PG Even Semester Exam, 2023

Political Science

2nd Semester

COURSE NO. POLCC-203 (Open Choice)

[Indian Constitution and Government]

Full Marks : 70
Pass Marks : 28

Time : 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

Answer five questions, taking one from each Unit

UNIT-I

1. Explain the composition and role of the Constituent Assembly in framing the constitution of India. 14

2. Discuss the basic philosophy of the Indian constitution as proclaimed in the Preamble. 14

UNIT-II

3. Write a note on Fundamental Rights of the Indian citizens. Bring out the differences between Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy. 5+9=14

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4. What do you mean by Directive Principles of State Policy? How far have the Directive Principles been implemented in actual practice? 14

UNIT-III

5. Discuss the Emergency powers of the President of India. 14

6. Explain the composition, powers and functions of the Supreme Court of India. 14

UNIT-IV

7. How is the Chief Minister of a State appointed? Examine the powers and functions of the Chief Minister of a State in India. 14

8. Discuss the composition, powers and functions of a State Legislative Assembly. 14

UNIT-V

9. Explain the nature of party system in India. Bring out the factors responsible for the growth of regional political parties in India. 14

10. Write short notes on any two of the following: 7+7=14
    a. Ideology and support base of Bharatiya Janata Party
    b. Emerging trends in Indian Party System
    c. Election Commission of India
    d. Coalition politics

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