### COURSE CONTENT

#### Part A: Indian Constitution at Work

1. **Constitution Why and How and Philosophy of the Constitution**
   - **17 Periods**
   
2. Rights in the Indian Constitution


3. Election and Representation

Elections and Democracy, Election System in India, Reservation of Constituencies, Free and Fair Elections, Electoral Reforms

4. Legislature


5. Executive

What is an Executive? Different Types of Executive. Parliamentary Executive in India, Prime Minister and Council of Ministers. Permanent Executive: Bureaucracy.

6. Judiciary


7. Federalism


8. Local Governments

Why do we need Local Governments? Growth of Local Government in India, 73rd and 74th Amendments, implementation of 73rd and 74th Amendments.

9. Constitution as a Living Document

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.

Part B: Political Theory

10. Political Theory: An Introduction

What is Politics? What do we study in Political Theory? Putting Political Theory to practice. Why should we study Political Theory?

11. Freedom


12. Equality

Significance of Equality. What is Equality? Various dimensions of Equality. How can we promote Equality?

13. Social Justice

14. Rights

15. Citizenship
   What is citizenship? Citizen and Nation, Universal Citizenship, Global Citizenship

16. Nationalism
   Nations and Nationalism, National Self-determination, Nationalism and Pluralism

17. Secularism
   What is Secularism? What is Secular State? The Western and the Indian approaches to Secularism. Criticisms and Rationale of Indian Secularism.

18. Peace

19. Development
   What is development? Dominant, development Model and alternative conceptions of development.

Prescribed Books:
1. Indian Constitution at work, Class XI, Published by NCERT
2. Political Theory, Class XI, Published by NCERT

Note: The above textbooks are also available in Hindi and Urdu versions.
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4. **Scheme of Options:**

   There is internal choice for long answer questions of 6 marks.

   There are three passage-based questions of 5 marks each. No questions from plus (+) boxes.

5. In order to assess different mental abilities of learners, question paper is likely to include questions based on passages, visuals such as maps, cartoons, etc. No factual question will be asked on the information given in the plus (+) boxes in the textbooks.