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I Semester B.A. Degree (C.B.C.S.S. – O.B.E. – Regular/Supplementary/
Improvement) Examination, November 2022
(2019 Admission Onwards)

COMPLEMENTARY ELECTIVE COURSE IN POLITICAL SCIENCE
1C01POL : Principles of Political Science

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

PART – A

I. Short Answer. Answer **all** the questions each in **one** or **two** sentences.
Each answer carries **one** mark.

- 1) Political Culture.
- 2) Political Socialisation.
- 3) Rule of law.
- 4) Judicial review.
- 5) Sovereignty.
- 6) Meaning of democracy.

(1×6=6)

PART – B

II. Answer **any six** questions in a paragraph. Each answer carries **two** marks.

- 7) What is Institutional approach in political science ?
- 8) Meaning of the term 'Politics'.
- 9) Explain Marxian concept of State.
- 10) Define monistic theory of sovereignty.
- 11) Evaluate population as an element of state.
- 12) Define deliberative democracy.
- 13) What is Plebiscite ?
- 14) Importance of Democracy.

(2×6=12)

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PART – C

III. Answer **any four** questions each in **120** words. Each answer carries **three** marks.

- 15) Write a brief note on Dialectical materialism.
- 16) Trace out the relation between Political Science and History.
- 17) Importance of interest groups in politics.
- 18) Explain the theory of separation of powers.
- 19) Analyse the impact of globalisation on sovereignty.
- 20) List out conditions for a successful democracy.

(3×4=12)

PART – D

IV. Essay question. Answer **any two**. Each answer carries **five** marks.

- 21) Explain the nature and scope of political science.
- 22) Describe political parties and list out its classifications.
- 23) Briefly explain the executive and its functions.
- 24) Describe behavioural approach and list out major criticisms of behaviouralism.

(5×2=10)