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Fifth Semester B.A. Degree Examination, December 2021

First Degree Programme under CBCSS

Political Science

Core Course VII

PS 1542 : ANCIENT AND MEDIEVAL POLITICAL THOUGHT

(2017 Admission)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

PART – A

Answer **all** questions. Each question shall not exceed **one or two** sentences. Each answer carries **1** mark.

1. Rajadharma.
2. The Republic.
3. City State.
4. Purusharthas.
5. Human Law.
6. Virtue is Knowledge.
7. Academy.
8. The Prince.

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9. Philosopher King.

10. Papacy.

(10 × 1 = 10 Marks)

PART – B

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

11. Discuss the major Influences on Plato's Political Thought.

12. Examine the Institutions prevailed in Ancient Greece.

13. Write a note on Plato's concept of Education.

14. Discuss the Nature of Sophists.

15. Write a note on Varna system.

16. Discuss the Classification of Govt. according to Polybius.

17. What is Roman Theory of Law?

18. Write a note on Arthasastra.

19. Discuss Machiavelli's Human Nature.

20. Discuss Aristotle's Concept on Slavery.

21. Explain Kautilya's system of Monarchy.

22. Discuss the Features of Indian Political Thought.

(8 × 2 = 16 Marks)

PART – C

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

23. Discuss the Nature of Greek Political Thought.
24. Critically examine the Platonic Justice.
25. Discuss the Political ideas of Cicero.
26. Write a note on Jean Bodin's Theory of Sovereignty
27. Discuss Aristotle's concept of Revolution.
28. Give an account of the Role of Machiavelli as a Realist.
29. What are the contributions of Roman Political Thought?
30. Critically evaluate the Education System advocated by Plato.
31. Examine the differences between Plato and Aristotle.

(6 × 4 = 24 Marks)

PART – D

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

32. Analyse the Saptanga Theory of State according to Kautilya.
33. Examine the Features of Medieval Political Thought.
34. Discuss Aristotle's theory of State and Government.
35. Analyse the conception and Classification of Laws of St. Thomas Aquinas.

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)