

# BMS COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, BANGALORE-19

(Autonomous College under VTU)

Course Code	11HS1ICCIP/ 11HS2ICCIP	Course Name	Constitution of India and
Credits	02	1	Professional ethics
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**COURSE OBJECTIVES:** To educate students about the supreme law of the land and to create awareness about civil liberties such that all Indians can lead their lives in peace and harmony and to reduce social, educational and economic inequalities. To create awareness about the objectives of the state which needs to be achieved. Raise awareness and consciousness of the issues related to the profession. Discuss about honesty and integrity at workplace. Raise the issue of liability of risks and safety at work place.

### UNIT-1

Constituent Assembly and its functioning - Preamble and Salient features of the constitution of India. Fundamental rights and its limitations- Fundamental duties and its significance.

[04 hours]

# UNIT -2

Directive Principles of State Policy Importance and relevance.

[02 hours]

# UNIT -3

The Union Executive President and Vice President, Prime Minister and Council of Ministers. The Union Parliament -LokSabha & RajyaSabha. The Supreme court of India.

[05 hours]

#### UNIT-4

State Executive - Governors, Chief Ministers and Council of Ministers. State Legislature - Legislative Assembly and Legislative Council. State High Courts. [03 hours]

#### UNIT-5

Constitutional Provisions for Schedule Castes & Schedule Tribes, Women & Children, other backward classes.

[02 hours]

## UNIT-6

Election Commission of India - Powers & Functions, Electoral process in India. Amendment Procedure and important constitutional amendments - 42<sup>nd</sup>, 44<sup>th</sup>, 74<sup>th</sup>, 76<sup>th</sup>, 77<sup>th</sup>, 86<sup>th</sup> and 91<sup>st</sup>. Emergency Provisions.

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#### UNIT-7

Scope and aims of Engineering Ethics, responsibilities of engineers and impediments to responsibility.

[03 hours]

#### **UNIT-8**

Honesty, Integrity and reliability, risks - safety and liability in Engineering. [03 hours]

**COURSE OUTCOMES:** The students are able to recognise the significance of the constitution as the supreme law of the land. They are able to realise negative influence of discrimination on the grounds of religion, race, caste, sex, or place of birth on society. They become aware of the moral obligations as citizens to promote a spirit of patriotism and to uphold the unity of India. A Minimal standard of ethics, responsibilities and duties to protect the welfare and safety of the public is enforced.

### **Text Books:**

- 1. "Understanding the Indian Constitution" by H. M. Rajasekhara, Prabodha Publications, Basaveshwara road, Mysore 570 004.
- 2. "Constitution of India and Professional Ethics" by K. R. Phaneesh, Sudha Publications.
- "Constitution of India and Professional Ethics" by K.K. Ghai & Er. RoohiMakol, Kalyani Publishers.

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