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First Year B.A. Degree Examination, April 2021

Political Science

Part III : Paper I : INDIAN GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 100

PART – A

Answer any two of the following. Each answer carries 15 marks. Answer shall not exceed 450 words.

1. Discuss the role, features and functions of the Union Cabinet.
2. Examine the powers and functions of the Supreme Court of India.
3. Explain the composition and powers of the Election Commission of India.
4. Bring out the major challenges faced by Indian democracy.

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)

PART – B

Answer any eight of the following. Each answer carries 5 marks. Answer shall not exceed 150 words.

5. Discuss the salient features of Indian constitution.
6. 'India is federal in form but unitary in spirit'. Comment.
7. Examine the importance of Public Interest Litigation.

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8. Discuss the powers and functions of the Chief Minister.
9. Analyze the role of regional political parties in India.
10. Discuss the importance of Panchayati Raj Institutions in India.
11. Elucidate human rights issues and challenges in India.
12. Critically examine the role of pressure groups in Indian politics.
13. What are the emergency provisions in the Constitution of India?
14. Describe the significance of Preamble of Indian Constitution.
15. Explain fundamental duties in Indian Constitution.
16. What are the main provisions of Indian Independence Act 1947?

(8 × 5 = 40 Marks)

PART – C

Answer any ten of the following. Each answer carries 3 marks. Answer shall not exceed 90 words.

17. Governor.
18. Communal Politics.
19. Co-operative Federalism.
20. National Party.
21. Interest groups.
22. Child Labour.
23. Ombudsman.
24. NITI Ayog.

25. Coalition Government.
26. No Confidence Motion.
27. 73rd constitution Amendment.
28. Public Accounts Committee.
29. Judicial Review.
30. Article 21A.
31. Mandamus.

(10 × 3 = 30 Marks)
