



'সমানো মন্ত্র: সমিতি: সমানী'

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

B.A. Honours Part-II Examination, 2022

POLITICAL SCIENCE

PAPER-III

REVISED NEW SYLLABUS

Time Allotted: 4 Hours

Full Marks: 100

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

GROUP-A

Answer five questions taking at least two from each Half

FIRST HALF

1. Discuss the constitutional and political significance of the Preamble to the Constitution of India. What are the significant changes brought about by the 42nd Amendment to the Constitution? 10+6
2. Critically discuss the nature of the Right to Equality guaranteed under the Constitution of India. 16
3. Discuss the nature of Indian Federalism with special reference to the centralising tendencies. 16
4. Examine the powers and functions of the Supreme Court of India. 8+8
5. Discuss the procedure for the Amendment of the Constitution of India under Article-368. 16

SECOND HALF

6. What is a regional party? Examine the role of regional parties in Indian politics. 4+12
7. Examine the influence and role of the organised business groups in the decision making process in Indian politics. 16

8. What is communalism? How does communalism affect Indian politics? 4+12
9. Give an account of the safeguards for the SCs and STs provided by the Constitution of India. 16
10. What is 'Nation Building'? What are the problems of nation building in India? 4+12

GROUP-B

11. Write short notes on any *four* of the following: 5×4 = 20
- (a) Objectives of the Constituent Assembly
 - (b) Fundamental Duties of the Indian citizens
 - (c) Discretionary powers of the Governor
 - (d) Speaker of the Lok Sabha
 - (e) Electoral reforms
 - (f) Meaning of regionalism
 - (g) Three Language formula
 - (h) National Development Council.

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