



# BOARD QUESTION PAPER : MARCH 2022

## POLITICAL SCIENCE

**Time: 3 Hrs.****Max. Marks: 80****Note:**

- (1) All questions are compulsory.
- (2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
- (3) Start answer to every new question on new page.

**Q.1. (A) Choose the correct alternative from the brackets and complete the following statements: (5) [20]**

- (1) The Berlin wall was demolished in the year \_\_\_\_\_. [1990, 1989, 2005, 1975]
- (2) The United Nations 'Decade for \_\_\_\_\_' began in the year 1976. [Health, Women, Peace, Children]
- (3) Terrorist organisations are motivated by an abstract \_\_\_\_\_ ideology. [democratic, religious, socialist, liberal]
- (4) The \_\_\_\_\_ revolution was perhaps the most important revolution in the field of technology. [facebook, whatsapp, Instagram, internet]
- (5) \_\_\_\_\_ Act came into force since 2005 in India. [Right to Education, Right to Information, Lokpal and Lokayukta, Consumer Protection]

**(B) Identify the incorrect pair in every set, correct it and rewrite: (3)**

- (1) (A) WTO – World Trade Organisation  
(B) GATT – General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade  
(C) N.G.O – Protection of the Human Rights
- (2) (A) Deforestation – Fall in global temperature  
(B) Greenhouse gas – Pollution  
(C) Drought – Water scarcity
- (3) (A) Non-Alignment – Principle of India's Foreign Policy  
(B) Burma – Ceylon  
(C) Border dispute – India and China

**(C) Complete the following statements by using the appropriate options: (4)**

- (1) One of the important trends in the post 1989 international relations was \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) end of bipolarity (B) rise of regionalism in Asia  
(C) end of Non-alignment
- (2) Farakka agreement is about sharing of river waters between India \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) and Bangladesh (B) and Pakistan  
(C) and Nepal
- (3) The term "Capitalist market economy" is used \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) to describe the system in India (B) to describe the system in China  
(C) to describe the system in United States of America
- (4) Today, the Indian approach to gender issues \_\_\_\_\_.  
(A) focuses on education (B) focuses on development  
(C) focuses on empowerment

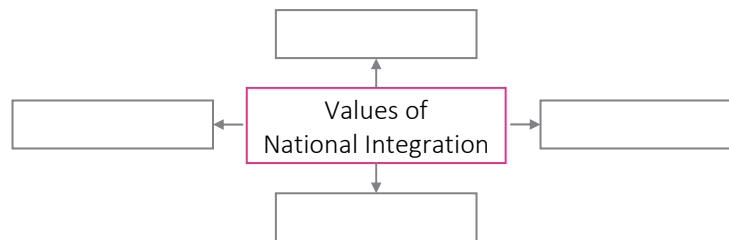
**(D) State the appropriate concept for the given statements: (4)**

- (1) Company operating in several countries in the world.
- (2) Policy of a country to establish, maintain and develop relations with the rest of the world.
- (3) Use of violence with an intention to create panic in the society and pursue political and ideological goals.
- (4) A state of an individual, family or society where people are unable to provide for their basic necessities of life.



- (E) Find the odd word in the given set and write: (4)
- (1) Nepal, Bhutan, India, Germany.
  - (2) linguism, regionalism, nationalism, communalism.
  - (3) peace, economic development, instability, public welfare.
  - (4) unipolarity, bipolarity, globalisation, multipolarity.

- Q.2. (A) Complete the concept map: (4) [9]



- (B) Observe the given map and answer the following questions: (5)
- (1) State/mention any 'five' newly created countries after disintegration of Soviet Union.



- Q.3. State whether the following statements are True or False with reasons (Any FIVE): [10]
- (1) The decade of 1980s is seen as the golden age of humanitarian intervention.
  - (2) National commission for woman was setup to protect rights of women in India.
  - (3) Non-state actors have become irrelevant in the age of globalisation.
  - (4) Modernisation of Indian economy meant industrialisation.
  - (5) Charu Majumdar is associated with Khalistan movement.
  - (6) Lokayukta can investigate against political executive.
  - (7) The Sagarmala project is more comprehensive road connectivity plan.

- Q.4. Explain the correlation between the following (Any THREE): [9]
- (1) Hard Power and Soft Power.
  - (2) Globalisation and Culture.
  - (3) Women Empowerment and Sustainable Development.
  - (4) National Unity and Regional Aspirations.
  - (5) Good Governance and E-Governance.

- Q.5. Express your opinion in 25 to 30 words on the following (Any THREE): [12]
- (1) Maintaining peace in the world is an important function of United Nations.
  - (2) Effective measures are needed to control pollution.
  - (3) Peace and stability are needed for the nation's progress.
  - (4) Right to information is a key to strengthen democracy.
  - (5) Relations between India and China are complex in nature.



**Q.6. Answer the following questions in 80 to 100 words (Any TWO):** [10]

- (1) Discuss the important concerns associated with environment.
- (2) Describe the role of the state towards achieving the objective of economic development and social change.
- (3) Explain any five values of good governance.
- (4) Write on various commissions setup to safeguard the rights of different sections of the society.

**Q.7. Answer the following questions in 150 to 200 words with reference to the given points (Any ONE):** [10]

- (1) Explain in detail the political issues in the context of globalisation.
  - (a) Meaning of globalisation.
  - (b) Importance of democracy.
  - (c) Position of the state.
  - (d) Non-state actors.
  - (e) Human Rights.
- (2) Explain in detail the factors influencing Indian foreign policy.
  - (a) Geography
  - (b) History
  - (c) Economy
  - (d) Polity
  - (e) International system