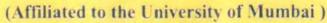
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### Smt. Chandibai Himathmal Mansukhani College

(Autonomous)



University College Code: 217-JD Office: T14

Principal: Dr. Manju Lalwani Pathak

Ref No: CHM (A) AC/C/01/2025

Date: 18th June 2025

### **CIRCULAR**

The immediate attention of all concerned is invited to this office Circular No. CHM (A) AC 05/2025 dated 19<sup>th</sup> May, 2025 regarding the Choice Based and Credit Based Syllabus (CBCS) for all subjects of F.Y.B.A & T.Y.B.A. in Political Science SEM - I & SEM - V respectively.

It is hereby communicated that the recommendations of the syllabus made by the Ad-hoc Board of Studies in Political Science coordinated by the Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences in the meeting of Academic Council held on 23<sup>rd</sup> May, 2025 vide item No. 4.2, have been accepted and subsequently passed.

In accordance, therewith, the syllabus as per the CBCS has been brought into force with effect from the academic year 2025 – 2026 and accordingly the same is attached for reference and is available on the College's website <a href="https://www.chmcollege.in">www.chmcollege.in</a>

Ulhasnagar - 421 003 18<sup>th</sup> June, 2025

Dr. Manju Lalwani Pathak

Principal & Chairperson, Academic Council

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- 3) The Controller of Examination.
- 4) The Registrar







# HSNC Board's Smt. Chandibai Himathmal Mansukhani College, Ulhasnagar (Autonomous) Affiliated to the University of Mumbai

Bachelor of Arts (Political Science) (Aided Course)

Semester - I

Choice Based and Credit Based Syllabus As per NEP 2020 With effect from the Academic Year 2025-2026

### **PREAMBLE**

The Bachelor of Arts in Political Science program at Smt. Chandibai Himathmal Mansukhani College (Autonomous) is dedicated to fostering a deep understanding of political ideas, institutions, and processes at local, national, and global levels. Grounded in the principles of critical inquiry, ethical leadership, and civic engagement, the program seeks to cultivate informed, analytical, and responsible citizens. It empowers students to explore the dynamics of power, governance, and public policy while developing skills in research, communication, and problem-solving. Committed to academic excellence and social responsibility, the program prepares graduates to contribute thoughtfully and effectively to democratic societies and an interconnected world.

### PROGRAMME SPECIFIC OUTCOMES (PSOs)

### PSO 1: Understand and Analyze Political Systems and Events

Learners will critically examine political events, processes, and systems, interpreting patterns and drawing insights into political behaviour and outcomes.

### PSO 2: Demonstrate Core Knowledge of Political Institutions and Governance

Learners will gain foundational understanding of political structures, institutions, governance models, and policy-making mechanisms in India and across the globe.

#### **PSO 3: Interpret Political Theories and Philosophies**

Learners will analyze key political theories and philosophies from both Western and Eastern traditions, evaluating their relevance to contemporary political thought.

### **PSO 4: Evaluate Political Ideologies and Values**

Learners will explore and critique various political ideologies and value systems, assessing their influence on society and political decision-making.

#### PSO 5: Assess Socio-Political and Cultural Influences on Politics

Learners will investigate how cultural, societal, and economic factors shape political behaviour, institutions, and policy outcomes in diverse contexts.

First Year B. A. (Political Science)
Semester- I

Title: The Constitutqional Framework of Indian Polity

Vertical - 1 Major Course- 4 Credits

With effect from Academic Year 2025-2026

# Title: The Constitutional Framework of Indian Polity Course Code- CHMPOLI1

Sr. No.	Heading	Particulars
1	Description of the Course:	This course offers a comprehensive exploration of the foundational principles, structures, and evolving dynamics of the Indian Constitution. Beginning with the legacy of the Constituent Assembly and the philosophical underpinnings enshrined in the Preamble, the course critically examines the amendment process and the basic structure doctrine through landmark case laws. It delves into the Fundamental Rights, Directive Principles, and Duties, analyzing their scope, limitations, and interrelationships in light of recent judicial interpretations. The functioning and balance among the three constitutional organs—legislature, executive, and judiciary—are studied with a focus on law-making, executive authority, and judicial activism. The course further investigates the nature of Indian federalism, centre-state relations, and the significance of local governance through decentralization, while addressing emerging political and constitutional challenges in contemporary India.
2	Vertical 1	Major
3	Туре	Theory + Teaching Methods (Lectures, Discussion, Simulations, Field Research/Visits, Interdisciplinary Approach, Tech Based Learning)
4	Credit	4 Credits
5	Hours allotted	60 Lectures
6	Marks allotted	100 Marks
7	<ol> <li>Course Objectives:</li> <li>To introduce students to the historical and philosophical foundations of the India Constitution, including the Constituent Assembly debates and the significance of the Preamble.</li> <li>To enable understanding of the structure, scope, and evolution of Fundamental Rights Directive Principles, and Fundamental Duties.</li> <li>To examine the roles, functions, and accountability mechanisms of constitutional organs-legislature, executive, and judiciary—within the framework of separation of powers.</li> <li>To critically evaluate the functioning of Indian federalism, including issues of decentralization, local governance, and contemporary federal challenges.</li> </ol>	

5. To foster analytical skills in interpreting constitutional provisions and understanding the evolving jurisprudence through landmark judicial decisions. 8 Learning Outcomes: Student will be able to LO1: Analyze the philosophical foundations, historical context, and evolving debates that have shaped the Indian Constitution. LO2: Interpret key constitutional elements—including the Preamble, Fundamental Rights, and Directive Principles—and evaluate their relevance and application in contemporary India. LO3: Assess the roles, powers, and interrelationships of the Legislature, Executive, and Judiciary, with a focus on current developments such as judicial activism and executive dominance. LO4: Examine the structure and challenges of Indian federalism, including Centre-State relations, the role of the Governor, and institutions like the GST Council. LO5: Demonstrate a critical understanding of decentralization and local governance through the 73rd and 74th Constitutional Amendments, and apply constitutional principles and case law to real-world political and legal issues. **Syllabus** 9 **Unit 1: INTRODUCTION TO THE CONSTITUTION** Legacy of the Constitution: The Constituent Assembly Debates and Philosophical **Foundations** Preamble and Its Contemporary Relevance Amendment Procedure and the Doctrine of Basic Structure (with key case laws) Unit 2: FUNDAMENTAL RIGHTS, DUTIES, AND DIRECTIVE PRINCIPLES • Fundamental Rights: Scope, Limitations, and Recent Judicial Trends Directive Principles of State Policy: Implementation and Conflicts with Rights Fundamental Duties and Their Growing Significance Unit 3: CONSTITUTIONAL ORGANS AND SEPARATION OF POWERS Parliament: Law-Making, Oversight, and Decline of Deliberation

- Executive Power: Role of President, Prime Minister, and Cabinet System
- Judiciary: Structure, Independence, and Judicial Activism

### Unit 4: FEDERALISM, LOCAL GOVERNANCE AND CONTEMPORARY ISSUES

- Centre-State Relations: Legislative, Administrative, and Financial Dynamics
- Emerging Issues in Indian Federalism (e.g., GST Council, Governor's Role, Inter-State Disputes)
- Decentralization: 73rd & 74th Amendments, Urban Challenges, and Grassroots Democracy

10

### Scheme of Examination and Assessment Pattern

Paper - 100 Marks

### External Examination: Semester End External - 60 Marks Time: 2:00 hrs.

Format of Question Paper

Question	Number	Unit	External Examination Marks
	A)	Based on Unit I	
Q.1		OR	15
	B)	Based on Unit I	
-	A)	Based on Unit II	
Q.2		OR	15
	B)	Based on Unit II	
	A)	Based on Unit III	
Q.3		OR	15
	B)	Based on Unit III	7
Q.4	A)	Based on Unit IV	
		OR	15
	B)	Based on Unit IV	
		Total	60

Internal Evaluation: Total Marks: 40

Internal Evaluation Tool	Unit	External Examination Marks
Assignments/Class Test/ Essay/	All	40
Book Review etc.		
	TOTAL	40

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Comprehensive and authoritative on constitutional structure and case laws.

- 2. Granville Austin The Indian Constitution: Cornerstone of a Nation Essential for understanding the philosophical and historical foundations.
- 3. D. D. Basu Introduction to the Constitution of India
  Accessible and widely used introductory text with important legal interpretations.
- 4. Subhash C. Kashyap Our Constitution

  Good for institutional understanding and student-friendly presentation.
- 5. Bipan Chandra India Since Independence For context on constitutional developments post-1950.
- 6. Rajeev Bhargava (Ed.) Politics and Ethics of the Indian Constitution Thematic essays on constitutional morality, rights, and pluralism.
- 7. P. M. Bakshi The Constitution of India (with latest amendments)

  Bare act text with concise commentary.

- 8. Upendra Baxi The Indian Supreme Court and Politics A critical analysis of judicial trends and activism.
- 9. Seervai, H. M. Constitutional Law of India (for advanced readers)

  Detailed legal scholarship and analysis of constitutional doctrines.
- 10. Arvind P. Datar (Ed.) Nani Palkhivala: The Courtroom Genius Includes insights on landmark constitutional cases.
- 11. Constituent Assembly Debates cadindia.clpr.org.in
- 12. Law Commission Reports especially those related to Fundamental Rights, Federalism, and Judicial Reform.
- 13. Reports of the Sarkaria Commission & Punchhi Commission on Centre-State Relations.
- 14. Supreme Court Judgments:
  - o Kesavananda Bharati v. State of Kerala (1973)
  - o Maneka Gandhi v. Union of India (1978)
  - o Minerva Mills v. Union of India (1980)
  - o S. R. Bommai v. Union of India (1994)

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First Year B. A.

Semester-I

Vertical - 2 Minor Course

**Not Applicable** 

With effect from the Academic Year 2025-2026

First Year B. A. Semester- I

Vertical – 3
Open Elective Course

With effect from the Academic Year 2025-2026

### **OPEN ELECTIVES (OE)**

### For First Year BA

(English, Marathi, Hindi, Sindhi, Economics, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology, Geography, History, BAMMC)

Students are required to select any one OE subject from the list below

Sr. No.	Subject Name		
1.	Renewable Energy		
2.	2. Perfumeries		
3.	Data Analysis in Excel		
4.	Mushroom Cultivation : Training and Trading		
5.	Essential Skills for Pet Rearing and Grooming		
6.	Basics of Nutrition		
7.	Basic Computer Skills for Digital Age		
8.	Web Designing Essentials: HTML and CSS Styling Techniques		
9.	Visual Design and Digital Tools : A Foundation for Animation		
10.	Yoga and Fitness		
11.	Basic Accounting		
12.	Soft Skills for Corporate Readiness		
13.	Business Statistics and SPSS		
14.	Beautician: Strategic Business Planning		
15.	Current Trends of Fashion Design: Financial Perspective		
16.	Digital Marketing		
17.	Managing Family Wealth through Family Office		
18.	Online Trading in Stock Market		



First Year B. A. (Political Science)
Semester- I

### Vertical - 4

**Vocational Skill Course (VSC) - 2 Credits Skill Enhancement Course (SEC) - 2 Credits** 

With effect from the Academic Year 2025-2026

### Title: Introduction to Psephology Course Code- CHMPOLI3

Sr. No.	Heading	Particulars
1	Description of the Course:	This course introduces students to the study of elections and voting behavior, with a special focus on the Indian electoral process. It begins by examining the significance of free and fair elections in a democracy and the role of the Election Commission of India, along with key electoral reforms. The course then delves into the field of psephology, covering tools such as opinion polls, exit polls, and election forecasting, while critically analyzing their ethical and methodological implications. Special attention is given to the growing influence of social media on electoral analysis. Students will also engage with practical tools and techniques, including sampling methods, questionnaire design, and the study of voting behavior patterns and determinants in the Indian context.
2	Vertical 4	Vocational Skill Course (VSC)
3	Туре	Theory + Teaching Methods (Lectures, Discussion, Simulations, Field Research/Visits, Interdisciplinary Approach, Tech Based Learning)
4	Credit	2 Credits
5	Hours allotted	30 Lectures
6	Marks allotted	50 Marks
7	<ol> <li>Course Objectives:         <ol> <li>To familiarize students with the theoretical foundations and constitutional framework of the electoral process in India.</li> <li>To examine the structure, functioning, and evolution of election-related institutions such as the Election Commission of India.</li> <li>To explore key issues and debates surrounding electoral reforms, including challenges like criminalization, money power, and voter apathy.</li> </ol> </li> <li>To introduce students to the tools and techniques of psephology for analyzing elections, including survey methods and data interpretation.</li> </ol>	
		ility to critically assess voting behavior using empirical methods es such as data analytics and GIS-based tools.

8	Learning Outcomes: Student will be able to				
	Learning Outcomes. Student will be use to				
	LO1: Explain the importance of free and fair elections in a democracy and evaluate the role				
	of the Election Commission of India in upholding electoral integrity.				
	LO2: Critically assess major electoral reforms in India and analyze their impact on the				
	democratic process.				
	LO3: Evaluate the methodologies and ethical dimensions of opinion polls, exit polls, and				
	election forecasting.				
	LO4: Analyze the influence of social media and digital platforms on public opinion and				
	electoral behavior in contemporary India.				
	LO5: Apply sampling methods, design electoral surveys, and interpret voting patterns using				
	psephological tools and empirical data.				
9	Syllabus				
	Unit 1: Electoral Process in India				
	Role of Free and Fair Elections in Democracy				
	Election Commission of India and Electoral Reforms				
	Unit 2: Psephology				
	• Exit Polls, Opinion Polls, and Election Forecasting – Ethical and Methodological Issues				
	Role of social media in Modern Electoral Studies				
	Unit 3: Tools and Techniques				
	Sampling Techniques, Preparing a Questionnaire				
	Voting Behavior: Determinants and Trends in India				
10	Scheme of Examination and Assessment Pattern				
	Paper – 50 Marks				
	External Examination: Semester End External - 30 Marks Time: 1:00 hr.				
	Format of Question Paper				
	Question Number Unit External Examination (30				

Question Number		Unit	External Examination (30 Marks)	
	A)	Based on Unit 1	-	
Q.1		OR	15	
	B)	Based on Unit 1		
Q.2	A)	Based on Unit 2	15	
		OR		
•	B)	Based on Unit 2		
	A)	Based on Unit 3		
Q.3		OR	15	
	B)	Based on Unit 3		
Any two	questions ou	t of three		
		TOTAL	30	

Internal Evaluation Tools	Unit	<b>External Examination Marks</b>
Assignments/ Class Test/ Essay/ Book Review etc.	All	20
	TOTAL	20

Internal Evaluation: Total Marks: 20

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### Title: Democratic Awareness Through Legal Literacy Course Code- CHMPOLI4

Sr. No.	Heading Cour	se Code- CHMPOLI4  Particulars		
1	Description of the Course:			
1	Description of the Course.	understanding of democratic values and legal rights, fostering		
		informed and responsible citizenship. It begins by introducing		
		the concepts of democratic awareness and legal literacy,		
		highlighting their significance in everyday life and civic		
		participation. The course then provides an overview of the		
	1	Indian judicial system, including the structure and functions of		
		various courts, and examines the role of the police in upholding		
		law and protecting citizens' rights. Finally, it explores		
		mechanisms for accessible justice such as legal aid, Public		
		Interest Litigation (PIL), Lok Adalats, and key transparency		
		tools like the Right to Information (RTI) and whistle-blower		
	:	protections, equipping learners with the knowledge to navigate		
		and engage with the legal system effectively.		
2	Vertical 4	Skill Enhancement Course (SEC)		
3	Туре	Theory + Teaching Methods (Lectures, Discussion, Simulations,		
		Field Research/Visits, Interdisciplinary Approach, Tech Based		
		Learning)		
4	Credit	2 Credits		
5	Hours allotted	30 Lectures		
6	Marks allotted	50 Marks		
7	Course Objectives:			
	1. To develop foundational understanding of democratic values, legal structures, and individua			
	rights in India.			
	2. To promote awareness about the structure and functioning of the Indian judiciary and law			
	enforcement systems.  3. To equip students with knowledge of legal aid mechanisms, public interest litigation, and the			
	Right to Information.			
	4. To enhance digital legal literacy by familiarizing students with cyber laws, digital rights, an			
	online safety.			
	5. To foster responsible citizenship by informing learners about legal recourse, rights			
	during police procedures,	and the importance of legal accountability.		

8	Learning Outcomes: Student will be able to
	LO1: Explain the fundamental concepts of democracy and legal literacy, highlighting their
	importance in empowering citizens.
	LO2: Identify key categories of laws and assess their relevance to daily life, including civil, criminal, and constitutional provisions.
	LO3: Demonstrate an understanding of digital rights and cyber laws, particularly in the
	context of online privacy and the Information Technology Act.
	LO4: Describe the structure and functioning of the Indian judiciary and law enforcement
	agencies, and evaluate citizens' rights during legal procedures.
	LO5: Analyze the role of legal support mechanisms such as legal aid, Public Interest
	Litigation (PIL), Lok Adalats, Lokayuktas, and transparency tools like the Right to
	Information (RTI) Act and whistle-blower protections.
9	Syllabus
	Unit 1: Introduction
	Democratic Awareness – Meaning and Significance
	Legal Literacy – Meaning, Significance, and Classification of Law
	Unit 2: Indian Judicial System and Police
	Structure of Indian Judiciary – Supreme Court, Subordinate and Special Court
	Role of Police in Law Enforcement and Citizens' Rights
	Unit 3: Legal Services and Legal Aid
	<ul> <li>Legal Services Authorities Act, Right to Legal Aid, Public Interest Litigation and Lok Adalat,</li> </ul>
	Right to Information (RTI) and Whistle-blower Protection
10	Scheme of Examination and Assessment Pattern
	Paper – 50 Marks
	External Examination: Semester End External - 30 Marks Time: 1:00 hr. Format of Question Paper

Question N	lumber	Unit	External Examination (30 Marks)	
	(A)	Based on Unit 1		
Q.1		OR	15	
	B)	Based on Unit 1		
	A)	Based on Unit 2		
Q.2		OR	15	
-	B)	Based on Unit 2		
	A)	Based on Unit 3		
Q.3		OR	15	
	B)	Based on Unit 3		
Any two	uestions o	out of three		
	•	TOTAL	30	

		Internal Evaluation: Total Marks: 20				
	Internal Evaluation Tools Assignments/ Class Test/	Unit All	External Examination Marks 20			
	Essay/ Book Review etc.	All	20			
	Essay, Book Review etc.	TOTAL	20			
	REFERENCES:					
11	1. Democracy in India - Niraja G	iopal Jayal				
	2. India After Gandhi - Ramacha	ndra Guha (for	historical-political context)			
	3. We the People - Nani A. Palkh	nivala	•			
	4. Legal Literacy: A Tool for Emp	powerment – S	.P. Sathe			
	5. Introduction to Law - Avtar Si	ngh (basic clas	ssification and branches of law)			
	6. Know Your Rights: A Legal Ho	andbook for Inc	dian Citizens			
	7. The Constitution of India: A Co					
	8. Indian Polity – M. Laxmikanth (relevant sections on judiciary and governance)					
	9. Police and Policing in India -					
	10. Indian Police and Human Rights - D. Banerjee					
	11. Police Manual & CrPC (Criminal Procedure Code) – Bare Act – Universal Law					
	Publishing					
	12. Legal Aid: Catalyst for Social Change - M.A. Rashid					
			re Act) - Universal Law Publishing			
	14. Legal Services and Human Rig	hts in India – I	Awasthi S.K.			

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First Year B. A.

**Semester-I** 

Vertical – 5

Ability Enhancement Course (AEC) 2 Credits Value Education Course (VEC) 2 Credits

With effect from Academic Year 2025-2026

First Year B. A. (AEC- Ability Enhancement Course)

Semester- I

Title: Communication Skills in English

Vertical - 5 AEC - 2 Credits

with effect from Academic Year 2025-2026

### Title: Communication Skills in English

Course Code: CHMARTAECI

Sr. No.	Heading	Particulars
1	Description of the Course:	Communication Skills in English is an Ability Enhancement Course designed to strengthen learners' foundational skills in English language communication, which is essential for academic success and professional competence in a globalized world. This course equips first-year undergraduate students with core competencies in Listening, Speaking, Reading, and Writing (LSRW), integrating traditional and digital forms of communication.  By using a skill-based and learner-centric approach, the course develops not just linguistic ability but also confidence, clarity, and creativity in expression. Emphasis is placed on real-life application and employability, such as drafting professional documents, preparing for interviews, and speaking effectively in diverse social and work-related settings. The course also introduces learners to digital communication etiquette and strategies for enhancing their English proficiency through independent learning.
2	Vertical 5	AEC- Ability Enhancement Course
3	Туре	Theory+ Tutorial (Teaching Methods: Lecture/ Discussion/ Presentation/ Reading sessions/ Worksheets/ Listening exercises etc.)
4	Credit	2 Credits
5	Hours allotted	30 Hours
6	Marks allotted	50 Marks
7	2. To introduce students to (interviews, presentation	roficiency in English by focusing on the core LSRW skills for professional communication.  professional contexts where English communication is essential s, digital interactions).  prehend and interpret a variety of texts with analytical and critical

4. To familiarize students with digital communication tools and netiquette for effective virtual communication. 8 Learning Outcomes: Students will be able to LO-1: Apply LSRW skills effectively in academic, social, and professional settings. LO-2: Demonstrate fluency and clarity in speaking and writing, with appropriate tone and register. LO-3: Interpret written and audio-visual texts from various domains with a critical understanding. LO-4: Prepare professional documents and communicate using contemporary digital platforms with confidence. 9 Syllabus UNIT I: Listening and Reading for Academic and Professional Purposes Understanding Communication in Context: Role of English in professional and global contexts Modes of communication: Verbal, Non-verbal, Visual, and Digital Characteristics of professional communication (clarity, brevity, tone, audience awareness) 2. Listening Skills: • Listening to professional conversations (e.g., meetings, interviews, news reports) • Identifying tone, emphasis, and implied meaning Listening for argument, perspective, and intent Activities: Note-taking, summarizing, identifying key takeaways 3. Reading Skills: • Reading job advertisements, email threads, and formal reports • Identifying purpose and structure in professional texts Inference and contextual meaning • Grammar Focus: Prepositions, Modal verbs, Sentence transformation, Error correction, Collocations Texts: Passages from industry reports, editorials, HR communications, NGO newsletters, and workplace scenarios. UNIT II: Speaking and Writing for Employability (15 Lectures) Speaking Skills: Group Discussions: Types, format, participation strategies Mock Interviews: Responding to commonly asked questions, body language, tone Role Plays: Customer service dialogue, workplace communication, formal introductions Presentation Skills: Structure, visual aids, delivery techniques 2. Writing Skills: Email Etiquette: Writing formal and Semi-formal emails

Cover Letters and Resumes: Targeted for specific job roles

- Writing Minutes of Meeting and Notices
- Report Writing: Internship/Workplace reports
- Grammar Focus: Sentence connectors, Subject-verb agreement, Active/Passive voice

#### Tasks:

- Drafting a formal job application with resume
- Writing professional emails and LinkedIn summaries

Preparing and presenting a 2-minute speech

10

### Scheme of Examination and Assessment Pattern Paper – 50 Marks

External Examination: Semester End External - 30 marks Time: 1:00 hour Format of Question Paper

All questions are compulsory:

Question No	Nature of Questions	Marks
Q. 1	Short Notes (Attempt any 2 out of 4) (Unit 1)	10
Q. 2	Unseen Passage (200–250 words): - Content-based questions (6 marks) - Grammar (4 marks) (Unit 1)	10
Q. 3	Writing Skill Task (Attempt 1 out of 2) (e.g., Email, Cover Letter, Notice, Report) (Unit 2)	10
	Total	30

### Internal Examination: Continuous Evaluation - 20 marks

	Assessment / evaluation	Marks
1.	a) Performance in Activities: Includes individual/group presentations, formal/informal conversation practice, etc. Conducted in scheduled batches before Semester End Examination.	10
2.	b) Participation in Lectures: Based on classroom engagement and active response during Listening Skills and related tasks.	05
3.	c) Attendance: Attendance percentage will be evaluated to award marks.	05
	Total	20

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### First Year

Semester- I

Title: Communication Skills in Sindhi

Vertical - 5
Ability Enhancement Course - 2 Credit

with effect from Academic Year 2025-2026

## Title: Communication Skills in Sindhi COURSE CODE: CHMSINAECI

Sr. No.	Heading	Particulars Particulars
	Description the Course:	Sindhi communication skills (B.Com.)  Communication is the core component of the commerce and trade. It communication, language plays very significant role. If a student has mastered the skills of language, undoubtedly, he or she would be able to communicate in the best manner. In this course basic part of Sindh language would be taught based on the NEP 2020. The innovative approach likes critical thinking, creative mind, use of technology will lead to communicating and participating with the different groups. The vocabulary section would be given prominence.  The course would be in the Devanagari script so that it can attract majority of the students. Even non-Sindhi students shall have opportunity to adopt this course.
2	Vertical 1	AEC – Ability Enhancement Course
3	Туре	Theory+ Practicum (Teaching Method: Lecture/ Discussion/Reading)
4	Credit	2 credits (1 credit = 15 hours for theory or 30 hours of Practical work in a semester)
. 5	Hours allotted	30 Hours
6	Marks allotted	50Marks (50 Marks each)
7	<ol> <li>The learner will under</li> <li>The learner will impression</li> </ol>	this course: nderstanding of communication skills. rstand how to accurate the pronunciation of special words in Sindhi ove the conversation skill in Sindhi. me best communicator in Sindhi language
8	LO2: Understand the skills LO3: Knowing the convers	al features of Sindhi language.

### **Syllabus**

#### Unit I - Fundamental of Sindhi Communication

- Introduction of Communication skill through Pictorial Presentation
- Importance of Language
- Basic aspects of language
  - i) Types of Language, ii) Role of Language, iii) Changes in Language
  - iv) Non-violent aspects of language v) Language & New generation
  - vi) Language & Modern Technology
- New Education Policy (NEP) & Importance of language
- Sindhi language: (Special features of spoken Sindhi language with pronunciation through audio visual presentation

#### Unit II - Functional Communication

- Importance of Communication
- Types of Communication (Presentation through video clips)
  - i) Verbal, ii) Non-verbal, iii) Written iv) Digital Communication
- Characteristics of Communication
- Obstacles in Communication of Sindhi Language
- Methods of Best Communication through role plays
- Spoken Sindhi in Business
- Conversation with customers and proprietors

यूनिट -- 1

- स्मचारी भाषा : वाविफयत
- भाषा जी अहिमियत
- भाषा जा बुनियादी पहल
  - i) किस्म, ii) भाषा जो किरदार, iii) भाषा मे तबदीलियूं iv) भाषा जा अहिसासाती पहलू v) भाषा ऐं नई नसल
- नई तैलीमी नीति ऐं बोलियुन जी अहमियत
- असां जी सिंधी बोली

यूनिट - 2

- राबते जी अहमियत
- राबते जा किस्म
  - i) जिबानी रावतो, ii) गैर जिबानी रावतो, iii) लिख्त रावतो iv) डिजीटल रावतो
- राबते मां फायदा
- राबते में रंडकूं
- बेहतर राबते जा तरीका
- ग्राहकन सां सिंधी बोलीअ मे गुफ्तग्

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### Scheme of Examination and Assessment Pattern

Paper - 50 Marks

### External Examination: Semester End External - 30 marks Time: 1:00 hour

Format of Question Paper

Attempt any 4 out of 6 questions.

Question No	Nature of Questions	Marks
Q1.	Objective Type - Fill in the Blanks / MCQs (Unit I0	15
Q2.	Question on reading skill (Unit II)	07
Q3.	Writing short story from outlines (Unit II)	08
	·	Total 30

#### Note:

- 1. Equal Weightage is to be given to all the modules.
- 2. Use of non-programmable scientific calculator is allowed in the examination.

#### Internal Examination: Continuous Evolution - 20 marks

	Assessment / evaluation	Marks
1.	Speaking Activities: (Presentation)	10
	Making presentations in the classroom	
2.	Listening Activities: (Assignment)	10
	Listening to speeches, dialogues, announcement and summarizing them	
	Total	20

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#### **REFERENCE BOOKS:**

- 1. Sanchari Basha By Dr. Pushpa Kodwani
- 2. Sindhi Pahakaa Dr. Jetly M.K.
- 3. Sindhi Muhavahra By Hardwani Lachhman
- 4. Sindhi Adhyat mak Shabdhkesh By Hardwani Lachhman
- 5. Acho Sindhi Sikhu By Hardwani Lachhman

### Syllabus Committee:

Sr No	Name of the Faculty	Designation and College	Signature
1.	Mrs. Kajal Ramchandani	H.O.D. of Jai Hind College	Volo
2.	Mrs. Komal Totani	Assistant Teacher, Smt. CHM College	Monny

Name & Signature of the BoS Chairperson: (Mrs. Kajal Ramchandani)

Name & Signature of the Dean: (Dr. Pratima Das)



First Year

Semester-I

Title: Environmental Management and Sustainable Development-I

Vertical - 5 VEC- 2 Credits

with effect from Academic Year 2025-2026

### Title: Environmental Management and Sustainable Development-I

Course Code: CHMVECI

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Sr. No.	Heading	Particulars	
1	Description of the Course:	This course introduces students to the basics of environmental management and sustainable development. It explains how ecosystems work, the importance of biodiversity, and the need to protect our natural resources. Students will learn about different environmental problems, human impact on nature, and how to manage disasters. The course also covers Indian environmental movements, ethics, and the role of public awareness. Real-life examples and case studies help students understand the connection between nature and human communities in a simple and practical way.	
2	Vertical 5	VEC	
3	Type &	Theory + Practicum	
	Teaching methods	Lecture/Discussion/Presentation/Case study,etc	
4	Credits	2 Credits	
5	Hours allotted	30 Hours	
6	Marks allotted	50 Marks	
7	Course Objectives:  1. To introduce about ecosystems, biodiversity and to make aware for the need of conservation 2. To sensitize students towards environmental concerns, issues, and impacts of human population.  3. To analyze the impact of human population growth and development activities on the environment, including issues related to displacement, disaster response, and rehabilitation 4. To foster awareness of environmental ethics and the role of cultural and social movements in shaping sustainable environmental practices through communication, policy, and activism.		
8	using examples from various LO2: Critically evaluate bio endemic species, threats, and LO3: Assess the socio-envir	onships within ecosystems and analyze energy flow and succession,	

	I O4: Demonstrate a	n understanding of environmental ethics and a	duncacy by interpreting the			
	LO4: Demonstrate an understanding of environmental ethics and advocacy, by interpreting the influence of cultural values, environmental movements, and communication strategies on					
	sustainability.					
9	Syllabus UNIT 1: Ecosystems, Biodiversity and Conservation					
	• Introduction, structure, and function of ecosystems; Energy flow: food chains, food					
	webs and ecological succession. Case studies of the following:					
	a) Forest ecosystem					
	b) Grassland ecosystem					
	c) Desert ecosystem					
	d) Aquatic ecosystems (ponds, streams, lakes, rivers, oceans, estuaries)					
	<ul> <li>Levels of biological diversity: genetic, species and ecosystem diversity;</li> <li>Biogeographic zones of India; Biodiversity patterns</li> </ul>					
	India as a mega-biodiversity nation; Endangered and endemic species of India					
	• Threats to biodiversity: Habitat loss, poaching of wildlife, man-wildlife conflicts,					
	biological invasions; Conservation of biodiversity: In-situ and Ex-situ conservation of biodiversity.					
	Ecosystem and biodiversity services: Ecological, economic, social, ethical, aesthetic and Informational value					
	UNIT II: Human Communities and the Environment					
	Human population growth: Impacts on environment, human health and welfare.					
	Resettlement and rehabilitation of project affected persons; case studies.					
	Disaster management: floods, earthquake, cyclones and landslides.					
	Environmental movements: Chipko, Silent valley, Bishnois of Rajasthan.					
	Environmental ethics: Role of Indian and other religions and cultures in environmental conservation.					
	Environmental communication and public awareness, case studies (e.g. CNG vehicles in					
	Delhi).					
10	Assessment Pattern					
	Scheme of Examination and Assessment Pattern					
	Paper - 50 Marks					
	External Examination: Semester End External - 30 marks Time: 1:00 hours					
	Format of Question Paper					
	Attempt any 3 out of 4 questions.					
	Question	Nature of Questions	Marks			
	No.					
	Q.1	Theory based on Unit I	10			
	Q.2	Theory based on Unit I	10			

Q.3	Theory based on Unit II	10
Q.4	Theory based on Unit II	10
		Total 30

#### Internal Examination: Continuous Evaluation - 20 marks

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tence/ Quiz)	10	
	10	
Project /Presentation / Viva/Group Discussion/Case study  To		

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Name & Signature of the Dean & Ad-hoc BoS Chairperson (Interdisciplinary)

Dr. Nitho Arekar

First Year B. A.

Semester- I

Vertical - 6

OJT, FP, CEP, CC, RP

**Not Applicable** 

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