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Sixth Semester B. A. Degree Examination, April 2023

First Degree Programme under CBCSS

Political Science

Core Course XI

PS 1641 : MODERN POLITICAL THOUGHT

(2017 Admission Onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

- I. Answer **all** questions. Each answer shall not exceed **one** or **two** sentences. Each answer carries **1** mark.
1. Felicific calculus
  2. Class Struggle
  3. Theory of Natural Rights
  4. Individualism by Hobbes.
  5. State of Nature
  6. Idealism
  7. Hegemony
  8. Conservatism.

9. Dialectical Method.

10. Actual will.

(10 × 1 = 10 Marks)

II. Answer any **eight** questions. Each answer shall not exceed one paragraph. Each answer carries **2** marks.

11. Explain Thomas Hobbes views on state of nature.

12. Bring out the major influences of Gandhi in shaping his thought.

13. Bring out the basic principles of Utilitarianism.

14. Write a brief note on Leviathan.

15. Examine Hegel's views on Freedom.

16. Explain the theory of Surplus value.

17. Define the term Satyagraha

18. Describe the term Political Pluralism.

19. What do you meant by Civil Society?

20. Define Social Justice.

21. Explain the term General Will.

22. What is Sumum Bonum?

(8 × 2 = 16 Marks)

III. Answer any **six** questions. Each answer shall not exceed 120 words. Each question carries **4** marks.

23. Describe the Gandhian approach to Conflict Resolution

24. J.S. Mill is considered as the champion of individual liberty, .Discuss.

25. Set forth Gramsci's theory of Hegemony.

26. Write a short essay on Laski's Political pluralism.

27. Describe M.N.Roy's Radical Humanism.

28. Explain Rousseau's doctrine of General Will.
29. Examine Hegel views on State.
30. Illustrate Ambedkar's views on Social Justice.
31. Critically analyses the contributions of Edmund Burke.

(6 × 4 = 24 Marks)

IV. Answer any **two** questions. **Each** answer carries **15** marks.

32. Critically examine Bentham's theory of Utilitarianism.
33. Analyze Gandhian ideas and its relevance in the present century.
34. Describe the main principles of Marxian theory.
35. State and criticize Lockean Social Contract Theory of State.

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)