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Time: 3 Hours

Weightage: 30

Part A (Short Answer Questions)

Answer any **eight** questions.

Weight **1** each.

1. Summarise feed back
2. Narrate classless society
3. Write a note on Interest Group.
4. Write a note on classification of Political Parties by Maurice Duverger.
5. What you mean by Collective Responsibility?
6. What you mean by Social Democracy?
7. Write a Note on Stalin's collectivisation programme
8. What do you mean by Arab spring?
9. Differentiate between Mills' concept of 'power elite' and Marx's concept of 'ruling class'.
10. Discuss the main features of the Canadian Multiculturalism Act, 1988.

(8×1=8 weightage)

Part B (Short Essay/Problems)

Answer any **six** questions.

Weight **2** each.

11. Bring out drawbacks of institutional approach
12. Discuss the different indicators of Political Modernization.





13. Discuss the Characteristics of Political Socialisation.
14. Discuss the advantages of Presidential System.
15. Explain the features of modernism
16. What was the role of clergy in French society during 18 th century?
17. How do the views of pluralists on the policy making process differ from the elitist perspectives?
18. "Networks have become the predominant organisational form of every domain of human activity" (Manuel Castells). Explain.

(6×2=12 weightage)

Part C (Essay Type Questions)

*Answer any **two** questions.*

Weight 5 each.

19. Explain the development of Comparative Politics
20. Elaborate the features of the Federal System.
21. Explain relevance of Khomeini's teachings in Muslim fundamentalism
22. Examine Milovan Djilas' theory of New Class.

(2×5=10 weightage)

