

Modern College of Arts, Science and Commerce
(Autonomous)
 Shivajinagar, Pune 05

Department of Political Science

Program Specific Outcomes (PSOs)

Program :M. A. Political Science

After successful completion of M.A in Political Science Program, the student will be able to:

PSO No	Program Specific Outcomes (PSOs)
PSO1	<p>Knowledge or Academic Expertise –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. To know various dimensions and functions of the state through various subjects like Comparative Politics, International Relations, Political Ideologies, Indian Government & Politics, etc. ii. The state is an inevitable part of human life. Hence, studying about the state increases the knowledge base as well as academic expertise. iii. Encourages to interpret the constitutional and political events with 'Living-Tree' (Contextual) Approach to make new interpretations according to the present times.
PSO2	<p>Inquisitive learner or Involved in Life Long learning –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Political Awareness - People may be enjoying their political rights but not using them efficiently. Like basic maths is compulsory, basic political theory and its comprehension is relevant for responsible citizens ii. Explanation & Speculation of contemporary events. iii. Focus on the process of self-actualization via political and administrative awareness.
PSO3	<p>Social competence –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Encouragement to develop critical thinking concerning solving 'Ethical Dilemmas' and 'Political Debate'. ii. Creates sensible and analytical ability to understand social issues with comprehensive depth.
PSO4	<p>Effective Communication –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Develop a detailed understanding of how to communicate political ideas efficiently and effectively.
PSO5	<p>Environmental awareness –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Ideas like the Ecological approach in political theory consider Environment as a non-separable entity.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ii. Focus on developing the ‘Eco-centric knowledge’ more than ‘Anthropocentric knowledge’. iii. Eco-feminism is an emerging field that considers the environment as a base of human development.
PSO6	Digital competence – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Emerging fields like big data analytics and Psephology cooperated in developing a techno-savvy educational environment.
PSO7	Experiential Learning – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. The comprehensive approach of looking towards life has been adopted. Classrooms in Political Science are not just 4 walls, Life itself is a whole learning experience and in every instance of life, it teaches us something. ii. Learn unique opportunities to build valuable skills. iii. Gain fundamental knowledge of global, issues in International and Domestic Politics, as well as specific expertise and skills.
PSO8	Ethical values – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. The purpose is to replace an empty mind with an open one. It not only focuses on understanding the political issues but also ethical decision-making. ii. 'Personality' and 'Character' matter more than 'Degree' and 'Qualifications'.
PSO9	Individuality and Teamwork or Interdisciplinary Studies – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Integrated approach is advanced in different subjects to have a holistic learning ii. Set up success in a variety of career paths through individuality and teamwork iii. Combine two or more areas of study, interdisciplinary studies programs which will give learners more flexibility in choosing their coursework.
PSO10	Research and problem-solving competence – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Genuine research practices are promoted. ii. Encouragement to students to perform activities with more research-based components and problem-solving abilities.
PSO11	Stress management : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Provide a wide spectrum of techniques at controlling a person’s level of stress for the motive of improving everyday functioning through the course of skill development.
PSO12	Extramural Skills :

	<ol style="list-style-type: none">i. Exposure to students for systematic thinking on political eventsii. It helps in polishing the opinions of the students.iii. Helps in engaging the quality debates in an informed manner and for the sake of common public interest.iv. Provide the learners an opportunity to develop particular skills and exhibit their non-academic abilities.v. Engage the students in fieldwork and internship programmes as extramural skills.
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