**Curriculum plan (2021-2022)**

**Department of Political Science**

**Name of the Teacher: Dr. Seema Mathur**

**B.A. (Hons)-I year, Semester-II**

**PAPER : (Core) Political Theory: Concepts and Debates**

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| **Name of Paper & Code** | **Month wise schedule followed by the Department** | **Tutorial/Assignment Presentation/ Group Discussion/Test etc.** |
| **Unit I:**  **Freedom(3 weeks)**   1. Liberty: Negative and Positive 2. Freedom, Emancipation, Swaraj   Debate: Free speech, expression and dissent  **Unit II: Equality (2 weeks)**   1. Equality of opportunity and Equality of Outcome 2. Egalitarianism: Background inequalities and differential treatment   Debate: Affirmative action  **Unit III: Justice (2 weeks)**   1. Justice: Procedural and Substantive 2. Rawls and his critics   Debate: Scope of Justice – National vs Global  **Unit VI: Rights (2 weeks)**   1. Rights: Natural, Moral and Legal 2. Rights and Obligations   Debate: Human Rights - Universalism or Cultural Relativism  **Unit V: Democracy (3 weeks)**   1. Democracy: Idea and Practice 2. Liberal Democracy and its critics 3. Multiculturalism and Toleration   Debate: Representation vs participation | 7th April 2022 to 25th July 2022 | **TEST-1**  **ASSIGNMENT**  **TEST-2**  **GROUP DISCUSSION**    **REVISION** |