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Unit	Topic	Weightage %	Teaching Hrs.
1	Introduction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Definition, Meaning, Nature and Importance of Political Science • Scope of studying Political Science. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. State Centric 2. Non-State Centric • Various Methodologies to study Political Science <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Philosophical/Deductive Method 2. Historical Method 3. Comparative Method 4. Behavioral Approach 	25	15
2	Relation of political science & other social sciences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Political Science and Sociology • Political Science and History • Political Science and Psychology • Political Science and Geography • Political Science and Economics 	15	09
3	Concept of State <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meaning, And Nature • Essential Characteristics of State • State and Society • State and Government 	15	09
4	Theories on Origin of State <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Theory of Divine Origin • Theory of Force • Social Contract Theory • Hobbes • Locke • Rousseau • Decline of Social Contract Theory 	25	15
5	Theory of Modern State <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marxist Theory of State • Legitimacy Theory of Max Weber • Evolutionary Theory 	10	06
6	Concept of Sovereignty <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Definition, Meaning, and Nature of Sovereignty • Types of Sovereignty • Attributes/Characteristics of Sovereignty 	10	06
	Total	100%	60 Hrs.

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Course Learning Outcomes:

No.	Course Outcome
CLO1	Understanding the Foundations of Political Science
CLO2	Evaluating Research Methodologies in Political Science
CLO3	Exploring the Relationship Between Political Science and Other Social Sciences
CLO4	Analysing the Concept of the State and Its Governance
CLO5	Understanding Theories on the Origin and Evolution of the State
CLO6	Examining the Concept and Importance of Sovereignty

**PARUL UNIVERSITY - FACULTY OF ARTS
BACHELOR OF ARTS IN POLITICAL SCIENCE
SEMESTER 1
SUBJECT TITLE: Political Ideologies - 1
SUBJECT CODE: 15010401DS02**

Prerequisite:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Knowledge of English Language studied till 12th Standard • Basic General Knowledge.
Rationale:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To familiarize the students with the concepts of political ideology. • To understand the importance of Ideology in Politics.
Objectives:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The students will be introduced to the basics of political ideologies • The students will be able to compare classical ideologies and Modern Political Ideologies • The students will be able to apply the core ideologies to contemporary political issues. • The students will be able to understand the core themes of the Liberalism, Fascism, Conservatism, and Socialism in the context of Western as well as Indian Philosophy

Teaching Scheme			Credit	Examination Scheme					Total
Lect Hrs/Week	Tut Hrs/Week	Lab Hrs/Week		External		Internal			
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4	0	0	4	60	0	20	20	0	100

Unit	Topic	Weightage %	Teaching Hrs.
1	Introduction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is Political Ideology? • Classical Ideologies: brief Introduction • Contemporary Ideologies: Brief Introduction • End of Ideology Debate and Revival 	15	09
2	Political Spectrum of Ideology <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Political Spectrum - Definition and Meaning • Types - from Left to Right. 	10	06
3	Liberalism <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is liberalism? • Origin – Historical Background • Types of Liberalism • Contemporary stand of Liberalism 	15	09
4	Conservatism <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is Conservatism? • Origin – Historical Background • Types of Conservatism Ideology • Contemporary stand Of Conservatism 	25	15
5	Socialism <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is Socialism? • Origin – Historical Background • Theory of Common Ownership • Types of Socialism • Contemporary Stand of Socialism 	15	09
6	Gandhism <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gandhi as an Ideology • Swaraj • Satyagraha • Truth and Non-Violence • Doctrine of Trusteeship 	20	12
	Total	100%	60 Hrs.

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Course Learning Outcomes:

No.	Course Outcome
CLO1	Understanding Political Ideologies and Their Evolution
CLO2	Examining the Political Spectrum of Ideologies
CLO3	Analyzing the Principles and Evolution of Liberalism
CLO4	Evaluating Conservatism and Its Modern Relevance
CLO5	Understanding the Core Tenets of Socialism
CLO6	Examining Gandhism as a Political Ideology