



# North Bengal International University

Faculty of Social Science  
**Department of Political Science**  
Syllabus for 2-Year M.S.S. Program (6 Semesters)

## Course-Wise Marks distribution

Course (Final Term)	:	50%
Course (Mid Term)	:	20%
Class Test/Tutorial/Presentation:		10%
Class Attendance	:	10%
Assignment	:	<u>10%</u>
		Total=100%

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**Preamble**

In view of the exigencies of scientific and technological development resulting in socio-economic changes, unpleasant events at political level and at other matters have been occurring indomitably throughout the globe. In order to promote legal regimes at national and global perspectives needs have arisen and in so doing, the University has taken all such essence into account to introduce creative legal education.

**Courses of Study**

- The syllabus has been designed for the students of Master of Social Science (MSS) Program in Political Science which is divided into two groups – **Group A** and **Group B**.
- **Group A** is designed for the students with a Bachelor Degree (Pass) or Honors in any other discipline and **Group B** is designed for the students who have a Bachelor Degree (Honors) in Political Science.
- The Duration of MSS Degree Program of **Group A** is 2-Years divided into 6 (six) Semesters, and **Group B** is 1-Year divided into 3 (three) Semesters.
- Students of **Group A** is required to complete 20 Courses including Viva-voce and Comprehensive for a total of 60 credits; while **Group B** is required to complete 11 Courses including Viva-voce and Comprehensive for a total of 33 credits.
- Each course contains 100 marks and 3 credits. Marks for Viva-voce and Comprehensive written test are 50 each.
- Distribution of marks of each paper is as follows:

1. Course Final (written)	50 marks
2. Mid-term	20 ”
3. Attendance	10 ”
4. Class Test	10 ”
5. <u>Assignment</u>	10 ”
Total	100 marks

- Course Final Examination is of 3 (three) hours duration.
- Group and Semester-wise distribution of courses are as follows:

**Group A**  
(Total Credits 60)

PS 5101: Political Theory and Organization  
PS 5102: Government and Politics in UK and USA  
PS 5103: Local Government in Bangladesh

PS 5204: Political and Constitutional Development of Bangladesh  
PS 5205: Public Administration in Bangladesh  
PS 5206: Western Political Thought

PS 5307: Military Politics in the Third World  
PS 5308: Research Methodology  
PS 5309: Introduction to International Politics

PS 6110: Modern Political Thought  
PS 6111: Theories of Political Development  
PS 6112: Problems of Governance

PS 6213: Recent Political Thought  
PS 6214: Democratization, Modernization and Social Change  
PS 6215: Political Development in Bangladesh  
PS 6216: Problems of Political Institution

PS 6317: Development Studies  
PS 6318: International Law and Organization  
PS 6319: International Politics: Theory and Practice  
PS 6320: Comprehensive and Viva-voce

**Group B**  
(Total Credits 33)

PS 6110: Modern Political Thought  
PS 6111: Theories of Political Development  
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