

ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), BENGALURU-27

Course:	B.A. (JIP)
Subject:	International Relations and Peace Studies
Paper Title:	Core Concepts in International Relations
Semester:	III
Teaching Hours:	75
Paper Code:	IRP 319
No of Credits:	05
WEF:	June, 2020

Course Description

The objective of the course is to introduce the students to International Relations and the nomenclatures surrounding the discipline. It also provides clarity into the different usage of terms in international politics.

I Introduction

International Relations –Definition; Growth of International Relations as an academic discipline
Classical Approach-Historical, Institutional, Idealist and Realist
Modern Approach- International Systems (Mortan Kaplan's Models), Decision Making, Game Theory and Dependency Theory (SSS).

Samuel P. Huntington – *Clash of Civilizations Thesis*

Francis. P. Fukuyama- *End of History Thesis* **(15 Hours)**

II Key Elements

Arms Race, Balance of Power, Bretton Woods Institutions and New International Economic Order (NIEO); Collective Security, Rise of Asia (including China), Blue Economy, Space Order, Decline of USA (including Space Force), Belt and Road Initiative (BRI), Space Technology, Cold War, Trans-nationalism, Mutually Assured Destruction (MAD), Propaganda (SSS) **(15 Hours)**

III Foreign Policy and Its Dimensions

Foreign Policy-Definition, Determinants and Techniques

National Power-Definition; Components and Limitations

Diplomacy- Meaning and Objectives; Functions and Role of Diplomacy; Old and New

Diplomacy; Science Diplomacy, Techniques of Diplomacy (SSS) **(15 Hours)**

IV War`

Concept of War- Conventional and contemporary forms of warfare

Types of Warfare- Civil and Liberation; Limited, Proxy; Total and Nuclear;

Changing nature of conflict- Role of Non-state Actors; Military Operations Other Than V (MOOTW) (SSS)

Generations of Warfare- Cyber Warfare (Drones and Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (UAV)

(15 Hours)

V Insecurity and Its Determinants

Radicalization and Extremism- Causes, Types, and Consequences

Countering Violent Extremism (CVE)

Peace Studies and Conflict Resolution

Peace Movements with reference to Gandhi and Martin Luther Jr

Non Violence (SSS)

(15 Hours)

References

Hans.J. Morgenthau: Politics Among Nations

Palmer and Perkins: International Relations

Quincy R. Wright: A Study of International Relations

Mahendra Kumar: Theoretical Aspects of International Politics.

Griffiths and O'Callaghan: International Relations – The Key Concepts

Andrew Heywood- Key concepts in Politics and International Relations

Andrew Heywood-Global Politics

Jon. C Pevehouse and Joshua Goldstein: International Relations

V.N. Khanna: International Relations

K.K. Ghai: International Relations-Theory and Practise of International Politics

Peu Ghosh: International Relations

Pushpesh Pant: Introduction to International Relations

Journals

Foreign Affairs

World Politics

Foreign Policy

World Focus

International Affairs

Journal of International Affairs

India Quarterly

World Affair

ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), BENGALURU-27

Course:	B.A. (JIP)
Subject:	International Relations and Peace Studies
Paper Title:	Introduction to International Organizations
Semester:	IV
Paper code:	IRP 419
Teaching Hours:	45
No of Credits:	03
WEF:	November, 2020

Course Description

The objective of the course is to familiarize the students with the role of Institutions in International Relations. It further strives to shed light on the process through which these institutions shape global polity and foreign policy of nation-states.

I United Nations and Regional Organizations

The UN Charter and Key Principles

The Principal Organs of the United Nations (SSS)

Changing Role of the United Nations

UN Reform Debate

Regional Organizations- Meaning and Causes for its growth, Aims and Goals

Prominent Regional Organizations- EU, GCC, ASEAN, SAARC, OPEC, BIMSTEC etc.

(15 Hours)

II Inter-governmental Organizations and International Law.

Intergovernmental Organizations-Meaning and Features

Creation and Role of IGOs

Prominent IGOs- WTO, FAO, UNESCO etc

International Law-Meaning, Features and Sources

Prominent International Laws- (Maritime Laws, Prisoner of War, Cyberlaws etc)

European Court of Justice (SSS)

(15 Hours)

III Global Governance

Global Governance- Introduction and Process

Varieties of Global Governance

Climate Change- Inter-governmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) and United Nations

Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC)

Inter-Governmental and Non-Governmental Organizations

Politics and effectiveness of Global Governance

World Trade Organization (SSS)

(15 Hours)

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Foreign Affairs	World Politics
Foreign Policy	World Focus
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India Quarterly	World Affair

ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), BENGALURU-27

Department:	Political Science
Course:	B.A. (JIP/IRP)
CBCS Paper:	Peace Studies
Subject:	International Relations and Peace Studies
Semester:	IV
Paper code:	IRPOE 4119
Teaching Hours:	30
WEF:	November, 2020

Course Description

The objective of the course is to familiarize students from science and commerce disciplines about the importance and role of peace studies. This is under choice based credit system open elective model.

I Introduction

Basic Terms- Peace, Tolerance and Religious approach to Peace and Non-violence.

Peace as visualised by Thinkers, Philosophers and Religious Traditions.

Human Security and Peace

Gender and Peace

India's approach to Peace

(10 Hours)

II Non-Violence

Gandhian Concept of Ahimsa

Martin Luther King Jr's concept of Non-violence

Active/ Passive Resistance

Civil Disobedience and Satyagraha

Non-Violent Movements

(10 Hours)

III Conflicts and Promotion of Peace and Security

Conflict-Meaning and Theories

Assumptions and Methods of Conflict Resolution

The United Nations and Its Techniques-Pacific Settlement, Peace Keeping

Peace Making and Peace building.

(10 Hours)

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Foreign Affairs World Politics

Foreign Policy World Focus

International Affairs Journal of International Affairs