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UG SYLLABUS – POLITICAL SCIENCE
[DSC course under CBCS pattern]

SEMESTER-III: *INDIAN GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS*

BLOCK-I: BACKGROUND OF THE INDIAN CONSTITUTION

Unit-1: Nature of British Colonial Rule in India

Unit-2: Indian National Movement

Unit-3: Constitutional Development during the British Rule -- Acts of 1909, 1919 and 1935

BLOCK-II: ASPECTS OF THE INDIAN CONSTITUTION

Unit-4: Indian Constitution: It's making and features

Unit-5: Fundamental Rights and Duties

Unit-6: Directive Principles of State Policy

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Unit -8: President: Election, Powers and Functions

BLOCK – IV: UNION EXECUTIVE AND JUDICIARY

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BLOCK – V: STATE GOVERNMENT

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Unit 12: Governor, Chief Minister and Council of Ministers
