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To,
Dr. V. J. Dethe
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Shri Shahaji Chhatrapati Mahavidyalay, Dasara Chouk, Kolhapur.

Subject: Invitation for the online meeting of Board of Studies (Political Science) be held on Thursday, 06 November, 2025.

Dear Sir,

We are pleased to invite you for the meeting of the BoS (Political Science) of which you are an honorable member. The meeting will be held on **Thursday, 06 November, 2025 at 5:00 pm via Google Meet**. Video call link: [BoS Meeting 06.11.2025 : https://meet.google.com/iaq-theg-mvj](https://meet.google.com/iaq-theg-mvj).

The agenda of the meeting is enclosed herewith.

Please make it convenient to be present for the meeting and contribute in the syllabus revision.

Agenda

1. Confirmation of the minutes of the last meeting.
2. To discuss the titles and draft the BA III syllabus of Political Science under NEP 2.0 to be implemented from the academic year 2026-27.
3. To discuss the titles of Master of Rural Studies Part II syllabus to be implemented from the academic year 2026-27.
4. To approve the launch of online course to be launched in the second semester.
5. Any other matter with the permission of the Chair.

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Vivekanand College, Kolhapur (An Empowered Autonomous Institute)
Department of Political Science
Minutes of BoS Meeting
Held on 06 November 2026

The meeting of BoS (Political Science) was held on Thursday, 06 November, 2025 at 5:00 pm via Google Meet. (Video call link: <https://meet.google.com/iaq-theg-mvj>.)

The minutes of the meeting are as follows:

Item No. 1: Confirmation of the minutes of the last meeting.

(Ms. Samiksha Farakate, BoS Chairperson read out the minutes of the last meeting. She read out the titles of the courses implemented for BA II under NEP 2.0 and the titles of MRS Part I syllabus implemented in the year 2025-26. The minutes were unanimously confirmed.)

Item No. 2: To discuss the titles and draft the BA III syllabus of Political Science under NEP 2.0 to be implemented from the academic year 2026-27.

(The BoS Chairperson presented the course structure of the Third Year Political Science under NEP 2.0. She then presented the course content of each course of the syllabus one by one. Contents of each course were thoroughly discussed. The BoS members suggested changes where they deemed fit. The contents were modified/changed accordingly.)

After thorough discussion, the syllabus for BA III was finalised under the following titles:

Sr. No.	Course Abbr.	Course code	New Course Name	Old Course Title	Percentage of change	Course Credits
Semester V						
1	DSC-VII	2DSC01POL51	Contemporary Political Concepts	Contemporary Political Concepts		4
2	DSC-VIII	2DSC01POL52	International Relations	International Relations		4
3	DSC-IX	2DSC01POL53	Comparative Politics - I	Comparative Politics - I		4
4	DSE-I	2DSE01POL51	Western Political Thought – I	Western Political Thought – I		4
5	MIN-V	2MIN01POL51	Indian Administration	Indian Administration		4

6	FP	2FPR01POL51	Field Project	Field Project		2
Semester VI						
1	DSC-X	2DSC01POL61	Public Administration	Public Administration	20	4
2	DSC-XI	2DSC01POL62	India's Foreign Policy	India's Foreign Policy	20	4
3	DSC-XII	2DSC01POL63	Comparative Government and Politics	Comparative Government and Politics		4
4	DSE-II	2DSE01POL61	Western Political Thought - II	Western Political Thought - II		4
5	MIN-VI	2MIN01POL61	Public Policy of India	Public Policy of India		4
6	OJT	2OJT01POL61	On Job Training	On Job Training		2
Total						44

Item No. 3: To discuss the titles of Master of Rural Studies Part II syllabus to be implemented from the academic year 2026-27.

(The BoS chairman presented the proposed titles of MRS Part II. The members discussed and approved the proposed titles.)

Sr. No	Course	Course Code	Course Name	Course Credit s
Semester III				
1	DSC-I	DSC43MRS31	Economy of Maharashtra	4
2	DSC-II	DSC43MRS32	Rural Banking and Finance	4
3	DSC-III	DSC43MRS33	Rural Resource Management and Sustainable Development	4
4	DSE-I	DSE43MRS31	Rural Project Management	4
5	RPM	RPM43MRS31	Filed Project	4
SEMESTER-III TOTAL				20
Semester IV				

1	DSC-I	DSC43MRS41	Cooperatives and Rural Development	4
2	DSC-II	DSC43MRS42	NGO Management and CSR	4
3	DSC-III	DSC43MRS43	Rural Entrepreneurship and Marketing	4
4	DSE-I	DSE43MRS41	Rural Education and Human Development	4
5	RP	RP43MRS41	Research Project: Dissertation & Viva-Voce	4
SEMESTER-IV TOTAL				20

It was decided to finalise the course contents of all papers in the next BoS meeting.

Item No. 4: To approve the launch of online course to be launched in the second semester.

(Ms. Samiksha Farakate presented the title and course content of online course 'Introduction to Indian Constitution' to be launched on college LMS in the second semester. The BoS members approved this introduction.)

It was decided to launch the course by the end of next semester.

Item No. 5: Any other matter with the permission of the Chair.

As there was no other matter, the meeting ended with thanks to the chair.


 Samiksha Farakate
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