

**MA SOCIOLOGY
SECOND SEMESTER (REPEAT)
POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY
MSO-205**

**SET
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[USE OMR SHEET FOR OBJECTIVE PART]

Duration: 3 hrs.

Full Marks: 70

Time: 30 mins.

Marks: 20

(Objective)

1 × 20 = 20

Choose the correct answer from the following:

- The theory of Scientific Socialism is largely based on the teachings of:
 - Adam Smith
 - Karl Marx
 - John Locke
 - Aristotle
- In Politics, Behavioralism started in the:
 - 20th century
 - 17th century
 - 19th century
 - 18th century
- The founders of Totalitarian States were inspired by:
 - Organic unit
 - Legal notion
 - Ethical notion
 - Welfare notion
- Who said, "Pressure group as a private association formed to influence public policy"?
 - Richard. D. Lambert
 - Max Weber
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 - V.O. Key
- Who defines "A political culture is a pattern of individual values, beliefs and emotional attitudes"?
 - Eric Rowe
 - Samuel Beer
 - R. Rose
 - A.R Ball
- Participation is an important element of every:
 - Oligarchical System
 - Monarchial System
 - Aristocratic System
 - Democratic System
- According to..... "Authority is often defined as being power, the power to command obedience".
 - Maclver
 - Robert Dahl
 - Lasswell
 - V.V Dyke
- The source of maximum income to Panchayati Raj institution is:
 - Local taxes
 - Share in Union Govt. revenue
 - Government grants
 - Regional funds
- The Ashok Mehta Committee laid greater emphasis on:
 - Zila Parishad
 - Taluk Panchayat Samiti
 - Mandal Panchayat
 - Gram Sabha

10. Who is the author of the book "Caste and Indian Politics"?
 - a. Yogendra Singh
 - b. Rajni Kothari
 - c. A.K. Mukhopadhyaya
 - d. Mahatma Gandhi
11. Karl Marx gives to the social class the basis of:
 - a. Economic interpretation
 - b. Idealism
 - c. Materialism
 - d. Spiritualism
12. According to..... "Political sociology is the study of political behaviour within a sociological perspective of framework".
 - a. Spencer
 - b. Robert E. Dowse and John A. Hughes
 - c. Aristotle
 - d. Michal Rush and Philip Althoff
13. According to....." Political Sociology is concerned with the explanation of the peculiar social structure called the state".
 - a. Bendix and Lipset
 - b. Greer and Orleans
 - c. Maurice Duverger
 - d. Karte Nash
14. Who said " Democracy is a form of government in which everybody has a share"?
 - a. Prof. Seeley
 - b. Aristotle
 - c. Lord Bryce
 - d. Abraham Lincoln
15. According to..... "Political Culture is the pattern of individual attitudes and orientations towards politics among the members of a political system".
 - a. Almond and Powell
 - b. Karte Nash
 - c. Bendix and Lipset
 - d. Maurice Duverger
16. Who is the author of the book, 'The Power Elite'?
 - a. Roberto Michels
 - b. Vilfredo Pareto
 - c. Genato Mosca
 - d. C. Wright Mills
17. According to..... "Political socialization is the process by which political cultures are maintained and changed".
 - a. Almond and Powell
 - b. C. Wright Mills
 - c. Max Weber
 - d. Rousseau
18. According to..... "Power is to centralize, regulate or direct the behavior of persons or thongs".
 - a. Robert Dahl
 - b. Lasswell
 - c. V.V Dyke
 - d. Maclver
19. Who is to conduct the elections to the Panchayats and Municipalities?
 - a. State Government
 - b. Central Government
 - c. State Election Commission
 - d. Central Election Commission
20. Which one of the following article of the Constitution of India makes a Specific mention of Village Panchayats?
 - a. Article 40
 - b. Article 19
 - c. Article 21
 - d. Article 14

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(Descriptive)

Time : 2 hr. 30 mins.

Marks : 50

[Answer question no.1 & any four (4) from the rest]

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| 1. Define political sociology. Discuss the nature and scope of Political Sociology. | 10 |
| 2. Define Power Elite. Discuss the kinds of Elite. | 3+7=10 |
| 3. Describe the organization and progress of Panchayati Raj institutions in India and examine the extent to which they serve as instruments of rural reconstruction and rural development. | 10 |
| 4. What do you mean by political socialization? Discuss the various agencies of political socialization. | 3+7=10 |
| 5. "Behaviouralism is regarded as a turning point in the history of political science and it has been widely acclaimed as a great revolution which has transformed the goals, nature, scope, methodology, and theoretical formulations of political science". Comment. | 10 |
| 6. What do you mean by political culture? Explain the significance and agencies of political culture. | 3+7=10 |
| 7. Elucidate the concept of Pressure Group. Discuss various pressure groups active in Indian politics. | 4+6=10 |
| 8. Explain how caste plays a crucial role in Indian politics. | 10 |

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