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B.A DEGREE (CBCS) EXAMINATION, AUGUST 2021

Third Semester

Core Course - PS3CRT04 - POLITICAL THOUGHT: INDIAN TRADITIONS

Common to B.A Political Science Model I & B.A Political Science Model II Mass Communication
and Journalism

2017 Admission Onwards

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Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

Part A

*Answer any **ten** questions.*

*Each question carries **2** marks.*

1. Explain the meaning of the term Upanishads. Give examples.
2. Identify the significance of foreign policy mentioned in Arthasashtra.
3. Explain the meaning of the term 'Durga'.
4. Explain briefly about Raja Ram Mohan Roy.
5. Describe the term 'Dalits'.
6. Explain briefly about Pandita Rama Bhai.
7. Describe Ambedkar's views on Social Justice.
8. Evaluate Ambedkar's idea of human dignity.
9. Describe briefly on MN Roy's views on materialism.
10. Explain Tagore's views on Social Justice.
11. 'Tagore is a Universalist'. Explain.
12. E V Ramaswamy fought against social injustice. Explain.

(10×2=20)

Part B

*Answer any **six** questions.*

*Each question carries **5** marks.*





13. Briefly describe the development of Indian Political Thought.
14. Compare the views on casteism of Buddhism and Hinduism.
15. Explain the major contributions of Raja Ram Mohan Roy towards the Renaissance of India.
16. Vivekananda's ideal society is a blend of Indian spirituality and Western modernity. Explain.
17. Discuss Gandhi's views on Swaraj .
18. Briefly discuss the techniques of satyagraha.
19. List out the major areas on which Jaya Prakash Narayan's Total Revolution based on.
20. Discuss on Iqbal's contribution to reconstruction of religious thought.
21. Discuss on Aurobindo views on complete political independence of India.

(6×5=30)

Part C

*Answer any **two** questions.*

*Each question carries **15** marks.*

22. Explain Syncretic traditions with relevant examples from Indian Political Thought.
23. Explain the notion Ideal Society in the light of Swami Vivekananda's thoughts.
24. Examine the contributions of Ram Manohar Lohia to Indian political thought.
25. Examine the thoughts of Sri Narayana Guru on fraternity and humanity.

(2×15=30)

