

CLASS XI- POLITICAL SCIENCE SPLIT- UP SYLLABUS (2022-23)

Book 1: Indian Constitution at Work

Book 2: Political Theory

MONTH	CHAPTER	TOPICS	CLASSROOM ACTIVITY
APRIL/MAY	Constitution: Why and How The Philosophy of the Constitution Constitution as a Living Document Rights in the Indian Constitution	*Constitution: Why and How, *The making of the Constitution, *the Constituent Assembly, Procedural achievements and *Philosophy of the Constitution. *Are Constitutions static? The procedure to amend the Constitution. Why have there been so many amendments? Basic Structure and Evolution of the Constitution. Constitution as a Living Document. *The importance of Rights,* Fundamental Rights in the Indian Constitution, *Directive Principles of State Policy, *Relationship between Fundamental *Rights and and Directive Principles	Collection of 10 important facts on the Indian constitution not mentioned in the chapter. Discussion/Debate on the implementation of values in our society. Collection of pictures depicting different fundamental rights and their violation.
	Political Theory: Introduction	*What is Politics?* What do we study in Political Theory? *Putting Political Theory to practice. *Why should we study Political Theory?	Group discussion on the fate of politics today.
JUNE	Election and Representation	*Elections and Democracy, *Election System in India, *Reservation of Constituencies, *Free and Fair Elections, Electoral Reforms in Indian Politics	Assignment Topic- Comparative study on election systems followed in any two other countries with India.
JULY	Rights	*What are Rights?* Where do Rights come from? *Legal Rights and the State. *Kinds of Rights. *Rights and Responsibilities.*Human Rights	Group discussion on the importance of rights.
AUGUST	Local Governments	*Why do we need Local Governments? *Growth of Local Government in India,*73rd and 74th Amendments,* implementation of 73rd and 74th Amendments	Nukkad natak- on the functioning of local governments and obstacles faced.

	Development	*What is development? *Dominant, development Model and alternative conceptions of development. *Growth vs Development* Different models of Development	Preparation of flow chart on the different models of development. Also to include-Meaning, advantages and disadvantages.
SEPTEMBER	Liberty	*The Ideal of Freedom. *What is Freedom? *Why do we need constraints? *Harm principle. *Negative and Positive Liberty*Liberty vs freedom	Debate on the need of constraints for freedom.
	The Legislature	*Why do we need a Parliament? Two Houses of Parliament. *Functions and Power of the Parliament,* Legislative functions, control over Executive. *Parliamentary committees. Self-regulation	Role Play depicting the law making procedure.
OCTOBER	The Executive	*What is an Executive?* Different Types of Executive. *Parliamentary Executive in India, *Prime Minister and Council of Ministers. *Permanent Executive: Bureaucracy	Comparative study on the position of the President in India and USA.
NOVEMBER	The Judiciary	*Why do we need an Independent Judiciary? *Structure of the Judiciary, *Judicial Activism, *Judiciary and Rights, *Judiciary and Parliament*Judicial Over-reach.	Making of a flow chart on the judicial system in India.
DECEMBER	Equality	*Significance of Equality. *What is Equality? *Various dimensions of Equality.* How can we promote Equality?	Group Discussion on promotion of equality in day to day situations.
JANUARY	Justice	*What is Justice? *Just Distribution. *Justice as fairness. *Pursuing Social Justice* Different Dimension of Justice, DistributiveJustice.	Group discussion-Is Rawls theory of justice possible?

❖ The split-up syllabus is tentatively prepared till further announcements by CBSE.