

**A.G. & S.G.SIDDHARTHA DEGREE COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS), (2020-21) VUYYURU**

SEMESTER – II	CODE: POL – 201
PAPER TITLE : BASIC ORGANS OF THE GOVERNMENT	

Max. Marks: 100

External: 70

Internal: 30

UNIT-I :

1. Meaning, Definition, Origin and Evolution of Constitution.
2. Classification of the Constitutions-Written and Unwritten; Rigid and Flexible.

UNIT-II :

1. Theory of Separation of Powers-B.D.Montesquieu.
2. Legislature-Unicameral and Bicameral-Power and Functions, Executive-Types,Powers and Functions. Judiciary-Powers and Functions.

UNIT-III :

1. Unitary and Federal forms of Governments-Merits and Demerits.
2. Parliamentary and Presidential forms of Governments- Merits and Demerits.

- UNIT-IV :** 1. Meaning, Definition, Significance, Theories and Principles of Democracy.
2. Types of Democracy: Direct and Indirect Democracy-Methods, Merits and Demerits-Essential Conditions for Success of Democracy.

UNIT-V :

1. Meaning, Definition and Classification of Political Parties: National and Regional-Functions of Political Parties.
2. Pressure Groups (Interest Groups)- Meaning, Definition, Types, Functions and Significance of Public Opinion.

Reference Books:

1. Principles of Political Science, Concept, Theories and institutions – Telugu Academy
2. Principles of Political Science – A. C Kapoor
3. Principles of Political Science, Concept, Theories and institutions – Ambedkar
Open University
4. Principles of Political Science – J. C. Johari
5. Principles of Political Science – R.C. Agarwal

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Duration : 3Hours

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Pass marks : 30

SECTION - A

Answer any **TWO** following questions

(2x5=10 Marks)

1. Written constitution
2. Bicameralism
3. Democracy
4. Public opinion

SECTION – B

Answer any **FOUR** of the following questions

(4x15=60 Marks)

5. Write about the meaning, definition origin and evolution of constitution
 6. Write an essay on the theory of separation of powers
 7. What are the functions of legislature
 8. What are the characteristics of parliamentary democracy
 9. What are the features of presidential democracy
 10. Describe the merits and demerits of Democracy
 11. Discuss the functions of Judiciary
 12. Write about the meaning definition and classification of political parties
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The Guidelines to be followed by the question paper setters in political science

II nd semester - end exams 2020-2021

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Paper- IISemester – II

Maximum marks : 70 Duration : 3Hours

Weightage for the question paper

Syllabus	Section-A (Short answer questions)	Section-B (essay questions)
Unit-1 (20Marks)	1	1
Unit-2 (35Marks)	1	2
Unit-3 (30Marks)		2
Unit-4 (35Marks)	1	2
Unit-5 (20Marks)	1	1

1. Each question carries 5 marks in Section-A
2. Each Essay question carries 15 marks in Section –B

The Question papers setters are requested to cover all the topics in the syllabus stipulated as per the weightage given by us