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(November)

POLITICAL SCIENCE

(Major)

Course : 501

(Political Theory)

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32/24

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

1. Answer the following as directed : 1×8=8

(a) "Political Science is equate with the science of meteorology." It was said by David Easton/Robert Dahl/Lord Bryce/Harold Lasswell.

(Choose the correct option)

(b) Who first used the historical method to the study of Political Science?

(c) The author of the book, *New Aspects of Politics* was Wilson/Charles Merriam/Jean Bodin/Max Weber.

(Choose the correct option)

- (d) Who used the term 'Third World' for the first time?
- (e) "I look upon an increase in the power of the State with greatest fear." It was said by Karl Marx/M. K. Gandhi/Hegel/J. S. Mill.

(Choose the correct option)

- (f) Mention one condition for the successful working of democracy.
- (g) "Power is a psychological relation between those who exercise it and those over whom it is exercised." It was said by D. D. Raphael/H. Morgenthau/Harold Laski/Graham Wallas.

(Choose the correct option)

- (h) Who is the author of the book, *Two Treaties of Civil Government*?

2. Write on any *four* of the following (**within 150 words** each) :

4×4=16

- (a) Socialist democracy
- (b) Marxist ways of defining State
- (c) Decline of State
- (d) Impact of Sarvodaya
- (e) Conditions for the safeguard of liberty of citizen

Answer the following questions (**within 500 words** each) :

3. Discuss critically the philosophical approach to the study of Political Science. 11

Or

Distinguish the traditional approaches and modern approaches to Political Science. 11

4. State and criticise the Marxist theory of State. 6+5=11

Or

Discuss critically the Social Contract theory of Rousseau of the origin of the State. 11

5. What do you mean by equality? "Without economic equality, liberty is meaningless." Explain with proper examples. 4+7=11

Or

Define the concept of power and examine its various sources. 4+7=11

6. What is authoritarian government? What are its characteristics? Discuss. 4+7=11

Or

Explain the differences between Western democracy and Third World democracy. 11

7. What is globalization? Critically discuss the impact of globalization with regard to State sovereignty. 4+8=12

Or

What is Gandhian concept of Satyagraha? Discuss the various techniques of Satyagraha. 4+8=12
