

<b>Course Number and Name</b>	
BBA006 - INDIAN CONSTITUTION AND SOCIETY	
<b>Credits and Contact Hours</b>	
3&45	
<b>Course Coordinator's Name</b>	
Mr.Karthikeyan	
<b>Text Books and References</b>	
<b>TEXT BOOKS:</b>	
1. Durga Das Basu, "Introduction to the Constitution of India ", Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi.	
2. R.C.Agarwal, "(1997) Indian Political System ", S.Chand and Company, New Delhi.	
<b>REFERENCES:</b>	
1. Sharma, Brij Kishore, "Introduction to the Constitution of India:, Prentice Hall of India, New Delhi.	
2. U.R.Gahai, "(1998) Indian Political System ", New Academic Publishing House, Jalaendhar.	
3. R.N. Sharma, "Indian Social Problems ", Media Promoters and Publishers Pvt. Ltd.	
4. Yogendra Singh, "(1997) Social Stratification and Charge in India ", Manohar, New Delhi	
5. Maciver and Page, "Society: An Introduction Analysis ", Mac Milan India Ltd., New Delhi.	
6. K.L.Sharma, " (1997) Social Stratification in India: Issues and Themes ", Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi.	
7. <a href="http://www.cgsird.gov.in/constitution.pdf">www.cgsird.gov.in/constitution.pdf</a>	
<b>Course Description</b>	
To know about Indian constitution. To know about central and state government functionalities in India. To know about Indian society.	
<b>Prerequisites</b>	<b>Co-requisites</b>
Professional Courses	Nil
required, elective, or selected elective (as per Table 5-1)	
<b>Open Elective</b>	
<b>Course Outcomes (COs)</b>	
CO1	To understand the historical background and fundamental rights
CO2	To understand the structure and functions of governments
CO3	To understand the Indian social structure
CO4	To gain knowledge in Indian federal system
CO5	To gain knowledge Indian social structure
CO6	To gain knowledge the right of women, children and SC&ST

**Student Outcomes (SOs) from Criterion 3 covered by this Course**

COs/SOs	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l
CO1	L		H									
CO2					H			M	L			
CO3	L					H			L			
CO4							M		L			L
CO5	L					M		M				L
CO6												

**List of Topics Covered**

**UNIT I HISTORY**

**9**

Historical Background – Constituent Assembly of India – Philosophical foundations of the Indian Constitution – Preamble – Fundamental Rights – Directive Principles of State Policy – Fundamental Duties – Citizenship – Constitutional Remedies for citizens.

**UNIT II CENTRAL STRUCTURE**

**9**

Union Government – Structures of the Union Government and Functions – President – Vice President – Prime Minister – Cabinet – Parliament – Supreme Court of India – Judicial Review.

**UNIT III STATE STRUCTURE**

**9**

State Government – Structure and Functions – Governor – Chief Minister – Cabinet – State Legislature – Judicial System in States – High Courts and other Subordinate Courts.

**UNIT IV PARLIAMENTARY SYSTEM**

**9**

Indian Federal System – Center – State Relations – President’s Rule – Constitutional Amendments – Constitutional Functionaries - Assessment of working of the Parliamentary System in India.

**UNIT V SOCIAL STRUCTURE**

**9**

Society : Nature, Meaning and definition; Indian Social Structure; Caste, Religion, Language in India; Constitutional Remedies for citizens – Political Parties and Pressure Groups; Right of Women, Children and Scheduled Castes Scheduled Tribes and other Weaker Sections.