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(Academic Year: 2024-2025 & 2025-2026)

Semester	**:**	**I I**
Name of the Student	:	
Hall-Ticket Number	:	
Name of the Course	:	
Paper (Title)	:	
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Study Centre Name	**:**	

Signature of the Student with date

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Dear Student,

Read the following **Instructions** very carefully before writing and submitting of all your Assignments. Write all your details on every Cover Page of Each Paper (Assignment). Students of various PG Courses have to submit Assignments **I & II** for each semester. The Assignments consists of **20 marks** and Assignment – **II** consist **25 marks**

(Note: Assignment-II in place of Seminar for 25 Marks)
(Write topic name on top up of the page)

Instructions for Writing of Assignments:

1. Submission of Assignments is **Compulsory**.
2. Each Assignment-I should be written in **15-20 Pages. (Attach Question Paper)**
3. Assignment-II should be written in **15-20 Pages. (Attach Question Paper)**
4. Write answers clearly and visibly on **A-4 size only.**
5. Assignment should be written **ONE SIDE OF THE PAPER only.**
6. Assignment should be in student's own handwriting.
7. Printed/Carbon copies or computer print-outs **Will not be Accepted.** Any irregularity will be viewed seriously and the assignments will be **rejected.**
8. You can use CDOE (SDLCE) course material or other relevant Articles/Books for writing the assignments **I & II.**
9. Submit Assignment **I & II** separately with tape binding or spiral binding **only**.
10. Each Assignment **I & II** should be with a cover page. Write All Your Details in **Capital Letters on the cover page.**
11. Students those who fail to submit their assignments are **not allowed** write **SEMESTER EXAMS.**
12. **Submit** all your Assignments at your Study Centre (or) Room No. 7, **CDOE (SDLCE), KU only**.
13. **Last date for Submission of Assignments I & II is: 10-11-2026. Assignments will not be Accepted, After the Due Date.**
14. For any sort of doubts or queries in writing the assignments, students can contact the Coordinators of your center or **course-In-Charge of CDOE (SDLCE), KU.**
15. You may contact CDOE Enquiry Counter/directly or call **0870-2461480 , 0870-2461490**

From **10.30 am** to **4.30 pm** on all working Days.

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ASSIGNMENT-I

M.A. POLITICAL SCIENCE Semester-II Examination (2024-2025 & 2025-2026)

Paper-I WESTERN POLITICAL THOUGHT

Answer any *FIVE of* the following questions. **5x4=20 Marks**

1. Describe Hobbes' views on Human Nature and the State of Nature.
2. Write a short note on Rousseau's General Will.
3. Explain Jeremy Bentham's concept of Utilitarianism.
4. Write a short note on J.S. Mill's Theory of Liberty.
5. Explain Hegel's Theory of Dialectics.
6. Write a short note on Hegel's Philosophy of History.
7. Distinguish between Dialectical Materialism and Historical Materialism.
8. Write a short note on Marx's Critique of Capitalism.
9. Explain Jurgen Habermas' Theory of Knowledge.
10. Write a short note on Foucault's Concept of Power.

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ASSIGNMENT-I

M.A. POLITICAL SCIENCE Semester-II Examination (2024-2025 & 2025-2026)

Paper-II : INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Answer any *FIVE of* the following questions. **5x4=20 Marks**

1. Explain the main sources of conflict in International Relations.
2. Write a short note on Samuel P. Huntington's perspective on world politics.
3. Trace the origin and evolution of the Cold War.
4. What were the causes of the New Cold War?
5. Explain the meaning and causes for the growth of Non-Alignment.
6. Distinguish between Old Diplomacy and New Diplomacy.
7. Explain the New Pattern of International Relations - the New World Order.
8. Distinguish between a Unipolar World and a Multi-Polar World.
9. Describe the new role of the United Nations in the changing world.
10. Write a short note on the achievements of the U.N.

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Paper-III : COMPARATIVE POLITICAL SYSTEMS

Answer any *FIVE of* the following questions. **5x4=20 Marks**

1. Describe the basic features of the British Constitution.
2. Write a short note on the role of the British Prime Minister.
3. Explain the basic features of the American Constitution.
4. Write a short note on Judicial Review in the U.S.A.
5. Describe the basic features of the Canadian Constitution.
6. Write a short note on the Canadian Federal System.
7. Explain the main features of the Swiss Constitution.
8. Write a short note on the working of Direct Democracy in Switzerland.
9. Describe the political system of the Republic of China.
10. Write a short note on the role of the Communist Party in China.

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Paper-IV: INDIAN POLITICS [SOCIETY, ECONOMY & POLITY]

Answer any *FIVE of* the following questions. **5x4=20 Marks**

1. Explain the socio-economic dimensions of Indian Politics.
2. Write a short note on the problem of National Integration in India.
3. Explain the concept of Mixed Economy in India.
4. Write a short note on the impact of Globalization on India's political economy.
5. Describe the major National Political Parties of India.
6. Write a short note on the Politics of Coalition in India.
7. Explain the issues of Secularism and Communalism in India.
8. Write a short note on Regionalism in Indian Politics.
9. Explain the policies of Social Welfare for SCs, STs, Women and Minorities.
10. Write a short note on Agricultural Development in India.

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Paper-V: INDIAN POLITICAL THOUGHT

Answer any *FIVE of* the following questions. **5x4=20 Marks**

1. Describe Raja Rammohan Roy's contribution to Social Reforms and his political ideas.
2. Write a short note on Sir Syed Ahmed Khan as the champion of the welfare of the Muslims.
3. Explain Dadabhai Naoroji's Drain Theory.
4. Write a short note on B.G. Tilak's Swarajya and Militant Nationalism.
5. Explain Gandhi's End-Means relationship.
6. Write a short note on the Techniques of Satyagraha.
7. Explain Swami Vivekananda's Nationalism.
8. Write a short note on Nehru's Secularism and Democratic Socialism.
9. Explain Rammanohar Lohia's views on Caste and Indian Society.
10. Write a short note on M.N. Roy's Concept of Radical Humanism.

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ASSIGNMENT-II

(Note: Assignment-II is in place of Student Seminar for 25 Marks)

M.A. POLITICAL SCIENCE Semester-II Examination (2024-2025 & 2025-2026)

Note: Answer any ONE TOPIC of the following. **25 Marks**

1. Critically examine the social contract theories of Hobbes, Locke and Rousseau. Compare their conceptions of the state of nature and the absolute state.
2. Evaluate Karl Marx's theories of Dialectical Materialism, Historical Materialism and Class War. How far is Marxism relevant today?
3. Trace the origin and evolution of the Cold War. Discuss its impact and critically evaluate the reasons for the emergence of a New Cold War.
4. Critically evaluate the role of the United Nations in the changing world order. Does the UN need restructuring to meet contemporary challenges?
5. Compare the constitutional features of the UK and USA with special reference to Parliamentary Sovereignty and Judicial Review.
6. Examine the working of Direct Democracy in Switzerland and critically evaluate its federal structure in comparison with Canada.
7. Analyse the socio-economic dimensions of Indian politics with reference to caste, class, religion, region and language. How do they affect national integration?
8. Critically examine the impact of globalization and the New Economic Policy on India's political economy.
9. Critically examine Gandhi's concepts of Swaraj, Satyagraha and the State. Discuss the relevance of Gandhism in the contemporary world.
10. Evaluate Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's ideas on the uplift of the untouchables and his concept of an ideal society.

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