# POST GRADUATE PROGRAMME –COURSE OUTCOME MA POLITICAL SCIENCE MAHARAJAS COLLEGE ( GOVERNMENT AUTONOMOUS) ERNAKULAM PROGRAMME SPECIFIC OUTCOME

# 2. PROGRAMME LEARNING OUTCOMES

On successful completion of the programme students should be able to:

- Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the key theories and concepts in Political Science. It also aims at familiarise insights into the theoretical advances in the discipline.
- to enable the students the ability to evaluate theories in the light of empirical evidence or normative propositions.
- Apply appropriate theories to analyse social and political happenings.
- Demonstrate an understanding of the philosophical dimensions of political systems, processes and movements at the local, national and trans-national levels.
- to develop the intellectual ability to undertake inter-disciplinary research.
- Achieve and demonstrate the ability to communicate their ideas effectively using the appropriate language of the discipline.
- Apply critical thinking, communication and analytical skills to address significant issues of concern in society.
- Recognize issues of social justice and inclusive development.

To understand the problems pertains to underdevelopment and uneven development in society. To inculcate the spirit of just, fare and the reasonable standards among the students.

To understand the issues such as organised group bargaining and political patronage in the society. COURSE OUTCOME

# **SEMESTER-1**

# PGI POL C01 POLITICAL THOUGHT; ANCIENT AND MEDIEVAL

- 1. To enable the students to understand the political philosophy from ancient Greek period to Medieval period.
- 2. To understand the different philosophical dimensions of various schools of thought.
- 3. To familiarise the students regarding different original works of philosophers.

## PG I POL C02 PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION: THEORY AND CONCEPTS

- 1. To understand the theories and concepts of Public Administration.
- 2. to enable the students to understand the pre-requisites for effective and just administration at various levels.
- 3. to know the theoretical and practical manifestations of different concepts in administrative theory.

## PG I POL C 03 INDIAN POLITY STATE AND GOVERNANCE

- 1. To generate insights into the dynamics of polity and governance in India.
- 2. To familiarise the students regarding various themes in Indian polity and governance.
- 3. To enable the students to understand the constitutional and legal processes and fundamentals of Indian constitution.

### PG I POL C 04 POLITICAL THEORY

- 1. To familiarise the students the classical and modern conceptualisations of Political Theory.
- 2. To understand the students regarding the continuity and change in Political Theory.
- 3. To enlightenthe students regarding normative truth and nature of different regimes.

## PGI POL C 05 INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AND GLOBAL POLITICS

- 1. To enable the students regarding the theoretical assumptions of International Relations and Politics.
- 2. To familiarise the students regarding different theories and the relvant debates in the discipline of International Politics.
- 3. To understand the students regarding the evolving nature of international systems, institution and processes.

## SEMESTER II

# PG II POL C 01 POLITICAL THOUGHT MODERN TRADITIONS

- 1. To create awareness among students regarding evolving theories and concepts in modern Political Thought.
- 2. To enable the students to understand different ideological dimensions of modern political philosophy.
- 3. To enhance the critical capacity among students to learn the working of various political institutions and processes.

## PG II POL C 02 INDIAN ADMINISTRATION

- 1. To enable the students to understand in a broader sense the longer trajectory of India's historical and political administrative experiences.
- 2. It understand the students regarding the administrative structures and practices prevalent in Post –colonial period.
- 3. It introduces the students to the contemporary issues of decentralisation, governance and transparency in the country.

## PG II POL C03 ISSUES IN INDIAN POLITICS

- 1. To understand the vibrancy and limits of the democratic practices in India.
- 2. To understand the students regarding the different social forces which shapes the dynamics of society and politics in India.
- 3. To enable the students to study the issues such as caste, gender, communalism, linguism, separatism.

# PG II POL C 04 WORKING WITH GLOBAL PARADIGMS

- 1. To enable critical thinking among students regarding globalisation and issues such as development, terrorism, poverty, security, climate change etc.
- 2. To introduce the students the nature, and role of various international organisations and regional gatherings such as UN, ASEAN, BRICS etc.
- 3. To familiarise the students the issues such as multi-culturalism and civil society movements in world politics.

# PG II POL C05 COMPARATIVE POLITICS

- 1. To enhance the student's understanding of politics, state, government, democracy etc from a comparative perspective.
- 2. To familiarise the students the relevant theories in Comparative Politics.
- 3. To familiarise the students the origin of comparative institutions and politics.

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## SEMESTER III

#### PG III POL C01 INDIAN POLITICAL THOUGHT

- 1. To enable the students to understand the sources of Indian Political Philosophy.
- 2. To familiarise the students the relevant contributions of Indian Political Philosophy to the realm of political thought.
- 3. To introduce the students regarding the various philosophical underpinning of political ideologies in India.

## PG III POL C 02 STATE AND POLITIS OF KERALA

- 1. To familiarise the students the different dynamics of social political and cultural aspects of Kerala society and polity.
- 2. to introduce the students the important personalities and movements in Kerala renaissance.
- 3. to enable the students the different dimensions of political ideologies and practices in contemporary society and politics of Kerala

# PG III POL C 03 HUMAN RIGHTS IN INDIA

- 1. To facilitates the study of the concept of Human Rights and its development in the context of India.
- 2. It familiarise the students regarding the rights of marginalised groups such as SC/Sts and Physically Challenged etc.
- 3. It enables the students to understand the role of judiciary in the protection of bare minimum rights of downtrodden sections in the country.

## PG III POL C 04 DECENTRALIZATION AND LOCAL GOVERNANCE

- 1. To familiarise the students regarding the concept of decentralisation and devolution of power in India.
- 2. To enable the students to understand the various constitutional provisions and statutes pertains to decentralised governance in the country.
- 3. To familiarise the students the programmes such as peoples plan in the decentralised governance of Kerala.

### PG III POL C05 RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

- 1. It familiarise the students regarding various tools and techniques in Social Science.
- 2. To enable the students to undertake research programmes in Social Science.
- 3. To Understand the various limitations of research in Social Science.

# SEMESTER IV

## PG IV POL C01 INDIA'S FOREING POLICY

- 1. To familiarise the students regarding the historical evolution of India's Foreign Policy .
- 2. To enable the students regarding the institutions and process relates to the formulation of India's Foreign Policy.
- 3. To enable the students to understand the different dimensions of India's International engagement.

# PG IV POL E 02 CYBER POLITICS

- 1. To develop critical understanding on the emerging trends in political communication and the use of Information Communication Technology in the political process and governance.
- 2. To familiarise the students regarding different dimensions of cyber security and privacy.
- 3. To introduce the students regarding various laws pertains to ceber technology in India.

# PG IV POL E 03 ENVIRONMENT AND POLITICS: NATIONAL AND GLOBAL POLICIES

- 1. To familiarise the students regarding the importance of environmental conservation.
- 2. To enable the students to understand the importance of sustainable developments in the country.
- 3. To facilitate the students to understand the various laws pertains to environmental protections in India.

# PG IV POL E 04 GENDER AND POLITICS

- 1. To introduce the students regarding various gender abuses against the women.
- 2. To familiarise the students regarding the various laws for the protection of women.
- 3. To enable the students the extent of gender discriminations faced by women in a patriarchical society.

# PG IV POL E 04 GANDHIAN POLITICAL THOUGHT

- 1. To familiarise the students the ideological basis of Gandhian political philosophy.
- 2. To enable the students to understand the different dimensions of Gandhian Thought.
- 3. To enable the students regarding the relevance of Gandhian philosophy in the contemporary society and politics.

# PROJECT VIVA-VOCE

- 1. To rephrase the research problem in social settings.
- 2. To enable the students to use tools and techniques to undertake a research programme.
- 3. To enable the students to analyse and interpret research problem in social science.