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SECOND SEMESTER B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2023

(CBCSS - UG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

**CC19U POL2 C01 - INTRODUCTION TO POLITICAL SCIENCE AND GOVERNMENTAL
STRUCTURE AND PROCESS**

(Political Science - Complementary Course)

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time : 2.5 Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

Credit : 4

Part A (Short answer questions)

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

1. What do you mean by Polis?
2. Classify and define approaches to the study of Political Science
3. What do you mean by Philosophical approach?
4. Define the approaches that comes under "modern approaches"?
5. Write a note on theory of class struggle.
6. Functions of modern State.
7. Popular sovereignty.
8. Challenges to sovereignty in the era of globalisation.
9. Checks and balances.
10. Leaders of two houses of the Parliament.
11. Parliamentary executive.
12. Enumerate the legislative functions of the President.
13. What are the two ways of formation of a Federal State?
14. Define election and electorate.
15. Second Ballot System.

(Ceiling: 25 Marks)

Part B (Paragraph questions)

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

16. Write a note on institutional and legal approaches.

17. Elements of the State.
18. Illustrate how matriarchal theory and patriarchal theory explains the development of the State.
19. What are the merits and demerits of Unitary system?
20. Describe the features of Parliamentary form of government.
21. Functions of political parties.
22. G A Almond's classification of Pressure Groups.
23. Explain Hare system and List system.

(Ceiling: 35 Marks)

Part C (Essay questions)

Answer any *two* questions. Each question carries 10 marks.

24. What is the scope of Political Science?
25. Analyse behaviouralism and post-behaviouralism.
26. Explain the functions of legislature and its organization.
27. How independence of judiciary is ensured in India?

(2 × 10 = 20 Marks)
