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**B.A DEGREE (CBCS) REGULAR / IMPROVEMENT / REAPPEARANCE
EXAMINATIONS, DECEMBER 2023**

First Semester

**Core Course - PS1CRT01 - METHODOLOGY AND PERSPECTIVES OF POLITICAL
SCIENCE**

(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. Analyse the concept Modernity.
2. Explain Euro-Centrism.
3. Prepare a short note on commodification of knowledge.
4. Explain the meaning of Epistemology.
5. Define the concept rationalism.
6. Explain the term empiricism.
7. Examine the subject matter of History.
8. Define Political Science.
9. Define Public Policy.
10. List out the methods used in quantitative research.
11. Explain briefly the concept 'Rights'.
12. Examine the concept of universal adult franchise.

(10×2=20)





Part B

*Answer any **six** questions.
Each question carries **5** marks.*

13. Describe the term 'social science'.
14. What are the challenges of Globalisation?
15. Discuss the characteristics of positivism.
16. Draw the difference between positivism and post-positivism.
17. Assess the ontological background of modern social sciences.
18. Distinguish between normative and empirical enquires in Politics.
19. Discuss how post behaviouralism is different from behaviouralism?
20. India has attained political liberty but not yet social liberty. Analyse.
21. Explain the concept Justice.

(6×5=30)

Part C

*Answer any **two** questions.
Each question carries **15** marks.*

22. Critically examine the role of Enlightenment in the development of Social Science.
23. Discuss objectivity and subjectivity in social sciences. Do you agree that there be a social science which is free from values?
24. Explain briefly the history of Political Science in the West and in India.
25. Discuss the concept freedom and its various types.

(2×15=30)

