

**COURSE STRUCTURE OF TWO YEAR  
M.A. DEGREE COURSE  
2024-26**



**DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE  
SCHOOL OF LIBERAL ARTS AND CULTURE STUDIES  
ADAMASUNIVERSITY**

POST-GRADUATE COURSE STRUCTURE

**M.A IN POLITICAL SCIENCE AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS**

SEMESTER-I

SL. NO.	TYPES OF COURSES	COURSE CODE	TITLE OF THE COURSE	CONTACT HOURS PER WEEK				REMARKS
				L	T	P	C	
1.	CC	POS21060	CONTEMPORARY POLITICAL THEORY	3	1	0	4	Required
2.	CC	POS21061	COMPARATIVE POLITICS	3	1	0	4	Required
3.	CC	POS21064	THEORIES AND THINKERS OF IR	3	1	0	4	Required
4.	CC	POS21063	LANGUAGE-FRENCH/SPANISH/SWEDISH/UKRANIAN / (RUSSIAN)	3	1	0	4	Required
5.	GE	ENG21111	SOFT SKILLS	3	1	0	4	Required
<b>SUB TOTAL</b>							<b>20</b>	

SEMESTER-II

SL. NO.	TYPES OF COURSES	COURSE CODE	TITLE OF THE COURSE	CONTACT HOURS PER WEEK				REMARKS
				L	T	P	C	
6.	CC	POS21065	POLITICAL ECONOMY OF DEVELOPMENT	3	1	0	4	Required
7.	CC	POS21066	FOREIGN POLICY OF MAJOR POWERS	3	1	0	4	Required
8.	CC	POS21067	INDIAN FOREIGN POLICY	3	1	0	4	Required
9.	CC	POS21068	LANGUAGE-FRENCH/SPANISH/SWEDISH/UKRANIAN / (RUSSIAN)	3	1	0	4	Required
10.	COC	POS21069	RESEARCH METHODOLOGY	3	1	0	4	Required
<b>SUB TOTAL</b>							<b>20</b>	

**SEMESTER III**

SL. No.	TYPE OF COURSE	COURSE CODE	TITLE OF THE COURSE	CONTACT HOURS PER WEEK				REMARKS
				L	T	P	C	
13	CC	POS21072	INTERNATIONAL LAW AND INSTITUTIONS	3	1	0	4	Required
14	CC	POS21073	POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY	3	1	0	4	Required
15	CC	POS21074	PEACE AND CONFLICT RESOLUTION	3	1	0	4	Required
16	DSE			3	1	0	4	Required
		POS21079	DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVE – Contemporary World Politics					
17	CC	POS21075	PUBLIC POLICY THEORIES AND PRACTICES	3	1	0	4	Required
18	MDS	POS24070	SUMMER INTERNSHIP	0	0	2	1	Required
19	CC	POS21099	LANGUAGE-FRENCH	3	1	0	4	
			<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>25</b>				
				<b>CONTACT HOURS PER WEEK</b>				
				<b>L</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>P</b>	<b>C</b>	
20	CC	POS21090	POLITICS IN LATIN AMERICA	3	1	0	4	Required
21	CC	POS21085	STATE POLITICS IN INDIA	3	1	0	4	Required
22	CC	POS21086	GEOPOLITICS	3	1	0	4	Required
23	MDS	POS25087	DISSERTATION	2	2	0	4	Required
24	DSE	POS21089	DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC ELECTIVES	3	1	0	4	Required
26	CC	POS21100	LANGUAGE-FRENCH/SPANISH/ SWEDISH/UKRAINIAN/(RUSSIAN <b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>24</b>				

**Discipline Specific Electives (DSE) IR:**

Students are required to study **TWO** elective Papers from the Major/ Hons discipline during semester **III and IV**. The lists of the electives are given below.

<b>Choose any ONE in Semester-III</b>		<b>Choose any ONE in Semester-IV</b>	
<b>DIPLOMACY AND FOREIGN POLICY</b>	POS21077	<b>INDIA AND ITS NEIGHBOURS</b>	POS21089
<b>AREA STUDIES</b>	POS21078	<b>STRATEGIC AND INDIAN DEFENSE STUDIES</b>	POS21090
<b>CONTEMPORARY WORLD POLITICS</b>	POS21079	<b>SOUTHEASTASIA: POLITICS, SOCIETY, FOREIGNRELATIONS</b>	POS21091

**ABBREVIATIONS**

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<b>AEC</b>	<b>ABILITYENHANCEMENT COURSE</b>
<b>CC</b>	<b>CORECOURSE</b>
<b>COC</b>	<b>COMMONCOURSE</b>
<b>DSE</b>	<b>DISCIPLINESPECIFIC ELECTIVE</b>
	<b>INTERNSHIP</b>