

2022

(CBCS)

(5th Semester)

POLITICAL SCIENCE

FIFTH PAPER

(Western Political Thought)

Full Marks : 75

Time : 3 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

(SECTION : A—OBJECTIVE)

(Marks : 10)

Tick (✓) the correct answer in the brackets provided :

1×10=10

1. In Plato's theory of justice, a perfect state must have

- (a) 2 virtues ()
- (b) 3 virtues ()
- (c) 4 virtues ()
- (d) 5 virtues ()

2. Who is the Father of Political Science?

- (a) Plato ()
- (b) Aristotle ()
- (c) Karl Marx ()
- (d) Socrates ()

3. In *The Two Cities* written by St. Augustine, the two cities mentioned are
 (a) city of Rome and Constantinople ()
 (b) city of God and Earth ()
 (c) city of Israel and Palestine ()
 (d) None of the above ()
4. *The Prince* is the work of
 (a) Plato () (b) Aristotle ()
 (c) Bentham () (d) Machiavelli ()
5. "The state of nature was solitary, brutish, poor, nasty and short." Who said this?
 (a) Hobbes () (b) Locke ()
 (c) Rousseau () (d) J. S. Mill ()
6. *Two Treatises of Government* was written by
 (a) Hobbes () (b) Locke ()
 (c) Machiavelli () (d) St. Augustine ()
7. Who is the most typical utilitarian?
 (a) St. Augustine () (b) J. S. Mill ()
 (c) Hegel () (d) Jeremy Bentham ()
8. "Individual has no right against the states." Whose statement is this?
 (a) Marx () (b) Hegel ()
 (c) Locke () (d) Machiavelli ()
9. According to Karl Marx, the state is
 (a) a necessary evil ()
 (b) an instrument of class exploitation ()
 (c) a necessary good ()
 (d) None of the above ()
10. *The Subjection of Women* was written by
 (a) J. S. Mill () (b) Plato ()
 (c) Rousseau () (d) Machiavelli ()

(SECTION : B—SHORT ANSWER)

(Marks : 15)

Write on/Answer the following in about 5 sentences each :

3×5=15

UNIT—I

1. Plato's concept of justice

OR

2. Aristotle's concept of slavery

UNIT—II

3. Discuss St. Augustine concept of two cities.

OR

4. Explain Machiavelli's view on religion and morality.

UNIT—III

5. Explain social contract theory of Hobbes.

OR

6. Explain social contract theory of Locke.

UNIT—IV

7. Bentham's three factors of measurements of happiness or felicity

OR

8. J. S. Mill on liberty

UNIT—V

9. Discuss Hegel's concept of dialectics.

OR

10. Discuss Marx's theory of surplus value.

(SECTION : C—DESCRIPTIVE)

(Marks : 50)

Answer the following :

10×5=50

UNIT—I

1. Examine Plato's ideal state.

OR

2. Examine Aristotle's classification of constitution.

UNIT—II

3. Discuss St. Augustine ideas of separation of church and state.

OR

4. Discuss Machiavelli's view on state.

UNIT—III

5. Discuss Locke's limited government.

OR

6. Explain social contract theory of Rousseau.

UNIT—IV

7. Discuss Bentham's theory of utilitarianism.

OR

8. Discuss J. S. Mill's view on democracy.

UNIT—V

9. Explain Hegel's idea of state.

OR

10. Discuss Marx's theory of dialectical materialism.
