

Rajarshi Shahu Mahavidyalaya, Latur

(Autonomous)

Department of Political Science

Course Type: VEC

Course Title: Constitution of India

Course Code:

Credits: 02 Max. Marks: 50 Lectures: 30 Hrs.

Learning Objectives:

LO 1. The purpose of the course is to familiarize the students with the key elements of Indian constitution.

- LO 2. Enable them to critically assess the working of government institutions in the broader framework of constitutionality and factors and forces which attempts to influence them.
- LO 3. The course has been designed to cover the journey of the map of India that emerged from partition to subsequent integration of Princely states.
- LO 4. Students will understand how the decision on key significant symbols such as national flag, national song, national anthem, etc. of the constitution was arrived at through comprehensive debates in the Constituent Assembly

Course Outcomes:

After completion of course the student will be able to-

- CO 1. Students will be able to understand the terms of partition and how princely states were integrated.
- CO 2. They will be able to answer how princely states of Junagarh, Hyderabad, Goa, and Kashmir were integrated into India.
- CO 3. They will come to know the importance of the Preamble in the constitutional design of India.
- CO 4. They will be able to answer how constituent assembly decided about our National flag, National song, and Anthem and how debates unfolded on National language and Minority rights in the Constitution.
- CO 5. They will be able to answer questions pertaining to the function and role of the President, Prime Minister, Governor, Chief Minister, Parliament and State legislature, and the courts in the Constitutional design of India.

Unit No.	Title of Unit & Contents	Hrs.
I	Introduction to Indian Constitution	05
	1. Making of Indian Constitution	
	2. Preamble	
	3. Feature of Indian Constitution	
	Unit Outcomes:	
	UO 1. Summaries the making of Indian Constitution.	
	UO2. Examine the basic feature of Indian Constitution.	

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II	Fundamental Rights, Duties and Directive Principal	08
	1. Fundamental Rights	
	2. Fundamental Duties	
	3. Directive Principles of State Policy	
	4. Procedure of the Constitution Amendment	
	Unit Outcomes:	
	UO 1. Understand the human values which are important for human	
	development.	
	UO 2.Compare the Human Values with Duties as Citizens	
III	Legislature and Executives	10
	1. Parliament: Composition, Lawmaking Procedure	
	2. Union Executives: President, Prime Minister, council of Ministers	
	3. State Legislature: Composition, Lawmaking Procedure	
	4. State Executive: Governor, Chief Minister and council of Minister	
	5. Local Self-Government: Rural and Urban	
	Unit Outcome:	
	UO 1. Know the organs of Indian parliament and parliamentary	
	procedure.	
	UO 2. Compare the functions of Union Government, State	
	Government and local self-Government.	
IV	Judiciary in India	07
	1. Supreme Court: Structure and Functions	
	2. High Courts: Structure and Functions	
	3.Subordinary Courts	
	Unit Outcomes:	
	UO 1. Examine the judicial System of India.	
	UO 2. Analyse the functions of Sub ordinary courts under the	
	guidance of supreme court	

Learning Resources:

- 1. The Indian Constitution: Cornerstone of a Nation, Austin Granville, OUP, New Delhi, 1972.
- 2. Indian Political System, Johari J. C., Anmol, New Delhi, 2010.
- 3. Working a Democratic Constitution: The Indian Experience, Austin Granville, OUP 10, New Delhi, 1999.
- 4. Introduction to the Constitution of India, Basu D.D., Prentice Hall (latest edition) Calcutta, 1999.
- 5. India's Living Constitution, Hasan Zoya, E. Shridharan and R. Sudarshan (eds.), Permanent Black, New Delhi, 2002.
- 6. Public Institutions in India, Kapur Devesh and Pratap Bhanu Mehta (eds.), OUP, New Delhi, 2005.
- 7. Federalism without a Center, Saez Lawrence, Sage, New Delhi, 2004.
- 8. Judicial Activism, Sathe S.P., New Delhi, 2002.

- 9. Introduction to the Constitution of India, Sharma Brij Kishor, Prentice Hal, New Delhi, 2002.
- 10. इंडियन पॉलिटी, एम. लक्ष्मीकांत, के सागर, प्णे, २०१९.
- 11. भारत का संविधान: एक परिचय, बसु दुर्गा दास, लेक्सीसनेक्सीस, बटरवर्थ वाधवा नागपूर, ग्डगाव २०११.
- 12. भारतीय राज्यघटना, घांगरेकर चि.ग.
- 13. भारतीय शासन आणि राजकारण, प्रा. पाटील बी. बी., फडके प्रकाशन, कोल्हापूर २००६.
- 14. भारतीय संविधान शासन आणि राजकारण, डॉ. कुलकर्णी सुधाकर.
- भारतीय शासन आणि राजकारण, डॉ. सोलापूरे राजशेखर, प्रा. म्हेत्रे डी. एच., अरुणा प्रकाशन, लातूर.
- 16. भारताचे शासन आणि राजकारण, डॉ. जोरगुलवार भुषण.
- 17. भारतीय शासन आणि राजकारण, डॉ. जोशी सुधाकर, विद्या बुक्स पब्लिशर्स औरंगपूरा, औरंगाबाद
- 18. भारतीय राजव्यवस्था, डॉ. भोळे भास्कर लक्ष्मण, पिंपळपुरे ऍण्ड कंपनी, नागपूर २०१४.
- 19. आपली संसद, कश्यप स्भाष.
- 20. भारतीय संविधान व भारतीय राजकारण भाग १, २, तुकाराम जाधव, महेश शिरापूरकर, युनिक ऍकॅडमी, पुणे, २०१५.