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First Semester FYUGP Degree Examination, December 2025

Discipline Specific Core Course

POLITICAL SCIENCE

UK1DSCPOS100 - Politics Matters

Academic Level: 100-199

2025-Admission

Time: 2 Hours(120 Mins)

Max. Marks: 56

Part A.6 Marks:Time 5 Minutes.(Cognitive Level :Remember(RE)/Understand(UN)) Objective Type.1 mark each, Answer all questions

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
1	Define the term 'citizen'.	RE	3
2	Social Contract Theory	RE	1
3	State Sovereignty	UN	3
4	Digital divide	UN	4
5	Deep fakes	UN	1
6	Artificial Intelligence (AI)	UN	1

Part B.10 Marks.Time:20 Minutes (Cognitive Level:Understand(UN)/Apply(AP))Two-three sentences.2 marks each.Answer all questions

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
7	Mention any two positive impacts of social media on democracy.	UN	3
8	Explain the challenges to democracy in the digital era.	UN	5
9	Differentiate citizen and Netizen.	AP	1
10	How can you apply the idea of negative freedom to a daily activity where you expect no interference from others or the government?	AP	4
11	What are the different ways citizens can actively engage in governance?	AP	3

Part C.16 Marks.Time:35 Minutes.(Cognitive Level :Apply(AP)/Analyse(AN))Short Answer.4 marks each, Answer all 4 questions,choosing among options * within each question

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
12	A) Prepare a list of Constitutional and Statutory bodies in India OR B) Do you think the tools of digital democracy (such as e-voting, online petitions, or digital public forums) can make government decision-making more transparent?	AP	4, 4
13	A) How would you use fundamental and legal rights in a real situation to protect yourself or someone else? OR B) How does the concept of political participation apply to the rise of modern online activism?	AP	4, 4
14	A) By comparing different views, explain whether the state developed naturally over time or was created by humans for specific purposes. OR B) Analyse Foucault's concept of Power.	AN	2, 2
15	A) Why is power is viewed as an inherent aspect of all social interactions? OR B) Analyse Aristotle's idea of Human beings as social animals.	AN	1, 1

Part D.24 Marks.Time: 60 Minutes.(Cognitive Level :Analyse(AN)/Evaluate(EV)/Create(CR)) Long Answer 6 Marks each.Answer all 4 questions choosing among options * within each question

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
16	A) Analyse the impact of contemporary migration flows on the existing citizenship model. OR B) Analyze the role of Statutory and Constitutional Institutions to create a dynamic and system of Governance	AN	3, 4

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
17	A) Do you agree with the claim that neoliberalism has weakened democratic accountability? Justify your answer. OR B) Evaluate the challenges faced by refugees in securing citizenship rights.	EV	2, 3
18	A) Evaluate the relevance of fundamental rights for a democracy. OR B) Evaluate how power shapes politics in society. Use examples to justify your view.	EV	4, 1
19	A) Propose a model explaining how AI may redefine political participation in the next decade. OR B) Create a policy framework to address the citizenship needs of refugees.	CR	1, 4