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**IV Semester B.A. Degree (C.B.C.S.S.-O.B.E. – Regular/Supplementary/
Improvement) Examination, April 2024
(2019 to 2022 Admissions)**

**COMPLEMENTARY ELECTIVE COURSE IN POLITICAL SCIENCE FOR
ENGLISH**

4C06POL : Foundations of Indian Political System

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

PART – A

I. **Short** answer. Answer **all** the questions. **Each** in **one** or **two** sentences. **Each** answer carries **one** mark. **(6×1=6)**

- 1) Article 32
- 2) National emergency
- 3) Electoral college
- 4) Grama Sabha
- 5) Finance Commission
- 6) Council of States.

PART – B

II. Answer **any six** questions. **Each** in a paragraph. **Each** answer carries **two** marks. **(6×2=12)**

- 7) Drafting committee of the constitution of India.
- 8) Fundamental duties.
- 9) Explain the significance of the fundamental rights.
- 10) Write a note on the Panchayat Raj system in India.

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- 11) Judicial Review in India.
- 12) Rigidity and Flexibility of the Indian Constitution.
- 13) Vice President.
- 14) Define Money bill.

PART – C

III. Answer **any four** questions **each** in **120** words. **Each** answer carries **three** marks. **(4×3=12)**

- 15) What are the basic features of India's constitution ?
- 16) Write a short essay on the directive principles of the state policy.
- 17) Bring out the role and position of the speaker of the Lok Sabha.
- 18) Evaluate the powers and functions of UPSC.
- 19) Explain the right to equality in the constitution of India.
- 20) Discuss the emergency powers of the President of India.

PART – D

IV. **Essay** question. Answer **any two**. **Each** answer carries **5** marks. **(2×5=10)**

- 21) The Preamble is the keystone of the Indian Constitution. Explain.
 - 22) Examine the fundamental rights enshrined in the constitution of India.
 - 23) Discuss the powers and functions of India's Election Commission.
 - 24) Critically examine the role and functions of the governor of a State.
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PART – A

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

- 1) Drafting Committee.
- 2) Bicameral Legislature.
- 3) Habeas corpus.
- 4) Leader of Opposition.
- 5) Gram Sabha.
- 6) Attorney General.

(6×1=6)



PART – B

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

- 7) List out the main components of the Preamble.
- 8) Distinguish between Preventive Detention and Punitive Detention.
- 9) Discuss the composition and functions of Election Commission.
- 10) Distinguish between Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy.

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- 11) How are Civil Services classified in India ?
- 12) What are the privileges enjoyed by the Members of Parliament ?
- 13) What is the procedure of election and removal of Vice President ?
- 14) Discuss the powers and functions of the Speaker of Lok Sabha. (6×2=12)

PART – C

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

- 15) Discuss the Right to Religion provided in Part three of the Constitution.
- 16) Explain the Emergency provisions provided in the Indian Constitution.
- 17) Discuss the powers and functions of the Prime Minister of India.
- 18) Explain how the Constitution of India can be amended.
- 19) Explain the composition and functions of NITI Aayog.
- 20) Discuss the salient features of the 74th Amendment Act of 1992. (4×3=12)

PART – D

IV. Easy question. Answer **any two**. **Each** answer carries **five** marks.

- 21) Discuss the salient features of the Indian Constitution.
 - 22) Discuss the powers and functions of Parliament.
 - 23) Describe the powers and jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of India.
 - 24) Discuss the Unitary features present in the Indian Constitution. (2×5=10)
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**Complementary Elective Course in Political Science for
History, B.A. Social Sciences (Optional History)
4C04 POL : DYNAMICS OF INDIAN POLITICAL SYSTEM**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

PART – A

I. Short answer. Answer **all** the questions **each** in **one** or **two** sentences.
Each answer carries **one** mark. **(6×1=6)**

- 1) Article 370.
- 2) Proportional representation.
- 3) Certiorari.
- 4) Ashok Mehta Committee.
- 5) Republic.
- 6) Cooperative federalism.

PART – B

II. Answer **any six** questions, **each** in a paragraph. **Each** answer carries
two marks. **(6×2=12)**

- 7) Point out the features of Fundamental Duties.
- 8) Distinguish between Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy.

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- 9) Enumerate the functions of the Pro-tem Speaker.
- 10) Identify liberal intellectual principles in Directive Principles of State Policy.
- 11) Explain the importance of Public Interest Litigation.
- 12) Discuss the advisory Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of India.
- 13) What is Hung Parliament ?
- 14) Composition of the Electoral College to elect the Vice President of India.

PART – C

III. Answer **any four** questions **each** in **120** words. **Each** answer carries **three** marks. **(4×3=12)**

- 15) Discuss the composition of the Council of States in India.
- 16) Explain the provision of Writ petitions.
- 17) Explain the basic features of the Indian Constitution.
- 18) Elucidate the Right to Freedom as a fundamental right.
- 19) Analyse the importance of Directive Principles of State Policy in achieving social democracy.
- 20) Discuss the functions of the Finance Commission of India.

PART – D

IV. Essay question. Answer **any two**. **Each** answer carries **5** marks. **(2×5=10)**

- 21) Discuss the features of the 73rd and 74th Constitutional Amendments.
 - 22) 'The Prime Minister is considered to be the cornerstone of the Cabinet Arch'. Discuss.
 - 23) Explain the composition and functions of the Election Commission of India. Also, discuss its role in electoral reforms.
 - 24) What are the major pillars enshrined in the Preamble of the Indian Constitution ?
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4C04POL : Dynamics of Indian Political System**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

PART – A

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

- 1) Secularism
- 2) Constituent Assembly
- 3) Fundamental Duties
- 4) Rigid Constitution
- 5) Ordinance
- 6) Financial Emergency.

(6×1=6)

PART – B

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

- 7) Discuss the main objectives as enshrined in the Preamble of the Indian Constitution.
- 8) List out the Gandhian Principles enshrined in Part IV of the Constitution.
- 9) Mention the composition and functions of Finance Commission.
- 10) Bring out the difference between Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy.
- 11) Explain the Composition of State Legislative Council.
- 12) Is the Indian Parliament Sovereign ? Comment.
- 13) How is the electoral college of Vice President different from that of the President ?
- 14) Discuss the powers and functions of the Speaker of Lok Sabha.

(2×6=12)

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PART – C

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

- 15) Discuss the functions of Indian Parliament.
- 16) Write a brief essay on Judicial Activism in the Indian Context.
- 17) Discuss the powers and functions of the Prime Minister of India.
- 18) Explain how the constitution of India can be amended.
- 19) Explain the Composition and Functions of NITI Aayog.
- 20) Discuss the salient features of the 73rd Amendment Act of 1992. **(3×4=12)**

PART – D

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

- 21) Briefly analyse the salient features of the Indian Constitution.
- 22) President is only the nominal executive; real executive is the Prime Minister. Justify this statement by discussing both the powers of the President and the limitations on the exercise of his power.
- 23) Describe the powers and jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of India.
- 24) Discuss the Unitary features present in the Indian Constitution. **(5×2=10)**

