

# ACADEMIC CALENDAR

2018



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## **KHUDIRAM BOSE CENTRAL COLLEGE**

**DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE  
GENERAL**

**SEMESTER -2**

**JANUARY - JUNE**

# SYLLABUS

## CC 2/GE 2

### Comparative Government and Politics Code: PLS-G-CC-2-2-TH+TU Module I

1 Political System: Liberal-democratic, Authoritarian .Socialist – forms of Political Systems: Unitary and Federal, Parliamentary and Presidential.

2. U.K.: (a) Basic features with major focus on Conventions and rule of Law.

(b) Legislature: composition and functions with major focus on the concept of parliamentary sovereignty.(c) Executive: composition and functions of the Cabinet with major focus on the role of the Prime Minister – the concept of Cabinet Dictatorship; (d) Role of the Crown;(e) Party system – role of the Opposition.

3. U.S.A.: (a) Basic features (b) US federalism (c) Bill of rights (d) Legislature: composition and functions with major focus on the Presiding Officers and Committee System; (e) The Executive: The President: election, powers and functions. US Cabinet: composition and functions; (f) Supreme Court: composition and functions;

(g) Party system.

#### Module II

4. PRC (1982 Constitution):(a) Significance of the Revolution (b) Basic features with special reference to General Principles(c) Communist Party: structure, functions, role (d) Rights and Duties of Citizen (e) The National Government: i) The Executive: President, Premier, State Council, ii) The Legislature: National People' Congress ,Standing Committee iii) The Judiciary.

5. Salient features of the Constitutions of Bangladesh, France, Switzerland.

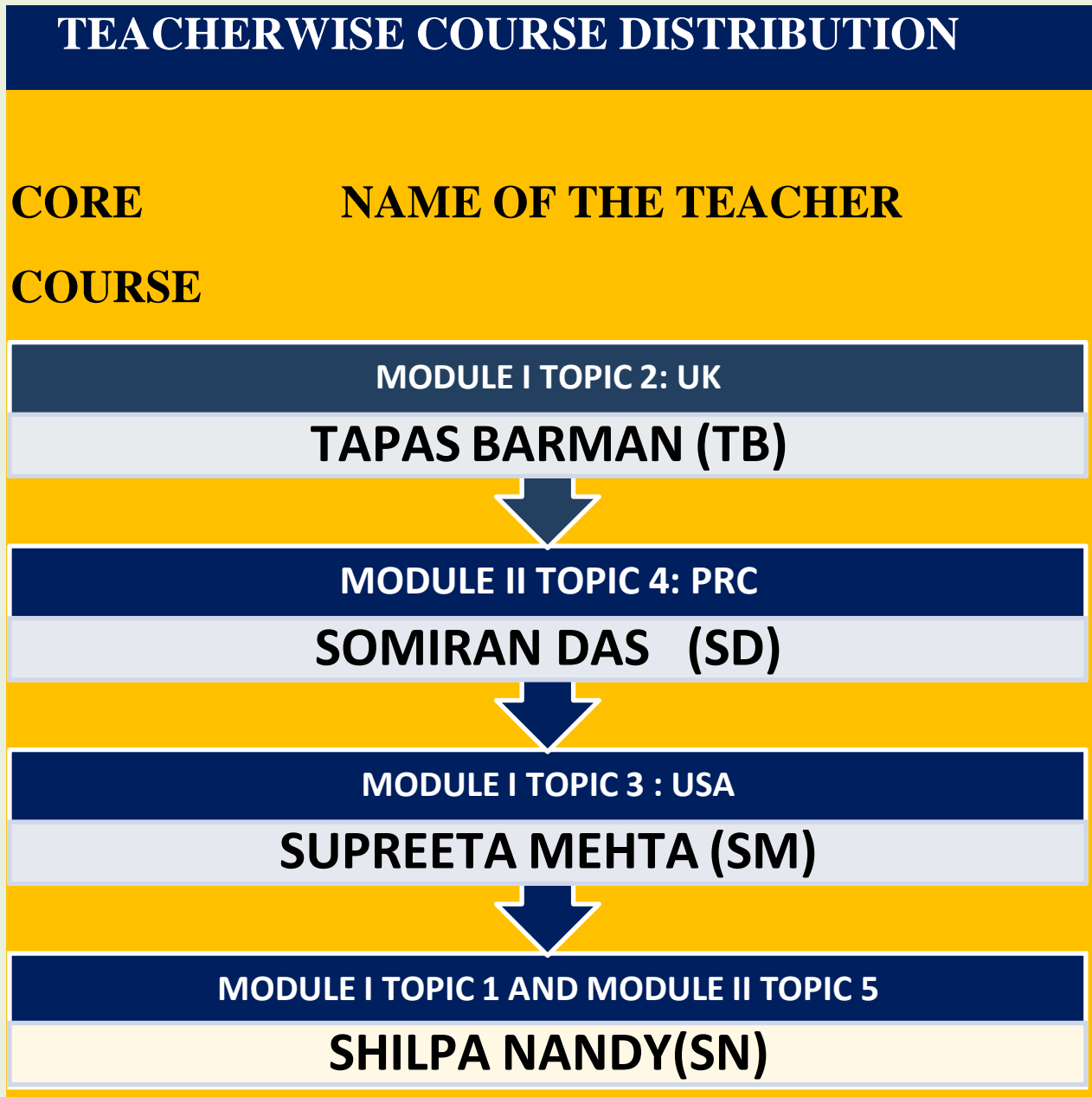
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## MONTH WISE SYLLABUS DISTRIBUTION (TENTATIVELY)

**CC2/GE 2**

### COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS

MONTH WISE	SYLLABUS DISTRIBUTION	NO. OF CLASSES (PER CLASS IS OF 1 HOUR DURATION)
<b>JULY</b>	<p><b>Module I:</b></p> <p>1 .Political System: Liberal-democratic, Authoritarian Socialist – forms of Political Systems</p> <p>2. U.K.: (a) Basic features with major focus on Conventions and rule of Law. (b) Legislature: composition and functions with major focus on the concept of parliamentary sovereignty.</p> <p>3. U.S.A.: (a) Basic features (b) US federalism (c) Bill of rights</p> <p><b>Module II</b></p> <p>4. PRC (1982 Constitution):(a) Significance of the Revolution (b) Basic features with special reference to General Principles(c) Communist Party: structure, functions, role</p>	<p>04</p> <p>06</p> <p>06</p> <p>06</p>
<b>AUGUST</b>	<p><b>Module I:</b></p> <p>1. Political System: Unitary and Federal, Parliamentary and Presidential.</p> <p>2. UK: (c) Executive: composition and functions of the Cabinet with major focus on the role of the Prime Minister – the concept of Cabinet Dictatorship;</p> <p>3. USA: e) The Executive: The President: election, powers and functions. US Cabinet: composition and functions;</p> <p><b>Module II</b></p> <p>5. PRC:(d) Rights and Duties of Citizen (e) The National Government: i) The Executive: President, Premier, State Council,</p>	<p>06</p> <p>06</p> <p>04</p> <p>06</p>

<b>SEPTEMBER</b>	<b>Module I</b> 2. <b>UK:</b> (d) Role of the Crown;(e) Party system – role of the Opposition. 3. <b>USA:</b> (f) Supreme Court: composition and functions; (g) Party system.	04 04
	<b>Module II:</b> 4. <b>PRC:</b> ii) The Legislature: National People’ Congress ,Standing Committee iii) The Judiciary.	06
	5. Salient features of the Constitutions of Bangladesh, France, Switzerland.	06
<b>OCTOBER (FIRST WEEK)</b>	<b>REVISION</b> <b>PUJA VACATION</b>	04
<b>NOVEMBER</b>	<b>POST PUJA VACATION REVISION/ INTERNAL/ TUTORIAL EXAMS</b>	
<b>DECEMBER</b>	<b>SEMESTER THEORY EXAMS</b>	

## QUESTION TYPE AND EXAM PATTERN

<b>EXAM PATTERN:</b>	<b>CC2/GE 2</b>	<b>MARKS</b>
<b>ATTENDANCE</b>		<b>10</b>
<b>INTERNAL (10 QUESTIONNS OF 1 MARKS EACH)</b>		<b>10</b>
<b>TUTORIAL (TERM PAPER OF 1000 WORDS/ FIELD STUDY REPORT/ BOOK REVIEW)</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>THEORY PAPER</b>		<b>65</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>100</b>

## DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES

MONTH	ACTIVITIES
AUGUST	WALL MAGAZINE/PROJECT
SEPTEMBER	TEACHER'S DAY/FRESHER'S WELCOME
OCTOBER	FIELD VISIT
DECEMBER/JANUARY	PTM