

**2022/TDC(CBCS)/EVEN/SEM/
PLSDSC/GEC-201T/030**

TDC (CBCS) Even Semester Exam., 2022

POLITICAL SCIENCE

(2nd Semester)

Course No. : PLSDSC/GEC-201T

(Indian Government and Politics)

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 28

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

SECTION—A

Answer any *twenty* questions : 1×20=20

1. Is the Preamble a part of the Constitution?
2. Who described the Indian Constitution as a lawyers' paradise?
3. Which Article of the Constitution provides for Fundamental Duties of citizens?
4. Which Article authorizes the High Courts to issue Writs?

5. How many languages are recognized in the Eighth Schedule of the Constitution?
6. How many seats are allotted to Assam in the Lok Sabha?
7. Who can convene the joint sitting of the two Houses of the Parliament?
8. Can the Rajya Sabha be dissolved? Write Yes or No.
9. At what age can a judge of the Supreme Court retire?
10. Can the term of the Lok Sabha be extended?
11. Who said, "You cannot build anything on the foundations of caste"?
12. How many Varnas are there in Hindu society?
13. Who is the author of the book, *Caste in Indian Politics*?
14. Who are 'bullock capitalists'?
15. Which Article of the Indian Constitution prohibits discrimination on the basis of caste, colour, religion, etc.?
16. Who was the founder of the Indian National Congress?
17. In which year was the Anti-Defection Law passed in India?
18. Give the full form of NDA.
19. Who led the Narmada Bachao Andolan?

20. In which State did the Tebhaga Movement take place?
21. Who was the architect of the Green Revolution?
22. Who is the founder of Human Development Report (HDR)?
23. In which year was the Planning Commission replaced by NITI Aayog?
24. Who gave the speech 'tryst with destiny'?
25. Who was the Finance Minister when India adopted the new economic reforms?

SECTION—BAnswer any *five* questions :

2×5=10

26. Mention any two features of the Objectives Resolution, 1946.
27. Write two freedoms enlisted in the Article 19 of the Indian Constitution.
28. Mention any two qualifications of judge of the High Courts.
29. Mention two special powers of the Rajya Sabha.
30. Define class.
31. Suggest two steps which can be taken for controlling communalism in India.
32. Name two regional political parties of India.
33. What is social movement?

34. What is PPP model?
35. Define Nehruvian model of development.

SECTION—C

Answer any *five* questions : 8×5=40

36. Briefly explain the salient features of the Indian Constitution.
37. Explain the basic features of the Directive Principles of State Policy.
38. Explain the emergency powers of the President of India.
39. Explain the composition and functions of the Lok Sabha.
40. What is secularism? Discuss the constitutional provisions relating to secularism in India. 2+6=8
41. Define caste. Explain the role played by caste in power structure in India. 2+6=8
42. What are the causes of the growth of regional political parties in India?
43. Write a note on Workers' Movements in India.
44. What were the causes of India's economic crisis? How did the Government of India respond to this crisis? 4+4=8
45. Critically evaluate the new economic reforms adopted by India.

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