

**B.A. IIIrd year**  
**Generic Elective**  
**CODE : BHS- G 602**  
**Women in politics & Governance**

**Semester - VI**  
**Max. marks -70**  
**Time - 3 Hours**

**Note:-** the question paper shall consist of three sections (Sec.-A, Sec.-B and Sec.-C). Sec.-A shall contain 10 objective type questions of one mark each and student shall be required to attempt all questions. Sec.-B shall contain 10 short answer type questions of four marks each and student shall be required to attempt any five questions. Sec.-C shall contain 8 descriptive type questions of ten marks each and student shall be required to attempt any four questions. Questions shall be uniformly distributed from the entire syllabus. The previous year paper/model paper can be used as a guideline and the following syllabus should be strictly followed while setting the question paper.

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| <b>Unit I.</b>   | <b>Theoretical perspectives on politics &amp; Governance</b> | <b>(15 Lect.)</b> |
| <b>Unit II.</b>  | <b>Pre-Colonial period</b>                                   | <b>(14 Lect.)</b> |
|                  | a) Women of learning & ruling classes                        |                   |
| <b>Unit III.</b> | <b>Colonial Period</b>                                       | <b>(14 Lect.)</b> |
|                  | a) Leaders in reforming activities                           |                   |
|                  | b) Politics and national movement                            |                   |
| <b>Unit IV.</b>  | <b>Electoral Politics</b>                                    | <b>(17 Lect.)</b> |
|                  | a) Women as voters & elected Representatives                 |                   |
| <b>Unit V.</b>   | <b>Case Studies at local government levels</b>               | <b>(15 Lect.)</b> |
|                  | a) State Assemblies & Parliament.                            |                   |

**References:**

1. Raj Kumar, Women in Politics, Anmol publishers, New Delhi, 2000
2. Raj Kumar, Women & Leadership, 2000
3. L.M. Sanghvi, Democracy & the Rule of Law, Ocean Books, Pvt Ltd New Delhi, 2002