



POLITICAL PROCESS IN INDIA

Open Elective Subject for Second Year Graduate Students for
Arts (Sociology) w.e.f. 2024-25

Approved by the Board of Studies in Sociology
And
Finalized by the Academic Council

Devrukh Shikshan Prasarak Mandal's
Nya. Tatyasaheb Athalye Arts, Ved. S. R. Sapre Commerce, and
Vid. Dadasaheb Pitre Science College (Autonomous), Devrukh.
Tal. Sangmeshwar, Dist. Ratnagiri-415804, Maharashtra, India

Academic Council Item No: _____

Name of the Implementing Institute	:	Nya. Tatyasaheb Athalye Arts, Ved. S. R. Sapre Commerce and Vid. Dadasaheb Pitre Science College (Autonomous), Devrukh. Tal. Sangmeshwar, Dist. Ratnagiri-415804,
Name of the Parent University	:	University of Mumbai
Name of the Programme	:	Bachelor of Arts
Name of the Class to Which the course is Open	:	Second Year, Semester Three
No. of Credits	:	02
Title of the Course	:	Sociology
Course Code	:	SEMESTER III – SOOE201
Passing Marks	:	40%
Nature of Course	:	Open Elective/ Generic
Level	:	Under Graduate (Level 5.0)
Pattern	:	40 Marks External Exam and 10 Marks based on Unit Test and Class Room Activities
Status	:	Open Elective Subject of Sociology
To be implemented from Academic Year	:	2024-25

Second Year of Bachelor of Arts (Sociology Open Elective)

Title of the Paper

Political Process in India

Revise Syllabus under Autonomy for NEP

(With effect from the Academic Year 2024-2025)

Semester	Paper Code	Paper	Lectures /Practical	Evaluation Weightage			Credits
				External	Internal	Total	
Semester III	SOOE201	Political Process in India	30	40	10	50	02

Learning objectives of this course are to educate the students about:

- i) Introduced Politics Concept, Political System and Democratic Ethics to Students.
- ii) Understanding Political Background of Social System in India.

COURSE CONTENT

Module No.	Content	No. of Allotted Lectures: 30
1	Unit I Politics and Development a. State Policies and Society b. Political Strategies and Social Response c. Political Culture in India	15
2	Unit II Civics and Current Affairs a. Social Problems in India: Unemployment, Poverty and Corruption b. Democracy and Social Reality c. Role of Citizens for Social Development	15

Pattern of Evaluation:

The Examination/Evaluation pattern shall be framed by the Board of Examination with its final approval from the Academic Council of the College.

Methods of Assessment:

The assessment pattern would be 40:10, 40% for Semester End Examination (SEE) and 10% for Continuous Internal Evaluation (CIA). The structure of the SEE and CIA would be as recommended by the Board of Studies and approved by the Board of Examination and the Academic Council of the college.

Reading List:

1. Niraja Gopal Jayal & Pratap Bhanu Mehta, The Oxford Companion to Politics in India, Oxford University Press, New Delhi, 2010.
2. Rajni Kothari, Politics in India Orient Longman, Hyderabad, 1970.
3. Subrata K. Mitra, Politics in India: Structure Process and Policy, Routledge, New York, 2017.
4. Partha Chatterjee (ed.), State and Politics in India, Oxford University Press, New Delhi, 2002.
5. Atul Kohli & Prerna Singh (eds.) Routledge Handbook of Indian Politics, Routledge, New York, 2016.
6. Bidyut Chakrabarty Indian Politics and Society since Independence Events, processes and ideology, Routledge, New York, 2008.
7. Achin Vanaik and R. Bhargava (eds.), Understanding Contemporary India: Critical Perspectives, Orient Blackswan, New Delhi, 2010
