

GOVERNMENT DEGREE COLLEGE, NANDIKOTKUR

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

I B.A. - I SEMESTER

TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO POLITICAL SCIENCE

QUESTION BANK

ESSAY QUESTIONS

1. Explain the meaning, nature and scope of political science
2. Describe the approaches to the study of political science
3. Define a state and explain its elements
4. Write about the functions of welfare state
5. Explain the social contract theory of Thomas Hobbes
6. Elucidate the kinds of liberty
7. Explain the important sources of law
8. Write about the different kinds of equality
9. Describe the different kinds of civil rights
10. Explain the important different kinds of theories of rights
11. Write about the important fundamental rights
12. Critically examine the theory of individualism
13. Elucidate the main principles of socialism
14. Critically examine the theory of communism
15. Differences between socialism and communism right over

SHORT QUESTIONS

1. Importance of political science
2. Behavioural approach
3. Political science and economics
4. Government
5. Divine right theory
6. Natural right theory
7. Social contract
8. General will
9. Modern state
10. Political liberty
11. Power and Authority
12. Political rights
13. Right to constitutional remedies
14. Liberalism
15. Anarchism
16. Surplus value
17. Class struggle
18. Representative government

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I B.A. - II SEMESTER

TITLE: BASIC ORGANS OF GOVERNMENT

QUESTION BANK

ESSAY QUESTIONS

1. Explain the origin and evolution of Constitution
2. Differences between written constitution and unwritten constitution
3. Elucidate the theory of separation of powers
4. Write about the powers and functions of legislature
5. Explain the powers of executive
6. Discuss the important powers and functions of judiciary
7. Describe the merits and demerits of federal form of government
8. Differences between unitary form of government and federal form of government
9. Explain the merits and demerits of presidential form of government
10. Differences between parliamentary and presidential form of government
11. Write about the principles of democracy
12. Elucidate the important methods of direct democracy
13. Explain the essential conditions for success of democracy
14. Write about the importance of BJP party
15. Discuss the growth of regional political parties in India
16. Describe the significance of public opinion

SHORT QUESTIONS

1. 1935 Indian act
2. Rigid Constitution
3. Unicameral
4. Real executive
5. Judicial review
6. Unitary government
7. Parliamentary government
8. Single citizenship
9. Independent Judiciary
10. Secular state
11. Indirect democracy
12. Referendum
13. Recall
14. YSRCP
15. DMK
16. Pressure groups
17. Public opinion

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II B.A. - III SEMESTER

TITLE: Indian government and politics

QUESTION BANK

ESSAY QUESTIONS

1. Explain the importance of 1935 Indian act
2. Write about the composition and importance of constituent assembly
3. Discuss the important basic features of Indian constitution
4. Elucidate the important fundamental rights
5. Describe the directive principles of state policy
6. Differences between fundamental rights and directive principles
7. Explain the important powers and functions of a president of India
8. Discuss the powers and functions of Parliament of India
9. Write about the powers and functions of prime minister of India
10. Explain the powers of the governor
11. Describe the powers and functions of chief minister
12. Elucidate the powers and functions of Supreme Court of India
13. Explain the powers and functions of High Court
14. Write about the importance of national judicial appointments commission

SHORT QUESTIONS

1. Indian act of 1919
2. Preamble
3. Constituent assembly
4. Right to constitutional remedies
5. Secular state
6. Written constitution
7. Gandhian principles
8. Kesavananda Bharati case
9. Art 356
10. Rajya sabha
11. Lok Sabha Speaker
12. Coalition politics
13. Council of ministers
14. Court of record
15. Judicial review
16. Judicial activism

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II B.A. - IV. SEMESTER

COURSE-4: INDIAN POLITICAL PROCESS

QUESTION BANK

ESSAY QUESTIONS

1. Explain the main features of Indian federal system
2. Write about the Centre and states relations
3. Elucidate the significance of Sarkaria commission
4. Discuss the powers and functions of the election commission of India
5. Explain the main factors in influencing the voters during the elections
6. Discuss the powers and functions of Zilla parishad chairman
7. Write about the powers of municipal corporation mayor
8. Explain the significance of 73rd Constitutional amendment
9. Discuss the importance of 74th Constitutional amendment
10. Elucidate the role of caste and religion in India
11. Write an essay on politics of reservation and criminalisation of politics
12. Explain the powers and functions of finance commission of India
13. Discuss the powers and functions of Comptroller and auditor general of India
14. Explain the importance of lokpal and lokayukta
15. Write an essay on Central vigilance commission

SHORT QUESTIONS

1. Legislative relations
2. Sarkaria commission
3. MM Punchhi commission
4. Electoral reforms
5. Voting behaviour
6. Gram sarpanch
7. Mandal parishad
8. Chief executive officer of zilla parishad
9. 73rd Constitutional amendment
10. Regionalism
11. Niti Ayog
12. Central information commission
13. Lokayukta
14. Comptroller and auditor general

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II B.A. - IV. SEMESTER

COURSE 5: Western political Thought

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ESSAY QUESTIONS

1. Explain the Plato views on an ideal state
2. Write about the plato justice
3. Elucidate the Aristotle ideas on revolutions
4. Explain the Aristotle views on classification of government
5. Discuss the political ideas of Machiavelli
6. Write an essay on social contract theory of Thomas Hobbes
7. Explain the John Locke theory of natural rights
8. Write about the Rousseau social contract theory
9. Explain the Jeremy Bentham views on the theory of utilitarianism
10. Discuss the JS Mill views on individualism theory
11. Explain the important principles of communism
12. Write about the Saint Augustine theory of two Cities

SHORT QUESTIONS

1. Plato education
2. Plato communism
3. Religion and politics
4. Social contract
5. Natural rights
6. General will
7. Popular sovereignty
8. Bentham Jail reforms
9. Representative government
10. Individualism
11. Surplus value
12. Class struggle
13. Civil society
14. Dialectical materialism
