

Extended Topics Covered

1. Evolution of Public Administration

- ▶ **Public Administration as Theory and Practice**
- ▶ **Models of Evolution:**
 - Golembiewski
 - Nicholas Henry
 - Nigro, Dimock and others
- ▶ **Contribution of Wilson, Critique and other theorists**
- ▶ **Simon Waldo Debatee**
- ▶ **Modern Approaches to the study of Public Administration**
 - Public Policy
 - Systems
 - Contingency
 - Post-Modernism
 - Governance
 - ▶ Gender Perspective
 - ▶ Post-Positivism
 - ▶ Post-Behaviouralism
 - ▶ Deconstructivism
 - ▶ Humanistic-Phenomenology
- ▶ **Model of Critique of Traditional Public Administration**
 - Public Choice
 - Marxist Approach
 - Neo-Marxist
 - New Public Administration. [NPA-I, II, III]
 - New Public Management [NPM]
 - Blacksburg Manifesto
 - Neo-Weberian State
 - Post-Modern Governance
 - E-Governance – Models and Issues
 - Governmentality and Community Power Approach
 - Case – Studies from Asian and Other Perspectives
- ▶ **Other Contemporary Developments/Debate**
 - Neo-liberal – State Debate
 - Ethics in Administration – Normative Concerns and Rationality
 - Agendas of reform – [Also Covers Topics from 2nd ARC]

2. Theories in Public Administration

- ▶ **Approaches: Wilson, Goodnow, White, Waldo, Taylor, Follet, Weber, Gulick and Urwick, Peter Drucker, Easton, Peter Senge Behaviourism in Public Administration:**
 - Organizational behavior and characteristics
 - Leadership
 - Motivation
 - Communication
 - Emotional Intelligence
 - Methodology and Critique

3. Public Policy

- ▶ **Approaches**
- ▶ **Contributors:**
 - Easton
 - Dror
 - Simon
 - Lindblom
 - Others
- ▶ **Issues in Public Policy**
- ▶ **Case – Studies [IIPA etc.]**
- ▶ **Changing perspective in Policy Making in India**

4. Comparative Public Administration

- ▶ **Methodology and Approaches**
- ▶ **Contributions of Riggs, Ferrel Heady, Weidner and Wilson**
- ▶ **Development Administration[DA]:**
 - Role of Public Administration in Development Administration
 - Post-Developmentalism and Critique of Development Administration
 - Community Development Models
 - Sustainable Development
 - Role of Non-State Actors in Development and Issues:
 - ▶ NGOs
- ▶ SHG
- ▶ Civil Society
- ▶ Corporates
- Developmental Policies/Laws:
 - ▶ Environmental
 - ▶ Social
 - ▶ Industrial
- ▶ **Global Issues in Development**
 - Conservation, Pollution, etc.
- ▶ **Role of Institutions**
 - Local Governments
 - Quasi-Judicial bodies etc.

5. Administrative Reforms

- ▶ **Civil Services**
 - Issues in Reforms
 - ▶ Personnel Management
 - ▶ Global Perspective
 - ▶ Judicial
- ▶ **Reforms in Criminal Justice System**
 - Judiciary
 - Police
 - Security Agencies
- ▶ **Administrative Perspective on New Problems of governance like**
 - Terrorism
- Naxalism
- Cyber Crimes
- Social Media Reforms
- Human Rights
- Women Issues
- ▶ **Role of Media and Administrative Reforms**
- ▶ **2nd ARC – Recommendations**
- ▶ **World Bank, UNPAN, Report discussions**
- ▶ **Role of District Administration – Need for Changes**

6. Political Institutions and their Role

- ▶ **Reforms at the Institutional Level**
- ▶ **Centre-State Relations**
- ▶ **Issues in Federalism:**
 - Role of Niti Aayog
 - Governor
 - Expert/Constitutional bodies
 - CSS
- ▶ **Role of Audit and CAG**
- ▶ **Electoral Reforms:**
 - Issues.
 - Recommendations
- ▶ **Executive Vs Legislative**
- ▶ **Judicial Reforms:**
 - Structural
 - Procedural

7. New Agenda in Indian Administration

- ▶ **Gender Issues**
- ▶ **Disaster Management**
- ▶ **Privacy**
- ▶ **Communalism**
- ▶ **Media Activism**
- ▶ **RTI, RTPS, Probity in Governance**
- ▶ **Financial management reforms – GST, FRBM, PPP, etc.**

8. A Brief Overview of Hidden Syllabus

- ▶ **Discussion on Contemporary Developments in Theory and Practice of Public Administration**