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ASSIGNMENT QUESTION PAPER FOR BACKLOG STUDENTS
(2017-2021 BATCH)
M.A. (FINAL) POLITICS
ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS
PAPER –I: RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

(20 Marks)

1. Define the Nature of Social Science Research.
2. What are the objectives of Political Research?
3. Examine the requirements of Hypothesis.
4. Write an essay on Research Design.
5. Discuss different types of survey methods.
6. Discuss various kinds of sampling Techniques.
7. Define the methods of statistics.
8. What are the advantages of descriptive analysis?
9. Write about correlation Techniques.
10. Elucidate the principals involved in "Report Writing"



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PAPER -II: CONFLICT RESOLUTION: POLICIES AND PERFORMANCE OF
INSTITUTION

(20 Marks)

1. Explain how policy acts as an instrument of conflict resolution.
2. Examine political culture as determinant of public policy.
3. Discuss Lind Blom's incremental model of policy analysis.
4. Explain the importance of rational comprehensive model of policy analysis.
5. What are the roles of judiciary in policy making?
6. Explain the role of Legislature in policy making process.
7. Explain the role of public opinion in policy making.
8. Examining the functioning of Press Council of India.
9. Write a critical essay on Reservation policy of India.
10. Examining the techniques of evaluating public policies.



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PAPER -III: COMPARTIVE POLITICS

(20 Marks)

1. Examine the importance of the study of Comparative Politics.
2. Explain the Traditional Approach to the study of Comparative Politics.
3. What do you mean by liberal Democracy?
4. State the functions of Legislature.
5. Examine the social agents of Political Socialization.
6. Define the causes of Secularization.
7. Discuss the concept of Political Development.
8. Explain the contribution of Gabriel Almond to comparative politics.
9. Write an essay on Political Participation.
10. Define the concept of Globalization.



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PAPER -IV: THOERY OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

(20 Marks)

1. Write an essay on realist theory.
2. Discuss the scope of International Relations.
3. State the importance of Decision-Making theory.
4. Define the elements of National Power.
5. What is the meant by New International Economic Order?
6. Write an essay on Regional Organizations in International Relations.
7. Explain the achievements of U.N.O.
8. How U.N. Protects Human Rights?
9. Write an essay on Globalization.
10. Suggest remedial measures to solve environmental problems.



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PAPER –V (A): INDIA’S FOREIGN POLICY

(20 Marks)

1. What is the relationship between National Interest and Foreign Policy?
2. Write an essay on India’s Foreign policy under colonialism.
3. Bring out an essay on India-Pakistan relations with reference to Terrorism, Kashmir and recent issue.
4. Analyze India-Bhutan relations relating to evaluation Challenges and recent developments.
5. India and North Korea have growing trade and diplomatic relations- Discuss.
6. Explain the relationship between India and Indonesia.
7. What is the recent positive development in India-Russia ties?
8. Examine the recent trends in India and France relations.
9. What is behind the tensions in U.S India relations ?
10. Bring out an essay on historical background India’s relation with South Africa?



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PAPER –V (B): COMPARTIVE ANALYSIS OF SELECT ASIAN COUNTRIES
(20 Marks)

1. Compare and contrast India and China Political System.
2. Analyze the cultural dimension between India and China
3. Discuss the Socio-economic aspect of India and Japan.
4. Explain the powers and functions of Prime Minister of Japan.
5. Narrate the Geographical difference between India and Indonesia.
6. Write a note on Political System of Philippines.
7. Explain the political system of Korea and Thailand.
8. Discuss the economic dimension of Korea and India.
9. Bring out an essay on economic development of Singapore
10. Analyze the cultural dimension of India and Malaysia.