

PROGRAM	Master of Business Administration
SEMESTER	4
COURSE TITLE	Public Policy
COURSE CODE	04MB0445
COURSE CREDITS	3
COURSE DURATION	42 Sessions

Course Outcomes:

- Have an understanding about the public policy evolution and its importance.
- Have knowledge of various approaches to public policy.
- Develop an understanding about the theories and processes of public policy.
- Explain the formulation, implementation and evaluation of public policy.
- Critically evaluate various trends across the globe with regard to public policy.

Course Contents:

Unit No	Unit / Sub Unit	Sessions
I	Introduction: Meaning, Nature, Scope and importance of Public Policy,	8
	Evolution of Public Policy, types of public policies: Substantive,	
	Regulatory, Distributive, Redistributive and capitalization	
II	Approaches to Public Policy	8
	Approaches to Public Policy: The process approach, Logical Approach,	
	phenomenological approach, participatory and normative approach	
III	Theories and Process of Public Policy	8
	Theories and Models of Public Policy making, Perspectives of Policy	
	making process, Institutions of policy making: Legislature, Executive,	
	Juiciary, Planning machinery at Central and State levels	

IV	Policy Formulation, Implementation and Evaluation	8
	Policy formulation, policy implementation, techniques of policy	
	implementation, concept of policy evaluation, constraints of policy	
	evaluation	



V	Globalization and Public Policy	10
	Public Policy trends across the globe, Impact of globalization on public	
	policy making, Comparison of Indian Public policies with other countries.	

Evaluation:

The students will be evaluated on a continuous basis and broadly follow the scheme given below:

		Weight age
A	Continuous Evaluation Component (Assignments / Quizzes /	20% (C.E.C.)
	Class Participation etc.)	
В	Internal Assessment	30% (I.A.)
С	End-Semester Examination	50%
		(External
		Assessment)

Text Books:

Sr. No	Author/s	Name of the Book	Publisher	Edition and Year
T-01	Anderson, J.E.	Public Policy Making	Houghton Mifflin Co	6 th edition, 2005
T-02	Thomas, A	An Introduction to The Policy Process: Theories, Concepts, And Models of Public Policy Making	Routledge, Talylor and Francis	5 th edition, 2017
T-03	Nachmias, David	Public Policy Evaluation: Approaches and Methods	St. Martin Press	1979
T-04	Henry, N	Public administration and Public Affairs	Prentice Hall	11 th edition, 2009

Reference Books:

Sr. No	Author/s	Name of the Book	Publisher	Edition a	and
				Year	
R-01	Jay M. Shafritz	International Encyclopedia of	Westview Press	1998	
		Public Policy and			
		Administration			
R-02	Farzmand, Ali	Global Encyclopedia of Public	Springer	2018	
		Administration, Public Policy			
		and Governance.			

