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**First Semester B.A. Degree (C.B.C.S.S. – OBE – Supplementary/  
Improvement) Examination, November 2024  
(2019-2023 Admission)  
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) Institutional approach.
- 2) External sovereignty.
- 3) Participatory democracy.
- 4) Democracy and its meaning.
- 5) Political culture.
- 6) Interest articulation.

(1×6=6)

## PART – B

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

- 7) Political science and sociology.
- 8) Write a short note on Marxist approach.
- 9) Write a note on post-behaviouralism.
- 10) Explain Monistic theory of sovereignty.
- 11) Hobbes on social contract.
- 12) Write a note on population as an element of state.
- 13) Write a note on judicial review.
- 14) What is an interest groups ?

(2×6=12)

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## PART – C

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

- 15) Trace out the relationship between political science and history.
- 16) What is direct democracy and list out its devices.
- 17) What are the basic requisites of democracy ?
- 18) Examine the merits and demerits of representative democracy.
- 19) Examine the merits and demerits of bi-cameral legislature.
- 20) What is political socialization and list out its agents.

(3×4=12)

## PART – D

IV. Essay questions. Answer **any two**, **each** answer carries **5** marks.

- 21) Define political science and examine its nature and scope.
- 22) What do you mean by behavioral approach and examine major criticisms levelled against it.
- 23) Define state and examine the role played by evolutionary theory for the origin of state.
- 24) Briefly explain the legislature and list out its functions.

(5×2=10)