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**B.A DEGREE (CBCS)REGULAR / REAPPEARANCE EXAMINATIONS, APRIL 2022**

**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

**For Regular Candidates : 2017 Admission Onwards**

**For Private Candidates : 2020 Admission Only**

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Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

**Instructions to Private candidates only:** This question paper contains **two sections**. Answer **SECTION I** questions in the answer-book provided. **SECTION II**, Internal examination questions must be answered in the question paper itself. Follow the detailed instructions given under **SECTION II**

**SECTION I**

**Part A**

Answer any **ten** questions.

Each question carries **2** marks.

1. Define the concept Political Thought.
2. Explain the term Shramanism.
3. Describe the term 'Shariyat'.
4. Discuss on the advantages of British rule in India enuntiated by Raja Ram Mohan Roy.
5. Describe the term 'Chaturvarna'.
6. Explain briefly on the philosophy of Neo Vedanta according to Vivekananda.
7. Analyse Gandhi's views on Swaraj.
8. Analyse Nehru's concept of secularism.
9. Describe Ambedkar's views on Social Justice.
10. Illustrate the significance of syncretism.
11. Explain Tagore's views on Cosmopolitan humanism.
12. Discuss on Iqbal's famous lecture on Islamic modernism.

(10×2=20)





### Part B

Answer any **six** questions.

Each question carries **5** marks.

13. Describe the art of governance in Kautilya's Arthasasthra.
14. Describe the syncretic elements in Kabir's philosophy.
15. Describe Vivekananda criticism of the caste system in India?
16. Vivekananda was a champion of liberty and equality. Explain.
17. Briefly analyse M N Roy's interpretation of Marxism.
18. Analyse the socialist philosophy of Ram Manohar Lohia.
19. List out the major areas on which Jaya Prakash Narayan's Total Revolution based on.
20. Examine the role played by Sri Narayana Guru in establishing social justice in Kerala.
21. Describe briefly on Ain-i-akbari

### Part C

Answer any **two** questions.

Each question carries **15** marks.

22. Discuss briefly on pre- colonial Indian Political Thought.
23. Examine the role of Pandita Ramabai in the emancipation of women.
24. Was Gandhi primarily a Political figure or a social reformer? Defend your answer.
25. Examine the views of E V Ramaswamy on rationalism and social Justice.

(2×15=30)

