

**Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education**  
**BA -PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION-CBCS SEMESTER WISE SYLLABUS**  
w.e.f. 2015-2016, Modified in April, 2016

**Structure of the Syllabus/Curriculum**

Year	Semester	Paper	Category	Hrs/wk	Credits	Marks	Internal	External
1	I	I	Core	5	4	100	25	75
	II	II	Core	5	4	100	25	75
2	III	III	Core	5	4	100	25	75
	IV	IV	Core	5	4	100	25	75
3	V	V	Core	5	4	100	25	75
		VI	Core	5	4	100	25	75
	VI	VII	Elective (A) or (B) or (C)	5	4	100	25	75
		VIII	Cluster Electives (A1+A2+A3) or (B1+B2+B3) Or (C1+C2+C3)	5	4	100	25	75
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**Note:** Student Activities like Data/picture analysis, Seminars, Assignments, Group Discussions, Case studies, Fieldwork, Surveys, Study Projects, Models are Part of Curriculum in all papers. The teacher shall identify appropriate activities for each unit and assign them to the students for improving domain skills.

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**FIRST YEAR - SEMESTER -I**  
**PAPER - 1 THEORIES OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION (Core)**

**UNIT - I:Introduction**

1. Meaning, Nature, Scope and importance of Public Administration
2. Evolution and State of Public Administration.

**UNIT - II :**

3. PA Relationship with other Social Sciences: With special reference to Political Science, Economics, Sociology and Psychology.
4. Politics & Administration Dichotomy- F.J. Good and Woodrow Wilson

**UNIT-III: Theories and Approaches**

5. Classical Approaches :Henry Fayol, Gullick and Urwick
6. Scientific Management Approach:F.W. Taylor

**UNIT-IV**

7. Bureaucratic Approach:Max Weber and Karl Marx
8. Human Relations Approach: Elton Mayo
9. Behavioural Approach: Herbert A.Simon

**UNIT-V**

10. Socio - Psychological Approach: Hierarchy of Needs:Abraham Maslow;  
Theory X and Theory Y: Douglas Mc Gregor
11. Ecological Approach: F.W.Riggs

**Reference Books:**

1. PrabhutvaPalanaSastram:Bhavanalu,Siddhantalu(Tel),Telugu Akademi
2. D.Ravindra Prasad and Y. Pardhasaradhi (eds.), Public Administration: Concepts, Theories and Principles (Eng),Telugu Akademi, Hyd, 2011.
3. R.K.Sapru, Administrative Theories and Management Thought (Third Edition), PHI, New Delhi, 2014.

4. **Avasthi, Amareswar and Maheswari Sri Ram: Public Administration (30th Edition), Lakshminarayan Aggarwal, Agra , 2010**
5. **Rumki Basu, Public Administration: Concepts and Theories, (5<sup>th</sup> revised ed), Sterling Publishers, New Delhi, 2004**
6. **Nicholas Henry, Public Administration and Public Affairs (10<sup>th</sup> Edition), PHI, New Delhi, 2007**