

Total No. of Printed Pages-3]

Roll No. _____

CC(M)

POLITICAL SCIENCE AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

(OPTIONAL)

PAPER - I

[47]

Time Allowed - Three Hours

Maximum Marks-250

INSTRUCTIONS

Please read each of the following Instructions carefully before attempting the paper.

- i) There are eight questions divided in Two Sections and printed in English. Candidate has to attempt Five questions in all. Question No.1 and 5 are compulsory and out of the remaining, any Three are to be attempted choosing at least One question from each Section. The number of marks carried by a question/Part is indicated against it. Answers must be written in English in Question-Cum-Answer(QCA) Booklet in the space provided.*
- ii) Your answer should be precise and coherent.*
- iii) If you encounter any typographical error, please read it as it appears in the text book.*
- iv) Candidates are in their own interest advised to go through the general instructions on the back side of the title page of the Answer Script for strict adherence.*
- v) No continuation sheets shall be provided to any candidate under any circumstances.*
- vi) No blank page be left in between answer to various questions.*

SECTION - A

1. Comment on the following in about 150 words each: (5×10=50)
- (a) Explain the behavioral approach in Political Science. (10)
 - (b) Comment on the concept of “There is Is No Alternative (TINA)” in neoliberal state. (10)
 - (c) Why John Rawls calls justice as fairness? (10)
 - (d) Are liberty and equality incompatible? (10)
 - (e) Explain “Polyarchy” as given by Robert A.Dahl. (10)
2. (a) Examine the relationship between power and hegemony. (20)
- (b) “A State exists for the sake of good life and not for the sake of life only” (Aristotle). Explain. (15)
- (c) Discuss the liberal views on feminism. (15)
3. (a) Discuss J.S Mill’s notion of liberty. (20)
- (b) Write the relevance of Gandhian ideas in the contemporary times. (15)
- (c) Discuss the participatory model of democracy. (15)
4. (a) “John Locke’s theory of right to private property is a justification for modern capitalism”. Elaborate. (20)
- (b) Discuss the neo-Marxian perspective of Gramsci. (15)
- (c) Explain the rules of power politics as given by Machiavelli. (15)

SECTION - B

5. Comments on the following in about 150 words each:- (5×10=50)
- (a) Write a short note on peasants and workers movements during India's freedom struggle. (10)
 - (b) Write down the salient features of Indian Constitution. (10)
 - (c) Elaborate the basic structure doctrine as articulated by Supreme Court of India. (10)
 - (d) Discuss the role of Parliament in law making process. (10)
 - (e) Mention three Contemporary challenges of the Panchayati Raj Institutions in India. (10)
6. (a) Rise of BJP represents another phase of "one party dominance system" in Indian politics. Discuss. (20)
- (b) Comment on the rising centralizing tendencies of Indian federalism. (15)
- (c) Critically analyse the role of NITI Aayog. (15)
7. (a) Discuss Major social movements associated with environmental protection in India and their contributions. (20)
- (b) Discuss liberalization and economic reforms in the context of agriculture and farmers issues. (15)
- (c) State the role of National Human Rights Commission in India. (15)
8. a) Examine the working of Coalition Politics in India since 1989. (20)
- (b) Discuss the success and failures of the Nehruvian model of development. (15)
- (c) The provision of Directive Principles of State Policy is premised on making India a welfare state. Comment. (15)