

POL 101 MJ : Introduction to Political Science -I

Total Credits: 2T

Total Hours: 30

Objectives:

This course is designed to acquaint students with the –

1. Important concepts in Political Science.
2. Approaches to study Political Science.
3. Basic Concepts and Values in Political Science.

Course Outcomes :

1. The students will be able to understand the nature and scope of Political Science.
2. The students shall understand the various traditional and modern approaches to the study of Political Science.
3. The students will understand the basic concepts in Political Science and apply these concepts in making sense of social realities.

Unit I – Introduction to Political Science

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- a. Meaning and Definition.
- b. Nature of Political Science.
- c. Scope of Political Science.
- d. Approaches to the Study Political Science -Traditional and Modern.

Unit II – The State

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- a. Meaning and Definition.
- b. Evolution of State.
- c. Nature of State.
- d. Elements of the State.

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