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**LESSON PLAN ON & RELATED LINK  
WESTERN POLITICAL THOUGHT AND THEORY I  
Paper: PLS-A-CC-4-10-TH+TU (CBCS) Credit: 4**

Class	Content	Links	Faculty approach	Student activity	Learning Outcome
Class 1	Greek Political Thought: Main Features <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Introduction</li> <li>✓ Ancient Greek Culture, People and Civilisation</li> <li>✓ Origin Of Political Thought</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9FrHGAdyto&amp;list=PL023BCE5134243987">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9FrHGAdyto&amp;list=PL023BCE5134243987</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Listens Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 2	Greek Political Thought: Main Features...contd. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Features of Greek Political Thought</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9FrHGAdyto&amp;list=PL023BCE5134243987">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9FrHGAdyto&amp;list=PL023BCE5134243987</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Listens Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 3	Plato's Theory of Justice <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Introduction: Plato: Life, times and his thoughts</li> <li>✓ Essence of Justice</li> <li>✓ Plato characterization of human behaviour in three main sources: Appetite, Spirit, Intellect</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/8rf3uqDj00A?si=EzrviiZOXBxWk0o">https://www.youtube.com/8rf3uqDj00A?si=EzrviiZOXBxWk0o</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Listens Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 4	Plato's Theory of Justice...contd. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Justice: The Virtue Of Ideal State</li> <li>✓ Philosopher-Kings: The cornerstone of Justice</li> <li>✓ Conclusion</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/8rf3uqDj00A?si=EzrviiZOXBxWk0o">https://www.youtube.com/8rf3uqDj00A?si=EzrviiZOXBxWk0o</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Listens Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 5	Plato's Theory of Communism <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Introduction</li> <li>✓ Communism as a Handmaid of Justice</li> <li>✓ Two Main Forms of Plato's Communism</li> <li>✓ Partial Application of Plato's Communism</li> <li>✓ Communism of Property</li> <li>✓ Communism of Wives</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GzCXhZnUiuU">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GzCXhZnUiuU</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Listens Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding

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Class 6	Plato's Theory of Communism...contd. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Basis of Plato's Scheme of Communism</li> </ul> Plato's Communism Versus Modern Communism	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GzCXhZnUiuU">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GzCXhZnUiuU</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Listens Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 7	Aristotle's Theory of State <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Introduction: Aristotle: Father of Political Science</li> <li>✓ State: A necessary condition of a good life.</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8Kr1XdyHKmM">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8Kr1XdyHKmM</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 8	Aristotle's Theory of State...contd. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Views on Man</li> <li>✓ State and its relation with Man</li> </ul> Conclusion	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8Kr1XdyHKmM">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8Kr1XdyHKmM</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 9	Aristotle's Classification of Constitutions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Introduction</li> <li>✓ Classification of Constitution</li> <li>✓ Rule of One: Monarchy vs. Tyranny</li> <li>✓ Rule of Few: Aristocracy vs. Oligarchy</li> <li>✓ Rule of Many: Polity vs. Democracy</li> <li>✓ Conclusion</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aG9FD3m3Qck">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aG9FD3m3Qck</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Listens Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 10	Roman political thought: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Creation of positive law.</li> <li>✓ Separation of politics and ethics.</li> <li>✓ Distinction between state and society.</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OWT4PeTLsKk">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OWT4PeTLsKk</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 11	Roman political thought...contd. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Political sovereignty and legal personality of state as the maker of laws.</li> <li>✓ Conclusion</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OWT4PeTLsKk">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OWT4PeTLsKk</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding

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Class 12	Roman theories of Law and Cicero <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Introduction: Roman Legal System</li> <li>✓ Roman Law and Its Codifications - The Twelve Tables</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OWT4PeTLsKk">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OWT4PeTLsKk</a>  <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Mx_fbGo16Ms">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Mx_fbGo16Ms</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 13	Roman theories of Law...contd. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Different types of Roman Laws: Jus Civile, Jus Gentium, Jus Naturale</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OWT4PeTLsKk">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OWT4PeTLsKk</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 14	Roman theories of Law...contd. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ The Code of Justinian</li> <li>✓ Cicero Contribution to Roman Law</li> </ul> <p>Conclusion</p>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OWT4PeTLsKk">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OWT4PeTLsKk</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 15	Citizenship – Contributions of Roman thought. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Introduction:</li> <li>✓ Lex Julia and the Lex Plautia Papiria Legislation</li> <li>✓ The Edict of Caracallas</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DN_cWXqVV9k">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DN_cWXqVV9k</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Analyze
Class 16	Roman Citizenship...contd. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ The Hierarchy of Roman Civic Identity</li> <li>✓ Allies and Neighbors</li> <li>✓ Subjects and Foreigners</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0hVF0X8C9_0">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0hVF0X8C9_0</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 17	Roman Citizenship...contd. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Privileges and Duties of the Roman Citizen</li> <li>✓ Conclusion: The Legacy of Roman Citizenship</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DN_cWXqVV9k">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DN_cWXqVV9k</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding

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Class 18	Revision of essential concepts		Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 19	Medieval political thought in Europe: major features. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Introduction</li> <li>✓ Divine Authority</li> <li>✓ Theocratic Tendencies</li> <li>✓ Feudalism and Hierarchy</li> <li>✓</li> </ul>		Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 20	Medieval political thought in Europe: major features...contd. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Scholasticism and Reason</li> <li>✓ Political Obligation and Duty</li> <li>✓ Limited State Power</li> <li>✓ Limitations</li> </ul> Conclusion		Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 21	Contribution of Machiavelli <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Introduction</li> <li>✓ Theory of political power</li> <li>✓ The prince and the central theme of prince</li> <li>✓ Justification for a powerful state</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EwWg2MDvHDI">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EwWg2MDvHDI</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Analyze
Class 22	Contribution of Machiavelli...contd. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Advise on Statecraft</li> <li>✓ Evaluation: Merits of Machiavelli's political thought and Criticism</li> </ul> Conclusion	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EwWg2MDvHDI">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EwWg2MDvHDI</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 23	Significance of Renaissance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Introduction</li> <li>✓ Sovereign secular authority replaces ecclesiastical authority</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Om1jvUzVAtE">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Om1jvUzVAtE</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding

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Class 24	Significance of Renaissance...contd. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ First codifications of international law</li> <li>✓ Renaissance humanism.</li> </ul> Conclusion	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uq9fUmFHL0">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uq9fUmFHL0</a> <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wmR6uLJFp6k">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wmR6uLJFp6k</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 25	Political thought of Reformation. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Introduction</li> <li>✓ Doctrinal Debates in the Church</li> <li>✓ The Protestant Revolution.</li> </ul>		Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Analyze
Class 26	Political thought of Reformation...contd. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Economic and Political Changer</li> <li>✓ Rise of Nation States</li> </ul> Conclusion		Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Analyze
Class 27	Jean Bodin: Idea of Sovereignty. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Introduction</li> <li>✓ Religious toleration</li> <li>✓ The state and the family</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fWJA-IOz9tQ">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fWJA-IOz9tQ</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 28	Jean Bodin: Idea of Sovereignty...contd. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Sovereignty</li> <li>✓ Limitations on Sovereignty</li> </ul> Conclusion	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fWJA-IOz9tQ">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fWJA-IOz9tQ</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 29	Revision of essential concepts		General discussion of topics. Ask questions to check students grasp of the lecture.	Discussion. Raise questions. Clarification of doubts	Understanding

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Class 30	Continuous Internal Assessment		Assessment based on Class Test	Memorise s , Writes test and self reflection on understanding of concepts.	Analyze, Apply, Clarification.
Class 31	Thomas Hobbes: Founder Of Science Of Materialist Politics. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Introduction</li> <li>✓ Human Nature</li> <li>✓ State of Nature</li> <li>✓ Natural Laws</li> <li>✓ Conclusion</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9i4jb5XBX5s">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9i4jb5XBX5s</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehe nds Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 32	Thomas Hobbes: Liberty and Political Obligation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Individualism and Liberalism</li> <li>✓ Liberty and the Right of Self-preservation</li> <li>✓ Political Obligation</li> <li>✓ Conclusion</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JYBGHWbcVuQ">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JYBGHWbcVuQ</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehe nds Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 33	John Locke: Founder of Liberalism. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Introduction</li> <li>✓ Freedom and Rights</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ocJ2fPk5FGE">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ocJ2fPk5FGE</a>  <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bZiWZJgJT7I">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bZiWZJgJT7I</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehe nds Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Analyze
Class 34	John Locke on Liberlism...contd. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Nature of Political Authority</li> </ul> Conclusion	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6z1WKgCT7Sw">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6z1WKgCT7Sw</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehe nds Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding

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Class 35	John Locke: Views On Property And Consent. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Introduction</li> <li>✓ Consent and Political Obligation</li> <li>✓ Parental and Patriarchal Authority</li> <li>✓ Property</li> <li>✓ Conclusion</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bZiWZJgJT7I">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bZiWZJgJT7I</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 36	Rousseau: Views On Freedom <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Introduction</li> <li>✓ Social Contract</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=81KfDXTTtXE">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=81KfDXTTtXE</a>  <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qvjrE5nc4xs">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qvjrE5nc4xs</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 37	Rousseau: Views On Freedom ...contd. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Analysis of Inequality</li> <li>✓ Institution of Private Property</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FRCCkLFLzQo">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FRCCkLFLzQo</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 38	Rousseau: Views On Freedom ...contd. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Civil Society</li> <li>✓ General Will and Individual Freedom</li> </ul> Conclusion	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FRCCkLFLzQo">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FRCCkLFLzQo</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 39	Rousseau: Democracy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Introduction</li> <li>✓ Role of the Legislator</li> <li>✓ Critique of Liberal Representative Government</li> </ul>	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q9-Ew8csAaQ">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q9-Ew8csAaQ</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding

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Class 40	Rousseau: Democracy...contd. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Federation of Nations for World Peace</li> <li>✓ Women and Family</li> </ul> Conclusion	<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q9-Ew8csAaQ">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q9-Ew8csAaQ</a>	Explains and Narrates with suitable board work, questions in between to check students grasp of the lecture	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Understanding
Class 41	Revision of essential concepts		General discussion of topics. Ask questions to check students grasp of the lecture.	Discussion. Raise questions. Clarification of doubts	Understanding
Class 42	Solution of various problems and discussions on University questions.		General Discussion on Question Patterns, time allotment, quality answering. Clarifies students queries	Comprehends Takes Notes Answer questions. Raise questions	Apply

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