

**Discipline Specific Core
(DSC)**

Introduction to International Relations

Total Marks – 100

Semester Exam – 70

Credits - 6

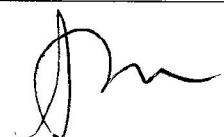
Sessional Exam - 30

Programme/Class	B.A.	Semester	IV
Subject	Political Science		
Course Code	BPS-C401	Course Title	Introduction to International Relations

Course learning outcomes

- Students will learn about major theoretical approaches and the history of International Relations.
- The course will enhance students ' understanding on the major political developments in international relations since 1945.
- The paper will develop in - depth knowledge on the emerging centres of power like European Union, China, Russia and Japan .
- Students will also learn about basic determinants of India's foreign policy and understand it in the context of India as an emerging power.

Units	Topic	No. of Lectures
Unit 1	Indian Perspective of International Relation. Early Debates in International Relations: a) Idealism vs Realism b) Liberalism to Neo Liberal Institutionalism c) Structural Approaches : World Systems Approach (Immanuel Wallerstein) and Dependency School (Andre Gunder Frank) d) Feminist Perspective (J. Ann Tickner)	27
Unit 2	Post War International Relations and the emergence of Cold War : a) Second World War & Origins Cold War b) Phases of Cold World War : First Cold War , Rise and Fall of Détente , Second Cold War End of Cold War	20



	and Collapse of the Soviet Union c) Post - Cold War Era and Emerging Centres of Power (European Union, China, Russia and Japan)	
Unit 3	India's Foreign Policy a) Basic Determinants (Historical , Geo - Political , Economic , Domestic and Strategic) b) India : An Emerging Power	13

Suggestive Reading

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- Art, R. J. and Jervis, R. (eds .) (1999) International Political Enduring : Concepts and Contemporary Issues.5th Edition . New York : Longman, pp. 7-14; 29-49; 119-126.
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