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First Semester B.A. Degree Examination, May 2021

First Degree Programme under CSS

SDE

Political Science

Complementary Course : I

PS 1131 : PRINCIPLES OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

(2017 Admission Onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

Instruction : (1) Answer all the four parts.

(2) Answer may be written either in English or Malayalam.

PART – A

Answer in **one** or **two** sentences. Answer **all** questions. **Each** question carries **1** mark.

1. Political Sociology.
2. State.
3. Dialectics.
4. Historical Approach.

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5. Sovereignty.
6. Civic Culture.
7. Political Socialisation.
8. Civil Society.
9. Politics as Human Activity.
10. Empirical Method.

(10 × 1 = 10 Marks)

PART – B

Answer in a paragraph.

Answer any **eight** questions. **Each** question carries **2** marks.

11. Discuss the concept of Power in Politics.
12. What is meant by Political Economy?
13. What Territory is considered as an essential element of State?
14. What is Interdisciplinary approach in Political Science?
15. Examine the relationship between Political Science and Anthropology.
16. Distinguish between Behavioural and Post-Behavioural Approaches.
17. Distinguish between Politics and Political Science.
18. Analyse the differences between Society and State.

19. Discuss the Marxian concept of Classless and Stateless Society.
20. Elucidate the relation between Political System and Political Culture.
21. Explain the meaning of Nationality.
22. List out the major Traditional Approaches in Politics.

(8 × 2 = 16 Marks)

PART – C

Short Essay (Not to exceed 120 words).

Answer any **six** questions. **Each** question carries **4** marks.

23. Assess the significance of the study of Political Science.
24. Write a short essay on Political Socialisation.
25. Explain the 'Credo of Relevance' in Post-Behaviouralism.
26. Define Political Culture. How different Political Cultures which lead to Political Change?
27. Elucidate the role of Civil Society in the Modern State.
28. Examine the evolution of Behaviouralism in Political Science.
29. How Geographical factors influence the process of Politics?
30. Identify the limitations of Traditional Approaches in Politics.
31. Describe the characteristics and elements of Modern State.

(6 × 4 = 24 Marks)

PART – D

Essay Questions.

Answer any **two** questions. **Each** question carries **15** marks.

32. Write an essay on Political Communication.
33. Explain the meaning, nature and scope of Political Science.
34. Critically analyse the Behavioural approach to the study of Political Science.
35. Give an account of the relationship of Political Science with other Social Sciences.

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)