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# FIRST SEMESTER M.A. DEGREE (REGULAR/SUPPLEMENTARY) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2024

(CBCSS)

### Political Science

### POL1C01—MODERN POLITICAL ANALYSIS AND POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: Three Hours Maximum: 30 Weightage

### **Section A (Short Answer Questions)**

Answer any **four** questions. Each question carries 2 weightage.

- 1. Sociology of politics.
- 2. Workfare state.
- 3. Subject political culture.
- 4. Legitimacy.
- 5. Political participation.
- 6. Max Weber's concept of 'social organisation'.
- 7. Game theory.

 $(4 \times 2 = 8 \text{ weightage})$ 

### **Section B (Short Essay Questions)**

Answer any **four** questions. Each question carries 3 weightage.

- 8. Account for the rise of behavioural movement.
- 9. Examine the relationship between state and society.
- 10. Explain Max Weber's concept of 'Social Action'.
- 11. Bring out the characteristics of political development.
- 12. Explain the concept and process of political socialisation.
- 13. Examine the relationship between power and authority
- 14. Explain post-behaviouralism. Bring out its merits.

 $(4 \times 3 = 12 \text{ weightage})$ 

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### Section C (Essay Questions)

Answer any **two** questions. Each question carries 5 weightage.

- 15. Examine the nature and scope of political sociology as a branch of study.
- 16. Explain the theory of Elitism. Bringouts its relevance and significance.
- 17. Elucidate Gabriel Almond's structural function analysis.
- 18. Make a comparative study of the liberal and Marxian approaches to democracy.

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- 1. Political system.
- 2. Value-free science.
- 3. Communication theory.
- 4. Input structures.
- 5. Manifest political socialisation.
- 6. Liberal democracy.
- 7. Institutional approach to political analysis.

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### **Section B (Short Essay Questions)**

Answer any **four** questions. Each question carries 3 weightage.

- 8. Explain the process of political socialisation.
- 9. Discuss the different types of authority.
- 10. Define political sociology and discuss its nature and scope.
- 11. Distinguish between modernisation and political development.
- 12. What are the motivating factors of political participation?
- 13. Examine the linkage between political participation and democracy.
- 14. Explain Gabriel Almond's structural functional analysis.

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## Section C (Essay Questions)

Answer any **two** questions. Each question carries 5 weightage.

- 15. Assess the contributions of Karl Marx to the growth and development of political sociology.
- 16. Explain post-behaviouralism and its impact on the study of Modern political science.
- 17. Critically examine the theory of Elitism.
- 18. Discuss the different types of political culture.

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