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**B.A. (HONS.) III RD YEAR, POLITICAL SCIENCE  
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Name of Paper & Code	Allocation of Lectures	Main Features
<b>PAPER XVIII: CLASSICAL POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY (Semester-V, Section-C)</b>		
<b>Unit I.</b>  <b>TEXT AND INTERPRETATION</b>	July 20- July 26	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Meaning of Text</li><li>• Explanation of Text</li><li>• Process and Relevance of Interpretation</li></ul>
<b>UNIT II : ANTIQUITY</b>		
<b>PLATO</b>	July 27 –August 31	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Life Sketch</li><li>• Theory of Forms</li><li>• Theory of Justice</li><li>• Scheme of Education</li><li>• Ideal State</li><li>• Philosopher King</li><li>• Communism of Wives and Property</li></ul>
<b>ARISTOTLE</b>	September 1- September 15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• As a Conservative Thinker</li><li>• Nature of Politics</li><li>• Nature and Origin of the Government</li></ul>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Classification of Governments</li> </ul>
<b>UNIT III : INTERLUDE</b>		
<b>MACHIAVELLI</b>	September 16- October 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Advent of the Modern State</li> <li>• Separation of Politics from Ethics</li> <li>• Virtue</li> <li>• Religion</li> <li>• Republicanism</li> <li>• Statecraft</li> </ul>
<b>UNIT IV : POSSESSIVE INDIVIDUALISM</b>		
<b>HOBBS</b>	October 18 –October 31	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Human Nature</li> <li>• State of Nature</li> <li>• Theory of Social Contract</li> <li>• State</li> </ul>
<b>LOCKE</b>	November 1- November 15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Human Nature</li> <li>• State of Nature</li> <li>• Laws of Nature</li> <li>• Theory of Social Contract</li> <li>• Natural Rights</li> <li>• Property</li> </ul>