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POST GRADUATE DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

Syllabus framed for the post graduate department of Political Science for the common entrance test (PG CET-2019) Government College (Autonomous), Kalaburagi-05.

UNIT – I : POLITICAL THEORY

- 1) Meaning and Nature of Political Theory Importance.
- 2) Approached to the study of Political Theory.
 - a. Traditional –Philosophical, Legal Institutional and Historical.
 - b. Modern-Sociological, Economics, Behavioural and Post Bheavioural.
- 3) Concept of Liberty, Equality and Justice Democracy and Rights.
- 4) Power, Authority and Influence State and Civil Society.
- 5) Nationalism, Secularism, Multi-Culturalism, Political obligation, meaning nature and uses or sanctions.

UNIT – II : INDIAN CONSTITUTION

- 1) Salient features of the Indian Constitution
- 2) Preamble of the Constitution
- 3) Fundamental rights and Fundamental duties
- 4) Directive principles of state Policy
- 5) Union Government (Legislature, Executive and Judiciary)
- 6) State Government (Legislature, Executive and Judiciary)

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UNIT -III : INDIAN AND WESTERN POLITICAL THINKER

- 1) Plato
- 2) Aristotle
- 3) Machiavelli
- 4) Hobbes, Lock and Rousseau
- 5) Karl Marks
- 6) J.S. Mill
- 7) Mahatma Basaveshwara
- 8) Dr. B.R. Ambedkar
- 9) M.K. Gandhi
- 10) Raja Ram Mohanroy

UNIT - IV: THEORY AND PRACTICE OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

- 1) Meaning, Nature, Scope and Importance of Public Administration.
Approaches to the Study of Public Administration.
- 2) Meaning and Principles of organization (Hierarchy, Unity of Command, Span of control, Co-ordination, Authority, Centralization, Decentralization).
Structure of organization - Chief Executive, (Functions) - Line, Staff and Auxiliary agencies - Meaning and Functions
- 3) Civil Service - Meaning Features and Functions. Recruitment, Training and Promotion Financial Administration, Budgetary Process, Financial Control over Administration
- 4) District Administration, Local Administration
- 5) Impact of Globalization of Public Administration Independent regulatory Commission
E-Governance in public Administration Characteristics, Administrative Ethics.

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UNIT - V: INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

- 1) Meaning, Nature Scope and Importance of the study of international Relations.
Distinction between International Politics and International Relations.
- 2) Diplomacy-Meaning, Types and Functions.
War-Meaning, Causes, Effects and Remedies
- 3) Post Cold War, Developments. Arms Control and Disarmaments.
International Organisation Failure of League of Nations. UNO, Foreign Policy, Meaning and Determinates.
- 4) Realism-Meaning and Features with reference to Morgenthau.
Morton Kaplan's System Theory
- 5) Game Theory, Bargaining Theory, Decision Making Theory.

UNIT - VI : MODERN GOVERNMENT

- 1) Salient Features of the Constitution of UK. Organisation of the Legislature Executive and Judiciary Political features and role.
- 2) Salient features of American Constitution organization of Federal Government of USA. Legislature, Executive and Judiciary Party System and Pressure Groups in Features and their Role.
- 3) Salient features of Swiss Constitution. Organisation of Swiss federal Government Legislature, Executive and Judiciary. Instruments of Direct Democracy referendum, initiative and recall.

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