

ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE FOR WOMEN'S (AUTONOMOUS), VISAKHAPATNAM
B.A. HONORS POLITICAL SCIENCE IV YEAR 2020-2021(Admitted batch)
POLITICAL SCIENCE

PAPER-V: POLITICAL LEADERSHIP WITH REFERENCE TO INDIA

VIII SEMESTER

(W.e.f. 2020-21 Admitted Batch) **20AH**

Marks:60

POL 8505(4)

Time: 3 hrs.

Objectives: The student will be able

- To know the qualities of effective leadership
- To understand the developing and communicating party platforms to the electorate.
- To understand the management rolls.

Learning Outcomes:

1. Understand the study of political leadership.
2. Combine types, roles, styles.
3. Categorise classic and contemporary political elites.
4. Sensitize comprehensive importance of political leadership.
- . Familiarize with personalities of Indian political leaders.

Unit I: Introduction

1. Study of Political Leadership – A Comparative Perspective
2. Classical and Elite Views: , Sociological and Political Approaches

Unit II: Types & Traits

1. Emergence of Political Leadership – Types, Roles, Styles
2. Personality Traits, Functions, Performance

Unit III: Levels of Political Leadership

1. Political Leadership - Local, Regional and National Levels
2. Political Leadership and Communication

Unit IV: Authority & Decision-Making

1. Political Leadership in Decision-Making
2. Political Executive Authority and Nation Building in India

Unit V: Eminent Personalities

1. Study of Personalities: Mahatma Gandhi, B.R. Ambedkar, Jawaharlal Nehru
2. Indira Gandhi, Jaya Prakash Narayan, A.B. Vajpayee, P.V. Narasimha Rao
3. E.M.S. Namboodiripad, M.G. Ramchandran, N.T. Rama Rao

Recommended Books

1. S.P. Aiyar and R. Srinivasan, eds., 'Studies in Indian Democracy', India Allied Publishers Pt. Ltd. Bombay
2. Yogesh Atal, 'Building a Nation: Essays on India', South Asia Books. New Delhi
3. Marie C. Carras, 'Indira Gandhi in the Crucible of Leadership', Bostan, Beacon Press 1979.
4. W.H. Morris – Jones, ed., 'The Making of Politicians: Studies from Africa and Asia' Athlone Press, London 2011

References

1. W.H. Morris – Jones, 'Politics Mainly Indian', Orient Longman, Michigan
2. R.L. Park and I. Tinker, eds., 'Leadership and Political Institutions in India', Princeton, New Jersey.

Activities: Assignments – Quiz – Group Discussion – Classroom Debates – Current International Policies - Discussion on Previous Question papers – News Paper Clippings.
