Semester II					
210911	Modern Political Thought & Theory	Major (Core)	4	100	50	50
210912	Politics & Society in India	Major (Core)	4	100	50	50
210913	Modern Indian Political Thought	Major (Core)	4	100	50	50
210914/ 210915	Political Process in Maharashtra/ Local Government & Politics	Major (Core)	2	50	0	50
220911/ 220912	Parties and Party System in India/Politics of Development in India	Major (Elective)	4	100	50	50
240941	Internship	OJT	4	100	50	50
			22	**550**	**250**	**300**

Exit option: (44 credit) after Three-Year UG Degree

Year II

SN	Courses	Type of Course	Credits	Marks	Int	Ext
	Semester III					
310911	Theoretical Aspects of International Relations	Major (Core)	4	100	50	50
310912	Comparative Politics	Major (Core)	4	100	50	50
310913	Key Concepts in Political Philosophy	Major (Core)	4	100	50	50
310914/ 310915/ 310916	Social Movements in India/ Electoral Politics in India/ International Organisations	Major (Core)	2	50	0	50
320911/ 320912	Human Rights / Peace & Conflict Studies	Major (Elective)	4	100	50	50
350931	Research Project	RP	4	100	50	50
			22	**550**	**250**	**300**
	Semester IV					
410911	Issues in World Politics	Major (Core)	4	100	50	50
410912	India and the World	Major (Core)	4	100	50	50
410913	Gender Studies	Major (Core)	4	100	50	50
420911/ 420912/ 420913/ 420914	Area Studies- Africa/State Politics in India/American Political System/Developmental State in India	Major (Elective)	4	100	50	50
450931	Research Project	RP	6	150	100	50
			22	**550**	**300**	**250**

Course Syllabus

Major (Core)

Course Title	Classical Traditions in Political Thought
Course Credits	4
Course Outcomes	After going through the course, learners will be able to
	• Understand the major traditions in western political thought.
	• Analyze theories and debates in political thought.
	• Develop a sound understanding of the traditional political philosophy which informs modern day politics and society

Module 1 (Credit 1) Classical Traditions in Political Thought	
Content Outline	• Plato • Aristotle
Module 2 (Credit 1) Ethics and Politics: Machiavelli	
Content Outline	• Strategies and tactics of consolidating power • Civic virtues and • Republicanism
Module 3 Liberalism	

Content Outline	• Hobbes, Locke & Rousseau
	     o Political obligation
	     o Liberty & Private Property
	     o Political Authority
	
	 • J. S Mill: Individualism, Liberty and Representative Government

Module 4 (Credit 1) Contemporary Liberalism and its Critiques *	

Content Outline	• Contributions of:
	     o J. Rawls
	     o R. Nozick
	     o Amartya Sen
	 • Communitarianism
	     o Macintyre
	     o Sandel
	 • Feminist
	     o M.C Nussbaum

Assignments/Activities towards Comprehensive Continuous Evaluation (CCE)

1. Term Paper & Presentations

2. Unit Test

3. Book Review

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Major (Core)

Course Title	Indian Constitution & Political Institutions
Course Credits	4
Course Outcomes	After going through the course, learners will be able to
	• Get an in-depth understanding of the institutional structures as provided in the Constitution of India
	• Explore contemporary institutional forms and practices on the basis of their historical underpinnings and debates from the past.
	• Understand the inter relationship between institutions and actors in the context of social and political processes.

Module 1 (Credit 1) Constitution & Constitutionalism	
Content Outline	• Constitutionalism in Post-Colonial Countries • Constituent Assembly Debates in India and the shaping of the philosophy of Indian constitution, • Constitution as a source of Public Policy, as an instrument of governance and transformation
Module 2 (Credit 1) Constitutional Functionaries	
Content Outline	• Executive: President- Prime Minister & Council of Ministers: Relationship • Collective Responsibility as an instrument of control • Parliamentary Accountability: How effective? • Governor & Chief Ministers: Dynamics
Module 3 (Credit 1) Legislature & Representation	
Content Outline	• Overview of Theories of Representation, changing nature of Parliamentary Representation and its Impact on Parliamentary functioning • Parliamentary Elections: Electoral Reform, Anti Defection • Reservation as an instrument of Representation • Parliamentary Accountability: Committee system,
Module 4 (Credit 0.5) Judiciary:	
Content Outline	• Judicial Powers & Independence, • Judicial Review as an instrument of Social Transformation & Change • Judicial Activism, PIL • Judicial Independence and Judicial Reform
Module 5 (Credit 0.5) Centre State Relations	

	• Framework of Centre State Relations: Strong Centre Framework: Its Challenges • Division of Power with special reference to Emergency powers • Dynamics of Centre State Relations: Central intervention in State Rights, Reforms • Multi-level Federalism

Assignments/Activities towards Comprehensive Continuous Evaluation (CCE)

1. Unit Tests

2. Constitutional Case Studies

3. Quiz on Current Developments

4. Presentations

References

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Major (Core)

Course Title	Administrative Theories
Course Credits	4
Course Outcomes	After going through the course, learners will be able to
	• Familiarize the students with the evolution of and major approaches in the discipline of Public Administration.
	• Develop an understanding of the theories of administration
	• Understand the major theoretical developments and debates
	• Understand the Challenges in administration in modern day

Module 1 (Credit 1)	Introduction to Public Administration & Classical Schools

Content Outline	• Introduction to Public Administration
	   a) Meaning, Scope, Evolution,
	   b) Theories and Approaches to the Study of Public Administration
	
	• Scientific Management School
	   a) Classical Theory of Management
	   b) Bureaucratic organization: Max Weber.
	   c) Human Relations: Elton Mayo.
	   d) Systems approach

Module 2 (Credit 1)	Contextual Public Administration
Content Outline	a. Ecological Approach: Fred Riggs b. Rational Decision-Making Approach: Herbert Simon c. Development Administration Approach Political Economy Approach: Marxist Approach

Module 3	Paradigms of Administration:
Content Outline	a. New Public Administration b. New Public Management c. Public Choice Theory

Module 4 (Credit 1)	Contemporary Developments
Content Outline	a. Good Governance and Development b. Corporate Governance c. E Governance **d.** Feminist Perspectives on Administration

Assignments/Activities towards Comprehensive Continuous Evaluation (CCE)

1. Unit Tests

2. Book Reviews

3. Quiz on Current Developments

4. Presentations

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Major (CORE)

Course Title	Indian Administration
Course Credits	2
Course Outcomes	After going through the course, learners will be able to
	• Understand the foundations and evolution of Indian administration.
	• Develop an understanding of Structure, functioning of Indian administration.
	• Understand the role of decentralized and administration and challenges in India.
	• Contextualize the good governance, E-Governance and role of NGO in Indian administration.

Module 1 (Credit 0.5)	**Foundations of Administration**
Content Outline	i. Evolution of Administration in India: Ancient, Mughal and British Administration ii. Constitutional context of Indian administration.

a. **Module 2 (Credit 1)**	**Structures of Administration**
Content Outline	• Prime Minister's Office- Cabinet Secretariat and Central Secretariat • State Administration. • Developmental Planning: The Planning Commission of India & NITI Ayog. • Democratic Decentralization and Panchayati Raj Institutions • Union and State Public Services: Structure, Recruitment, Training

Module 1 (Credit 0.5)	**New trends and significant issues in Indian Administration**
Content Outline	• Good Governance and Development • E-Governance • NGOs

1. Unit Tests
2. Book Reviews
3. Case Studies
4. Field Visits

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Major (CORE)

Course Title	Public Policies in India
Course Credits	**2**
Course Outcomes	After going through the course, learners will be able to
	Understand and apply theories, models and process of public policy making in India
	Understand the process of policy making
	Explore the role of institutions, actors and stakeholders in the public policy process making
	contextualises public policy making in India and understand, the different actors that shape public policy
	analyse strengths and shortcomings of public policies.

Module 1 (Credit 1) Theoretical Perspectives on Public Policy	
Content Outline	- Public Policy: Meaning, Nature, Scope & Significance. - Why Public Policy? iii. Stages of Policy Making Agenda Setting, Policy Formulation iv. Policy Legitimation (policy approval) v. Policy Implementation vi. Policy Evaluation
b. Module 2 (Credit 1) Understanding Welfare Policies in India*	
Content Outline	- MGNREGA, - NRLM, - Midday Meal , - Beti Bachao

*Any one

Assignments/Activities towards Comprehensive Continuous Evaluation (CCE)
1. Case Studies
2. Book Reviews
3. Drafting Policies
4. Term Papers
5. Presentations

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Major (Elective)

Course Title	Gandhi: Non-Violence & Satyagraha
Course Credits	4
Course Outcomes	After going through the course, learners will be able to
	To encapsulate the socio-cultural-economic and political thought of Mohandas Karmchand Gandhi
	To develop a comprehensive grasp of Gandhian Philosophy, through his life work
	Understand the impact, significance and relevance of Gandian thought in contemporary times.
	Apply Gandhian Philosophy in varied fields
	5.

Module 1 (Credit 1)	Political and Intellectual Context

Content Outline	Political Context:
	    - Immediate Colonial Context: Partition of Bengal
	    - Hindu – Muslim divide and rise of militant religious nationalism
	    -Politics within Indian National Congress: Liberals versus radicals
	
	b. Intellectual Context:
	    - Claims of colonial modernity
	    - Reactions to western modernity and industrial civilization: Leo Tolstoy and Henri David Thoreau
	    - Tradition – modernity debates in India
	    - Construction of nationalism in the late 19th & early 20th century
	c. Two Roads to Decolonisation: Tagore and Gandhi

Module 2 (0.5 credits)	Gandhi's Critique of Modern Civilization
Content Outline	• Gandhi's understanding of western modernity • Nation & Nationalism • Conceptualising Swaraj • Gandhi: Modernist, post – modernist or beyond?

Module 3 (Credit 1)	Gandhi on Non Violence & Westrn Modernity

Content Outline	• Ahimsa: Non Violence as a Creed, Non Violent Society & State
	• Communal Harmony, Rights of Minorities
	• Mass movements : Civil Disobedience & Satyagraha
	• Gandhi's understanding of western modernity
	    a. Nation & Nationalism
	    b. Conceptualising Swaraj
	• Gandhi: Modernist, post – modernist or beyond?

Module 4 (Credit 1) Gandhi on Caste, Untouchability and Gender	
Content Outline	- Gandhi on Race & Caste - Gandhi on Untouchability, Gandhi- Ambedkar Debate - Gandhi on Gender : Gender Violence, Gender Equality
Module 5 (Credit 0.5) Socialism and Trusteeship	
Content Outline	- Gandhi's concept of Trusteeship - Gandhian Socialism: Gandhi's views on economy and society

Assignments/Activities towards Comprehensive Continuous Evaluation (CCE)

1. Unit Tests
2. Book Reviews
3. Quiz on Current Developments
4. Presentations

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OR

Course Title	Development Administration
Course Credits	**4**
Course Outcomes	After going through the course, learners will be able to
	• understand the role of administration in the development of society.
	• Understand the changing role of administration in the process of development in the post – globalisation period.
	• Identify and elucidate on the structure and role of Administrative Machinery in India

Module 1 (Credit 1)	Nature and Significance of Development Administration
Content Outline	Understanding Administration as an instrument of development • Evolution of Development Administration

Module 2 (Credit 1)	Development Programmes: Planning and Implementation

Content Outline	• Bloc Development Programme
	  a. Development Programmes for Weaker Sections of the Society
	  b. Development Programmes for Rural Development
	  c. Development Programmes for Urban population

Module 3	Machinery of Development Administration
Content Outline	• Machinery at the Centre • Machinery at the State Level • Machinery at the local level

Module 4 (Credit 1)	New Trends in Development and Empowerment

Content Outline	• From Welfarism to People's Self Development
	  a. Empowerment of women. Tribal and minorities
	  b. Citizen's Participation in Development
	• **Development Administration in the Era of Globalization**
	  a. Changing role of the State viz – a – viz development
	  b. b,. International Aid and technical Assistance Programmes
	  c. Role of Voluntary agencies in development Administration.

Assignments/Activities towards Comprehensive Continuous Evaluation (CCE)

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2. Book Reviews
3. Quiz on Current Developments
4. Presentations

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Major (Core)

Course Title	Research Methodology
Course Credits	4
Course Outcomes	After going through the course, learners will be able to
	• Understand the basics of quantitative and qualitative methods of research
	• Use basic techniques of data collection & analysis
	• Able to write research proposals and academic papers
	• Understand the importance of Ethics in Research and carry out ethical research work

Module 1 (Credit 1)	Scientific Method of Political Enquiry
Content Outline	• Basic Concepts in Research Methodology and Social Research • Positivist, Interpretative & Critical Paradigms & Ensuing research Methods, Hermeneutics • Basis assumptions of Qualitative and Quantitative Research
Module 2 (Credit 1)	Designing Social Research
Content Outline	• Theory Construction—Quantitative and Qualitative Dimensions • Essential aspects of Quantitative Research Design • Essential aspects of Qualitative Research Design
Module 3 Techniques of Collection &Content Analysis (Credit 1)	
Content Outline	• Methods of Data Collection--Sampling and Measurement • Dealing with Quantitative Data: Coding, Entering, Cleaning • Basic Statistics: Frequency Distribution, Central Tendency and Measures of Variation **Content Analysis** • Content & Textual Analysis: Usage & Preparing of coding schedule & coding manual • Interviews • Participant Observation
Module 4 (Credit 1)	Research Writing & Ethics in Research
Content Outline	• Writing Process • Essential aspects of a Research Report • Ethics in Social Research

Assignments/Activities towards Comprehensive Continuous Evaluation (CCE)

1. Unit Tests

2. Book Reviews
3. Writing Research Proposal
4. Pilot Survery
5. Workshop of tools

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Major (Core)

Course Title	Modern Political Thought & Theory
Course Credits	4
Course Outcomes	After going through the course, learners will be able to
	• understanding of the theoretical underpinnings of the discipline
	• understand and analyze contemporary debates relating to issues of liberty, equality, rights
	• apply theories to understand modern day society
	• Understand, analyze and explain emerging issues &debates in political discourse

Module 1 (Credit 1)	Theory of State & Civil Society
Content Outline	• Hegel & Marx on State Society Relationship • Gramsci on Hegemony
Module 2 (Credit 1)	**Structural Marxism:**
Content Outline	Views of Altussiers & Polanzas
Module 3	**Critical Theory: The Frankfurt School—An overview**
Content Outline	a. Overview b. Habermas on Public sphere Critique
Module 4 (Credit 1)	**& Emerging themes in Political Thought**
Content Outline	• Theories of Post Colonialism: Edward Said's Orientalism Green Political Theory • Multiculturalism: Will Kymlica

1. Term Paper

2. Paper Presentations

3. Book Review

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Major (Core)

Course Title	Politics & Society in India
Course Credits	4
Course Outcomes	After going through the course, learners will be able to
	Explore the interconnectedness between the state and society
	Understand the centrality of the state in the developmental process
	Explore the multiple socio- political challenges that state faces in India

Module 1 (Credit 1)	Conceptualizing the 'State' & Society in India
Content Outline	- Political Economy Approach of Conceptualizing the State - State Building in India: Nehruvian Consensus & After - Political Culture in India
Module 2 (Credit 1)	Indian Democracy & Society
Content Outline	Multiple Paradoxes of Indian Democracy with Reference to following : - Kothari, R. *Politics in India*. Orient Black Swan, 1978 (relevant chapters). - Weiner, M. *Democratic Paradox: Essays in Indian Politics*, Sage Publications,1989(relevant chapters). - Varshney, *India Defies the Odds*, Journal of Democracy,1998, pp. 36-50.
Module 3 Liberalism	Castes in Indian Democracy
Content Outline	- Caste and Politics - Secularization of Caste - Electoral Competition and Caste
Module 4 (Credit 1)	Issues in Indian society
Content Outline	- Ethnicity and Ethnic conflicts in Civic Life - Ethnic conflict, Representation and Electoral Politics **Identity and Ethnic conflict**
Module 5 (Credit 1)	Secularism and Indian Democracy
Content Outline	Debates on Indian Secularism with reference to : a. Nandy, *Secularism in Crisis*, India International Centre Quarterly, Spring 1995, Vol. 22, No. 1,

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3. Quiz on Current Developments
4. Term Paper

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Major (Core)

Course Title	Modern Indian Political Thought
Course Credits	4
Course Outcomes	After going through the course, learners will be able to
	Explain the significant contributions of Indian social and political thinkers
	Introduced the non-western discourses to the study of politics
	Understand the historical basis of contemporary politics.

Module 1 (Credit 1). Modern ideas of Nationalism and Nation Building: Bankim Chandra, Tilak, Nehru	
Content Outline	• Introduction to post-colonial Construction of Nation • Bankim Chandra's imagination of Nation • Tilak on Cultural Nationalism • Nehru on Nation Building
Module 2 (Credit 1)	Introduction to post-colonial Construction of Nation
Content Outline	• Bankim Chandra's imagination of Nation • Tilak on Cultural Nationalism • Nehru on Nation Building
Module 3 (0.5 Credits) Socialist Ideas in Indian Thought: Vivekananda, M.N.Roy & Ram Manohar Lohia	
Content Outline	• Contributions of Vivekananda • New Humanism of M.N. Roy • Rammanohar Lohia's Socialist Philosophy • Jayaprakash Narayan's understanding of socialism, Jayaprakash Narayan and Gandhi interface on Socialism
Module 4 (Credit 0.5) Anti – Caste Discourse: E. V. Ramaswamy Periyar & Bhimrao Raoji Ambedkar	
Content Outline	• Origin of anti-caste discourse: The Colonial Context • Analysis of Caste system & ways to annihilate the caste system • Critique of Brahminism, Contribution to equality discourse
Module 5 (Credit 1) Hindutva: Vinayak Damodar Savarkar & M S Golwalkar	
Content Outline	• Construction of Hindutva: The Colonial Context – Hindu Mahasabha & Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh • Ideology of Hindu nationalism • Views regarding Varna and Caste system • Views regarding Muslims, Dalit and Women

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Assignments/Activities towards Comprehensive Continuous Evaluation (CCE)

1. Unit Tests

2. Article submission

3. Field Visit

4. Presentations

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Major (Elective)

Course Title	Political Process in Maharashtra
Course Credits	2
Course Outcomes	After going through the course, learners will be able to
	Understand the interface between state and society in Maharashtra.
	Understand the process of state formation in Maharashtra
	Analyze the major socio-political issues in Maharashtra politics.
	Analyze the unfolding of the political process in the State and issues in the politics of the State.

Module 1 (Credit 1)	Historical Roots of Maharashtra Politics
Content Outline	a. Legacy of the Freedom Movement b.Samyukta Maharashtra Movement c. Impact of the Non – Brahmin and Dalit Movement d. Rise of Hindutva Politics
Module 2 (Credit 1)	Local Politics in Maharashtra
Content Outline	a.Patterns of Rural local Politics b. Issues in Urban Politics c. Politics in Mumbai

Assignments/Activities towards Comprehensive Continuous Evaluation (CCE)

1. Field Visit
2. Term Paper
3. Book Review
4. Unit Test

Reference

To be given

Course Title	Local Government & Politics
Course Credits	4
Course Outcomes	After going through the course, learners will be able to
	1. Explain the process of democratic local governance structures
	2. To understand the evolution of the Structures of urban and Local Self Governance
	3. Explore the actors and the process of local governance in India
	4. Analyze the problems faced by local governance institutions in India
	5. Understand the impact of Democratic decentralization

Module 1 : Local Governance, Local Democracy and Local Development: Overview of Approaches and Perspectives on Local Governance:	
Content Outline	• Historical origins of Local Self Governance in India: Contributions of Tagore and Gandhi • Classification of Urban and Rural Local Government: Types • Democratic decentralization :72nd and 73rd Amendment Act
Module 2 (Credit 1) Urban Local Self Government	
Content Outline	• Classification of Urban Local Government with specific reference to Maharashtra • Elections, Structures, function • Major Challenges
Module 3 (Credit 1) Rural Local Self-Governing Institutions	
Content Outline	• Classification of Rural Local Self Government with reference to Maharashtra • Structure & Functions • Elections to Self-Governing institutions, Reservation • Role in implementing welfare programmes (MNREGA, Bet Bachao,)
Module 4	**Democratic Decentralisation and Impact on Marginalised**
Content Outline	• Caste • Class • Tribe • Gender

Assignments/Activities towards Comprehensive Continuous Evaluation (CCE)

1. Unit Tests

2. Book Reviews

3. Visit to Panchayat and BMC

4. Presentations

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Major (Core)

	Party and Party System in India
Course Credits	**4**
Course Outcomes	After going through the course, learners will be able to
	Understand the various typologies political parties & party systems.
	Be aware of the changing structure and social base of political parties in India
	Explain impact of Parties on the functioning of the government.

Module 1 (Credit 1)	**Political Parties: Evolution, Typologies, Role and Relevance**
Content Outline	a. Approaches to the study of Political Parties and Parties and Party System b. Relevance of Political Parties in modern Democracies c. Party in the electorate, party in office and party as organization d. Party types: Cadre, Mass, Catch-all, Cartels and Beyond
Module 2 (Credit 1)	**Party System in India**
Content Outline	• From Single Party to Dominant to Multi-Party System • Regional and State Parties • Coalition Politics • Party Alliances and Government Formation
Module 3	**National & State Parties in India**
Content Outline	a. Origin b. Social Base c. Programmatic competition a. Leadership b. Electoral Performance
Module 4 (Credit 1)	**Parties & Elections in India**
Content Outline	• Determinants of Voting Behaviour: Caste, Community, Class, Gender and Region • Money Power, Violence and the Electoral Process • Electoral Reforms, • Funding of Elections

Assignments/Activities towards Comprehensive Continuous Evaluation (CCE)

1. Unit Tests

2. Book Reviews

3. Quiz on Current Developments

4. Presentations

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