

Department of Political Science

Department of Political Science was one of the oldest departments in the college. It was established in the year 1962. The department has Bachelor of Arts in Political Science and Masters in Political Science. It was the first department in the Ahmednagar district to have granted course of MA in Political Science. Many students from our department have benefitted from the courses. In again 2018, the department was first to have Doctor of Philosophy course in Political Science at the college. Presently we have 90 researchers doing research in the department. 06 students have submitted their dissertation of MPhil and 5 Students have completed PhD in Political Science.

Objective of the Department

- To impart constitutional values among students.
- To acquaint them about Fundamental Rights, Human Rights.
- To help students to develop their personality.
- To boost research culture among students.
- To inculcate scientific temper and rational attitude among students.

Faculty Profile of the Department

Sr. No.	Name of teacher	Qualification	Teaching Experience	Designation
1	Dr. Jyoti P Bidlan	MA, PhD, NET	27 years	Head and Professor
2	Dr. Girish M Kulkarni	MA, PhD, SET	25 years	Professor
3	Dr. Ankush P Aware	MA, PhD, SET	14 years	Assistant Professor
4	Dr. Pramod Tambe	MA, PhD, NET	5 years	Assistant Professor
5	Ms. Chanchal Mattu	MA, NET	2 years	Assistant Professor

Programmes Offered

Sr. No.	Programme	Programme Details	Duration
1	BA (Political Science)	Credit and Semester system	3 years
2	MA (Political Science)	Credit and Semester system	2 years
3	Ph.D. (Political Science)	Research Degree	Up to 5 years

Department initiatives for Quality Sustenance & Enhancement

- Field visits to acquaint students about political process
- Collaboration with NGOs for training and internship
- Guest Lectures
- Film Reviews
- Career guidance and motivational lectures
- Constitution Day 26th Nov celebration
- Participation in Mock Parliament Competition
- Book Club and Book Reading Activity

Facilities in the Department

- Reading Hall
- Departmental Library
- Newspaper and Magazines for students
- Computer, Printer and Internet
- Television for viewing documentaries and films
- Access to an NGO to work and do internship