

**PUNYASHLOK AHILYADEVI HOLKAR SOLAPUR UNIVERSITY,
SOLAPUR**



Name of the Faculty: All UG

Name of the Course: All UG Compulsory Paper

Semester: I

Name of Subject: Indian Constitution and Democracy

With effect from 2024-25

Course Credits: 02

Allotted Lectures: 30

1.1 Preamble:

This course acquaints students with the constitutional design of state structures and institutions, and their actual working overtime. The Indian Constitution accommodates Conflicting impulses (of liberty and justice, territorial decentralization and a strong union, for Instance) within itself. The course traces the embodiment of some of these conflicts in Constitutional provisions, and shows how these have played out in political practice. It further encourages a study of state institutions in their mutual interaction, and in interaction with the larger extra-constitutional environment. The syllabus will help them develop interest in reading Political Process written worldwide. **Besides the knowledge of existing topics, the students will be equipped with applied skills of Political Process by virtue of the additional components.**

Learning outcomes

Upon completion of this course students will be able to—

1. Understand the significance of the Indian constitution and Democracy.
2. Identify and explain the key features and objectives of the constitution and Democracy.
3. Discuss the constitutional provisions related to social justice, equality and affirmative action.

Indian Constitution and Democracy

NEW CBCS (Choice Based Credit System)

All UG. Semester I

Course Structure

Semester	Paper	Title of Paper	Number of Lectures (Theory+ Tutorial)	Internal Evaluation (IE)	End Semester Evaluation (ESE)	Total Marks	Credits
I	I	Indian Constitution and Democracy	30	No	50	50	02

Title of the Course/Paper
Indian Constitution and Democracy

VEC- Compulsory Course

All UG

Semester- I

[Credits: 2]

Lecture- 30

Unit I - The Constituent Assembly and the Constitution:

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- A) Preamble of the Constitution.
- B) Features of the Constitution
- C) Fundamental Rights of Indian Citizen
- D) Fundamental Duties of Indian Citizen

Unit II - Democracy in India:

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- A) Meaning, Definition, Features and Types of the Democracy
- B) Election commission of India - Structure, Power and Function
- C) Good Governance - Meaning and Features
- D) Indian Election and Voting Awareness Programme

मराठी भाषांतर

कोर्स चे नाव: भारतीय राज्यघटना आणि लोकशाही

VEC- अनिवार्य विषय सर्व विद्याशाखा पदाविकरिता

सत्र- पहिले

क्रेडीट- २

एकूण तासिका: ३०

प्रकरण-१- संविधान सभा आणि संविधान

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- अ) भारतीय संविधानाचा सरनामा
- ब) भारतीय संविधानाची वैशिष्ट्ये
- क) भारतीय नागरिकांचे मूलभूत अधिकार
- ड) भारतीय नागरिकांचे मुलभूत कर्तव्ये

प्रकरण-२- भारतीय लोकशाही

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- अ) लोकशाहीचा अर्थ, व्याख्या, प्रकार आणि वैशिष्ट्ये
- ब) भारतीय निवडणूक आयोग- रचना, अधिकार आणि कार्य
- क) सुशासन - संकल्पना आणि वैशिष्ट्ये
- ड) भारतीय निवडणुका आणि मतदार जागृती कार्यक्रम

Reference Books:

1. Basu D.D. - Introduction to the constitution of India. (X Edition 1989)
2. Chanda Ashok- Federalism in India A study of Union- State relation.
3. Gajendragadkar P.B.- The Constitution of India.
4. Johari J.C. India Government and politics
5. महाराष्ट्र शासनाचे प्रकाशन, भारताचे संविधान, १९९६
6. भोळे भा.ल. भारतीय गणराज्याचे शासन आणि राजकारण
7. घांगरेकर चि. घ. भारतीय राजकारण स्वरूप आणि राजकारण
8. सुहास पळशीकर, सत्ता संघर्ष
9. तुकाराम जाधव आणि महेश शिरापूरकर, भारतीय संविधान, युनिक्र प्रकाशन, पुणे
10. राजशेखर सोलापुरे, लोकशाही आणि निवडूक प्रक्रिया, अरुणा प्रकाशन, लातूर
11. पाटील बी. बी. लोकशाही, निवडणुका आणि सुशासन, फडके प्रकाशन, कोल्हापूर

Question Paper Pattern
All UG, Semester I
Compulsory Paper
Indian Constitution and Democracy

(To be introduced from June 2024)

End Semester Examination- 50 Marks (Max. Time- 1 Hours)

Introductions:

- 1. All questions are compulsory.*
- 2. Figures to the right indicate full marks.*

Que.1 Rewrite the following by choosing the correct alternative.

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