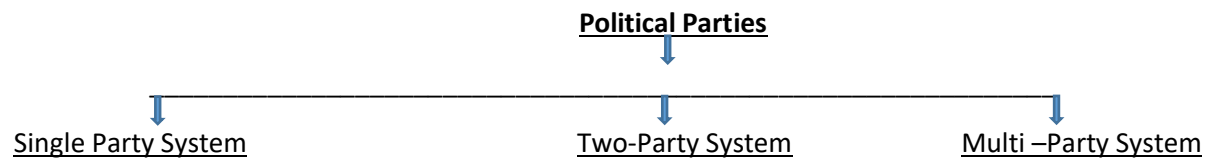


TOPIC	Political Parties
Pre-Requisite for the course	Knowledge of election and various political parties and their leader
Assessment of qualifying knowledge	Questions based on national party, their leader and their ideology and symbol, example of any regional party, what difference they have?
Objectives	The students will be able to understand • Importance of political parties in a democracy • Classify the various types of party system • Evaluate the merits and demerits of each type of party system • Distinguish between the national and regional parties in India • To learn what are political parties and their function in a democracy • To learn how political parties contest elections in India
Learning Outcomes	Knowledge:- Student will have knowledge about working of political parties, role of opposition parties, how public opinions are shaped, kinds of party system, major Indian National Parties in India, Various Regional parties in India Skills and Competencies:- Students will be able to understand the fundamental political divisions of various parties.
Transaction Methodology	The lesson will be introduced with the slide show showing clippings of few movies, like Raajneeti, Gulal, Sarkaar etc Will start the lesson with slogan of BJP party “Ab ke baar Modi Sarkaar”, “Phir ek baar Modi Sarkaar” How a candidate has become the face of Party, Will show various symbols and ask the students about the name of the party, Will show pictures of the leaders and ask students to identify the name of the party. Then will evolve the lesson with further details of role and structure and function of political parties, types of parties in India.
Questions Assessment	Q1. Describe the role of Political Parties in Indian democracy. Q2. Name the national political party which gets inspiration from India's ancient culture and values. Mention four features of that party. Q3. “Political parties are rightly called the government in disguise”. Justify the statement with reference to democratic politics by four arguments. Q4. “Lack of internal democracy is a challenge to efficient functioning of Indian political parties.” Justify the statement.



S.W.O.T Analysis

Functions Of Political Parties(Strength) • Contest Election • Policies and Programmes Formation • Making Laws • Shaping Public Opinion	Challenges Of party System(Weakness) • Lack of Internal Democracy • Dynastic Succession • Money and Muscle Power • No meaningful Choice to the voters
Necessity of political Parties • A mechanism to support or restrain government • They justify or oppose the government • Modern democracy needs political party • Evry candidate will be independent without political parties	Political Parties Reformation(Opportunity) • The constitution amended to prevent defection • The supreme court orders to reduce the power of money and criminals • The election commission hold organizational eections, file income tax returns