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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. Conservativism.

- 9. Dialectical Method.
- 10. Actual will.

 $(10 \times 1 = 10 \text{ Marks})$ 

- 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?

 $(8 \times 2 = 16 \text{ Marks})$ 

- 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.

 $(6 \times 4 = 24 \text{ Marks})$ 

- 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.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ Marks})$