## TELANGANA STATE BOARD OF INTERMEDIATE EDUCATION, HYDERABAD

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# INTERMEDIATE 1st YEAR POLITICAL SCIENCE (CIVICS) SYLLABUS

#### Unit -I: Introduction Of Political Science

- 1.1 Meaning and Definition of Political Science
- 1.2 Nature of Political Science
- 1.3 Scope of Political Science
- 1.4 Significance of Political Science

### Unit - II: State

- 2.1 Meaning and Definitions of State
- 2.2 Essential Elements of the State
- 2.3 Relation between the State and others Institutions.
  - a. State and Society,
  - b. State and Government,
  - c.State and Associations
- 2.4. Sovereignty; Meaning, Definitions, Characteristics and aspects of sovereignty.

## Unit – IV:Political Concepts

- 4.1. Law
  - a. Meaning and definitions of Law,
  - b. Sources of Law,
  - c.Classification of Law.
  - d. Rule of Law
- 4.2. Liberty
  - a. Meaning and Definitions of Liberty,
  - b. Characteristics of Liberty,
  - c.Types of Liberty,
  - d. Safeguards of Liberty
- 4.3. Equality
  - a. Meaning of Equality,
  - b. Essential Features of Equality,
  - c.Types of Equality

#### 4.4. Justice

- a. Introduction and Definitions of Justice,
- b. Major concepts of Justice
- c. Types of Justice

## Unit-V: Important Political Ideologies

- 5.4 Communism and its basic features
- 5.5 Gandhism and its basic features

## Unit – VI: Rights And Duties

- 6.1. Rights
  - a. Meaning and Definitions
  - b. Important features of Rights
  - c. Classification of Rights
  - d. Safeguards of Rights
  - e. Human Rights
- 6.2. Duties
  - a. Meaning and Definitions
  - b. Types of Duties
- 6.3. Relationship between Rights and Duties

## Unit – VIII : Democracy

- 8.1. Meaning and Definition
- 8.2. Features of Democracy
- 8.3. Types of Democracy
- 8.4. The essential conditions for the success of Democracy
- 8.5. The Role of Public opinion in Democracy

### Unit – IX: Secularism

- 9.1 Meaning and Definitions
- 9.2 Origin of Secularism
- 9.3 Important features of Secularism
- 9.4 Secular State
- 9.5 Theocratic State
- 9.6 Secularism in Indian Context

## Unit – X : Constitution

- 10.1 Meaning and Definitions of Constitution
- 10.2 Historical background
- 10.3 Essential features of Constitution
- 10.4 Classification of Constitutions

# Unit – XI: Organs Of Government

- 11.1 Theory of separation of powers
- 11.2 Legislature: Powers and Functions
- 11.3 Executive :Powers and Functions
- 11.4 Judiciary : Powers and Functions