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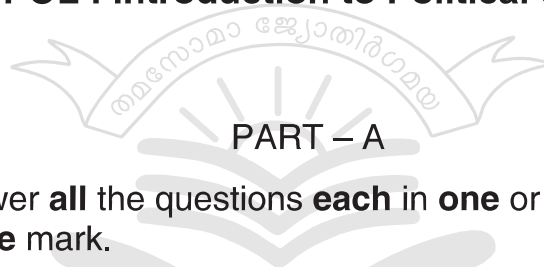Name : ....

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COMPLEMENTARY ELECTIVE COURSE IN POLITICAL SCIENCE FOR ENGLISH
3C05 POL : Introduction to Political Science

Time : 3 Hours   Max. Marks : 40

PART – A

I. Short answer. Answer **all** the questions **each** in **one** or **two** sentences. **Each** question carries **one** mark.

   1) Judicial review.

   2) Describe meaning of the term state.

   3) List out the different types of political parties.

   4) Indirect democracy.

   5) Who gave a systematic conception of the theory of separation of powers ?

   6) Political Culture.   **(6×1=6)**

PART – B

II. Answer **any six** questions **each** in **a** paragraph. **Each** answer carries **two** marks.

   7) Define Political Science.

   8) Narrate the institutional approach in Political Science.

   9) Write any two changes occurred to sovereignty during globalisation.

   10) List out and describe the elements of state.

   11) Discuss any two conditions of a successful democracy.

   12) Define deliberative democracy.

   13) List out the functions of Legislature.

   14) Appraise the importance of interest groups in democracy.   **(6×2=12)**

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PART – C

III. Answer **any four** questions **each** in **120** words. **Each** answer carries **three** marks.

15) Describe the relevance of relationship of political science and other social sciences.

16) Explain the behavioral approach in political science.

17) What do you mean by 'monistic theory of State' ?

18) Briefly narrate social contract theory of John Locke.

19) Evaluate the functions of political parties in a democratic society.

20) Define political socialization and explain briefly about the agents of political socialization. **(4×3=12)**

PART – D

IV. Essay question. Answer **any two, each** answer carries **five** marks.

21) Describe the nature and scope of political science.

22) Analyse the importance of Marxian approach in political science.

23) Explain the theory of separation of powers.

24) Critically examine the direct democratic devices. **(2×5=10)**

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Social Sciences (Optional History)
3C03POL : FOUNDATIONS OF POLITICAL SCIENCE**

Time : 3 Hours   Max. Marks : 40

PART – A

I. Short answer. Answer **all** the questions **each** in **one** or **two** sentences.
    Each question carries **one** mark :

    1) Write the four elements defining a modern state.

    2) What is inner-party democracy ?

    3) What is the Marxist explanation of relations of production ?

    4) What is meant by the Rule of Law ?

    5) What is judicial review ?

    6) What is meant by One-Party Dominant System ?   **(6×1=6)**

PART – B

II. Answer **any six** questions **each** in **a** paragraph. **Each** question carries
     two marks :

    7) How do you differentiate between interest groups and political parties ?
       Write any two differences.

    8) What are the differences between direct democracy and indirect democracy ?

    9) Describe any two major differences between the Parliamentary and
       Presidential systems of government.

    10) Describe any four main functions of the legislature.

11) Elucidate deliberative democracy.

12) Mention the eight "intellectual foundation stones" of behaviouralism.

13) What is the significance of historical method in studying Political Science ?

14) What is meant by "science" in Political Science ? **(6×2=12)**

PART – C

III. Answer **any four** questions **each** in **120** words. **Each** question carries **three** marks :

15) Describe various types of party systems with suitable examples.

16) Explain the features of post-behavioralism.

17) Elucidate the base-superstructure analysis by Marxism.

18) Analyze the subject matter of Political Science.

19) Describe the types of political parties.

20) Differentiate between monist and pluralist theories of sovereignty. **(4×3=12)**

PART – D

IV. Essay question. Answer **any two**. **Each** question carries **five** marks :

21) What are the necessary prerequisites for a successful democracy ? Explain.

22) How judicial review becomes judicial activism ? What are the negative consequences of Judicial activism ? Explain.

23) Analyze the challenges of globalization to state.

24) Describe the interdisciplinary relationship of Political Science with History, Economics, Sociology and Philosophy. **(2×5=10)**

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