

**BA POLITICAL SCIENCE
FIRST SEMESTER [REPEAT]
UNDERSTANDING POLITICAL THEORY
BAP – 103**

**SET
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[USE OMR SHEET FOR OBJECTIVE PART]

Duration: 3 hrs.

Full Marks: 70

Time: 30 mins.

Marks: 20

(Objective)

$1 \times 20 = 20$

Choose the correct answer from the following:

1. Which one from the following is a significance of political theory?
 - a. Social integration and peace
 - b. Social criticism and reconstruction
 - c. Social relations and conflict
 - d. All of the above
2. Theorising the political means.....
 - a. Putting every political activity under a theory
 - b. Creating a theory for the political activity
 - c. Understanding a political activity
 - d. Criticizing political activities
3. Who said that, "History without political science has no fruit and political science without history has no root"?
 - a. Aristotle
 - b. Plato
 - c. John Seeley
 - d. Max Weber
4. Who among the following was a sociologist but turned into a famous political analyst?
 - a. Karl Marx
 - b. Socrates
 - c. John Locke
 - d. Max Weber
5. What is the one word for 'the systematic knowledge of political phenomena'?
 - a. Political science
 - b. Political theory
 - c. Political economy
 - d. None of the above
6. Who is regarded as the father of liberalism?
 - a. J.S Mill
 - b. T.H. Green
 - c. John Locke
 - d. Jeremy Bentham
7. Which political thought talks about free market economy?
 - a. Realism
 - b. Liberalism
 - c. Conservatism
 - d. All of the above
8. Which school of political theory denies the importance of state?
 - a. Conservatism
 - b. Marxism
 - c. Anarchism
 - d. All of the above
9. Surplus value is associated with whom?
 - a. Karl Marx
 - b. Fredrick Engels
 - c. Both a and b
 - d. Only a

10. Which school of political theory believes in tradition and values?
 - a. Anarchism
 - b. Liberalism
 - c. Feminism
 - d. Conservatism
11. Democracy is, 'of the people, by the people, for the people' who said this?
 - a. Mahatma Gandhi
 - b. Jawaharlal Nehru
 - c. Abraham Lincoln
 - d. George Washington
12. What kind of democracy can be seen in the Greek city states?
 - a. Direct democracy
 - b. Indirect democracy
 - c. Participatory democracy
 - d. None of the above
13. Which treaty opened the door for democracy in Europe?
 - a. American declaration of independence
 - b. Universal Declaration of Human Rights
 - c. Both a and b
 - d. The Magna Carta
14. "Procedural democracy emphasizes the importance of fair and transparent procedures in decision making".
 - a. False
 - b. Partially true
 - c. True
 - d. Not applicable
15. Which type of representation is mostly used by the democratic countries of the World?
 - a. Functional representation
 - b. Territorial representation
 - c. Minority representation
 - d. Proportional representation
16. Which of the following is a source of power?
 - a. Knowledge
 - b. Ideology
 - c. Economic stability
 - d. All of the above
17. Who defines power as, "by power we mean the power of man over the minds and actions of other men"?
 - a. David Easton
 - b. M.G. Smith
 - c. Hans Morgenthau
 - d. Robert Dahl
18. According to Max Weber how many types of sources are there of political authority?
 - a. 3
 - b. 5
 - c. 6
 - d. 2
19. What is the most important characteristic of authority?
 - a. Power
 - b. Legitimacy
 - c. Money
 - d. Support
20. Who is associated with ideological legitimacy?
 - a. Robert A. Dahl
 - b. Max Weber
 - c. David Easton
 - d. None of the above

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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. What do you mean by political theory? Write about its nature and scope. | 3+7=10 |
| 2. Elaborate the relationship between political science and other social sciences. | 10 |
| 3. Discuss about the main features of liberalism and conservatism. | 5+5=10 |
| 4. What do you mean by feminism? Explain its various stages. | 2+8=10 |
| 5. Write two important definitions of democracy. Explain how the idea of democracy evolves. | 3+7=10 |
| 6. What do you mean by procedural democracy? Elaborate about territorial representation. | 5+5=10 |
| 7. What do you mean by power? Explain about the various sources of power. | 3+7=10 |
| 8. Write short notes on:
a) Authority
b) Ideological power | 5+5=10 |

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