



ONDA THANA MAHAVIDYALAYA

Value Add-on Course on

Public Policy

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Syllabus of Ad-on Course

Conducted by - Department of Political Science

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Course Title: Public Policy

Course Outcome: This syllabus provides a comprehensive overview of the key concepts, theories, frameworks, and practical aspects of public policy.

Course Duration: 30 hours

Course Syllabus:

A. Introduction to Public Policy (6 hours)

- Understanding Public Policy: Definition, Scope, and Importance.
- Historical Perspectives on Public Policy.
- The Role of Government in Public Policy Making.
- Key Concepts and Terminologies in Public Policy.

Resource Persons: Amit Kumar Bandhu (Course Coordinator and Internal Resource Persons) & Dr. Sourav Kumar Nag (Internal)

B. Policy Analysis Frameworks (6 hours)

- Introduction to Policy Analysis.
- Rational Model of Policy Analysis.
- Incrementalism and Mixed Scanning.
- Public Choice Theory and Policy Analysis.
- Ethical Considerations in Policy Analysis.

Resource Persons: Ms. Sugandha Roy & Dr. Priyanka Banerjee (External)

C. Policy Process (6 hours)

- Stages of the Policy Process: Agenda Setting, Policy Formulation, Policy Implementation, and Policy Evaluation.

- Actors in the Policy Process: Government, Interest Groups, Media, and Public Opinion.
- Policy Feedback and Learning.
- Case Studies and Examples of Policy Processes.

Resource Persons: Sri. Arunava Banerjee & Sri Sant K Prashan (External)

D. Policy Instruments (6 hours)

- Types of Policy Instruments: Regulation, Legislation, Taxation, Subsidies, Public Provision of Goods and Services, Information Provision, etc.
- Design and Implementation of Policy Instruments.
- Effectiveness and Efficiency of Policy Instruments.
- Case Studies on Policy Instruments in Practice.

Resource Persons: Dr. Subrata Nandi & Somnath Kar (Internal)

E. Policy Evaluation and Impact Assessment (3 hours)

- Introduction to Policy Evaluation.
- Types of Evaluation: Formative, Summative, Process, and Impact Evaluation.
- Techniques and Methods of Policy Evaluation.
- Challenges and Limitations in Policy Evaluation.

Resource Persons: Susanta Garai (Internal)

F. Contemporary Issues in Public policy (3 hours)

- Emerging Trends and Challenges in Public Policy.
- Globalisation and its Implications for Public Policy.
- Sustainable Development and Environmental Policy.
- Technology and Innovation Policy.
- Social Justice and Equity in Public Policy.

Resource Persons: Tapasi Dey (External)

Suggested Readings:

Sapru R.K., and Sapru, Y (2019), *Public Policy: Formulation, Implementation and Evaluation*.

Chakrabarti R. (2016), *Public Policy in India*.

Mathur, K. (2015), *Public Policy and Politics in India*.

Shukla, H. (2016), *Public Policy and Administration in India*.

Basumatary, R. (2013), *Public Policy in India*.