SECOND SEMESTER B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2020
(CUCBCSS – UG)
CC15U PS1 C01/CC15U PS2 C02
POLITICAL SCIENCE: AN INTRODUCTION & IDEAS AND CONCEPTS
(Political Science - Complimentary Course)
(2015 to 2018 Admissions - Supplementary/Improvement)

Time: Three Hours   Maximum: 80 Marks

(Part I and II must be attended separately)

Answers may be written either in English or Malayalam.

SECTION A (Objective Type Questions)
Answer *all* questions. Each question carries ½ mark.

PART 1

Choose the correct answer

1. "Political Science begins and ends with the state". Who said this?

   a) Garris   b) Garner   c) Leacock   d) Seeley

2. Who has written the book "Politics?"

   a) Laski   b) Garner   c) Aristotle   d) Plato

3. Which among the following is an example of Speculative theory?

   a) Patriarchal Theory   b) Force Theory

   c) Social Contract Theory   d) Historical Theory

Fill in the blanks

4. _____ studies the actual working of the Government.

5. Post-Behavioural Movement was propounded by _____

6. The Behaviouralists tried to study political problems with the help of _____

                                                              (6 × ½ = 3 Marks)

PART II

Choose the correct answer:

7. Who is the supporter of the theory of Natural Rights?

   a) Hobbes b) Rousseau c) Locke d) Austin

8. How many duties have been added for the Indian citizen by 42nd Amendment?

    a) 11   b)10   c)15   d) unlimited

9. "The state is people organised for Law within a definite territory". Who said?

    a) G A Almond   b) Woodrow Wilson c) H J Laski   d) David Easton

Fill in the blanks:

10. The book "Social Contract" is written by _____

11. The Black box model of Political System was introduced by _____

12. Legitimate power or influence is generally called _____

(6 × ½ = 3 Marks)

SECTION B (Short Answer Questions)
Answer any *five* questions each from both parts. Each question carries 2 marks.

PART I

13. Define Credo of Relevance.

14. Define Surplus Value.

15. Write a note on Historical approach.

16. Define Human Rights.

17. Explain Political equality.

18. Explain the sources of Law.

(5 × 2 = 10 Marks)

PART II

19. What is Legitimacy?

20. What do you mean by Political culture?

21. What is Political Development?

22. What do you mean by Judicial Review?

23. What is Separation of Powers?

24. How can the Liberty of the individual be safeguarded?

(5 × 2 = 10 Marks)

SECTION C (Short Essay Questions)
Answer any *three* questions each from both parts. Each question carries 5 marks

PART I

25. Define State. What are its essential attributes?

26. What do you mean by influence? Distinguish between power and influence.

27. Rights and Duties are the two sides of the same coin. Discuss.

28. Define Unitary government and discuss its merits and demerits.

(3 × 5 = 15 Marks)

PART II

29. Explain the features of Parliamentary form of Government.

30. Explain Input-Output analysis.

31. Explain Structural-Functional Analysis.

32. Explain the characteristics of Political system.

(3 × 5 = 15 Marks)

SECTION D (Essay Questions)
Answer any *one* question each of both parts. Each question carries 12 marks.

PART I

33. Define Political Science and discuss its nature and scope.

34. Critically evaluate the behavioural revolution in Political Science

(1 × 12 = 12 Marks)

PART II

35. Explain the Pluralistic view of Sovereignty.

36. Explain the features of Judiciary. How can we ensure independence of Judiciary?

(1 × 12 = 12 Marks)

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