

Programme: MA Political Science

Course Code: POL-522

Title of the Course: India's Foreign Policy: Structures and Processes

Number of Credits: 4

Effective from AY: 2022-23

<u>Prerequisites for the course:</u>	Open to all under graduate students. A basic understanding of the major foreign policy issues is expected.	
<u>Objective:</u>	The course is intended to familiarize students with both the structural and functional dimensions of India's Foreign Policy since its evolution to the present. It shall acquaint them with the nuances of foreign policy making as well as the manner in which India has dealt with complex foreign policy issues since independence.	
<u>Content:</u>	<p>Unit 1: India's Foreign Policy: Origin and Evolution: Historical Understanding of India's Foreign Policy, Post-Independence Evolution, Determinants and Structures, Role of Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) and Think Tanks</p> <p>Unit 2: Non-Alignment to Multi Alignment: Ideological Changes and Continuities in India's Foreign Policy, Nehruvian Impact and its critical appraisal, Pragmatic transition since the 1990s.</p> <p>Unit 3: National Security and Foreign Policy: Interface of Security and Foreign Policy, India's Strategic Culture, Internal and External markers of India's Security, Nuclear Dimension and debate in India's Foreign Policy.</p> <p>Unit 4: India and her Extended Neighbourhood: India and South Asian Subcontinent, India and South East Asia, India and West Asia</p> <p>Unit 5: India and Major Powers: Change and Continuity in India's foreign Policy with United States of America, Russia, China and Japan.</p>	No. of Hours 10 hours 10 hours 10 hours 10 hours 10 hours
	Unit 6: India and Global Political Economy: India's positions on Global Trade, Climate Change, SDGs, Multilateral Financial Institutions, BRICS.	10 hours

Pedagogy	Lectures/Tutorials/Assignments/Self-Study/ Discussions/ Audio-Visual	
References/Readings:	<p>Single Author Book</p> <p>Bandyopadhyaya. J, (1970), <i>The Making of India's Foreign Policy: Determinants, Institutions, Processes, and Personalities</i>, Bombay: Allied Publishers.</p> <p>C. Raja Mohan, (2005), <i>Crossing the Rubicon: The Shaping of India's New Foreign Policy</i>, New Delhi: Penguin Books.</p> <p>Chopra, V.D., (2006), <i>India's Foreign Policy in the 21st Century</i>, New Delhi: Kalpaz Publications.</p> <p>Ganguly, Summit (2011), <i>India's Foreign Policy: Retrospect and Prospect</i>, Oxford: Oxford University Press.</p> <p>Jaishankar, S. (2020), <i>The India Way: Strategies for an Uncertain World</i>, New Delhi: HarperCollins.</p> <p>Kanwal, Gurmeet (2016), <i>The New Arthashastra: A Security Strategy for India</i>, New York: HarperCollins.</p> <p>Kumar, Yogendra, (2015), <i>Diplomatic Dimensions of Maritime Challenges for India in the 21st Century</i>, New Delhi: Pentagon Press.</p> <p>Kumar, Yogendra, (2017), <i>Whither an Indian Ocean Maritime Order? Contributions to a Seminar on Narendra Modi's SAGAR Speech</i>. New Delhi: KW Publishers.</p> <p>Menon, Shiv Shankar, (2016), <i>Choices: Inside the Making of India's Foreign Policy</i>, New Delhi: Penguin Random House.</p> <p>Pande, Aparna (2017), <i>From Chanakya to Modi: The Evolution of India's Foreign Policy</i>, New York: HarperCollins.</p> <p>Saran, Shyam (2017), <i>How India Sees the World: From Kautilya to the 21st Century</i>, New Delhi: Juggernaut Publishers.</p> <p>Sikri, Rajiv (2013), <i>Challenge and Strategy: Rethinking</i></p>	

	<p>Edited Book Ghosh. Anjali, Tridib Chakrobroti, Anindyo Jyoti Majumdar and Shibashis Chatterjee ed. (2009), <i>India's Foreign Policy</i>, New Delhi: Pearson Publishers.</p> <p>Two or More Author Book Bajpai, Kanti and Harsh Pant (2013), <i>India's Foreign Policy: A Reader</i>, Oxford: Oxford University Press.</p> <p><i>India's Foreign Policy</i>, New Delhi: Sage India Publishers.</p>	
<u>Learning Outcomes</u>	<p>Students will be able to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Have a comprehensive understanding of India's Foreign Policy and its predicaments. 2. Understand the major structure and determinants of India's Foreign Policy. 3. Analyse various issues and events that have led to shaping of India's Foreign Policy. 4. Evaluate and explore the relations between India and major regions and institutions of the world. 5. Analyse choices, decisions and actions India has adopted with major developments and issues affecting the global order. 	