M.A. International Relations
Semester - I

Paper I - Foundation of Political Thought
Unit I - Kautilya, Manu
Unit II - Plato, Aristotle
Unit III - Machiavelli, Hobbes
Unit IV - Karl Marx, Lenin
Unit V - Gandhi, Tagore

Paper II - Theoretical aspect of International Relations
Unit I - International Relations, Meaning, Nature, Scope. Development of International Politics
Unit II - Idealist and Realist approaches to the study of International Relations
Unit III - Theories of International Relations, System Theory, Kaplan’s Views, Game Theory.
Unit IV - Power in International Relations, meaning, types and instruments.
National Interest: Meaning, types and importance.
Unit V - Confllict trends in International Relations: Neo-Colonialism, Collective Security.

Paper III - Comparative Government and Politics
Unit I - Comparative politics, meaning nature and scope, evolution of comparative politics.
Unit II - Major approaches – Traditional and modern. Institutional Historical System
Unit III - Political development. Theories of Political development, Political Modernization
Unit IV - Constitutionalism
Unit V - Presence group and Party System

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Paper IV - Theoretical aspect of International Law

Unit I - Definition, Nature and Historical Development of International Law, Sources of International Law, Codification

Unit II - Subjects of International Law, Recognition of State, State Succession, State Jurisdiction, Intervention

Unit III - Acquisition and Loss of Territory settlement f International dispute

Unit IV - War - meaning, nature, types and effects, Laws and Land warfare, Laws of Air Warfare

Unit V - Neutrality - Blockade - Rights of Belligerents

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