

SECOND YEAR HIGHER SECONDARY EXAMINATION
SAMPLE QUESTION PAPER
POLITICAL SCIENCE

From questions 1 to 12 answer for 16 score

1. Who delivered the famous speech 'Tryst with Destiny'? (1)

2. Match the following: (4)

Party	Leaders
Socialist Party	Deen Dayal Upadhyaya
BJS	EMS Namboodiripad
CPI	Rajagopalachari
Swathantra Party	Ram Manohar Lohiya

3. Who is the Chairman of NITI AYOOG? (1)

4. Name the leaders who signed Shimla Agreement (2)

5. Identify the leaders associated with the following slogans:

a) Jai Jawan Jai Kisan

b) Garibi Hatao (2)

6. The term Total Revolution was coined by -----?

(Jayaprakash Narayan, Morarji Desai, Indira Gandhi). (1)

7. Who was the first non Congress Prime Minister of India? (1)

8. Expand the following abbreviations:

LTTE, BAMCEF (2)

9. Match the following: (3)

A	B
Operation Desert Storm	Global War on Terror
Operation Infinite Reach	First Gulf War
Operation Enduring Freedom	Military Operation against Al Quaida

10. Name the currency of European Union. (1)

11. Trygve Lie was the first Secretary General of UNO. (1)

12. Identify the headquarters of International Court of Justice. (1)

(New York, Paris, Hague)

Answer any 4 questions from 13 to 17. Each carries 3 score (4*3=12)

13. Write any three factors that helped the dominance of Congress party in the first three general elections.

14. Analyse the election result of 4th general election of 1967.

15. Write three constraints on American Hegemony.

16. What were the three pillars of ASEAN Community.

17. India's stand on Environmental issues. Comment.

Answer any 4 questions from 18 to 22. Each carries 4 score. (4*4=12)

18. Compare first and second Five Year Plans.

19. Explain the origin and activities of BKU

20. Find out the elements of growing consequences appears to have emerged amongst most of the political parties in India.

21. Identify the conflicting areas of Indo- Bangladesh relations.

22. Write a short note on Chipko Movement.

Answer any 4 questions from 23 to 27. Each carries 5 score.(4*5=20)

23. Based on the hints given below explain the main confrontation between India and China.

. Dalailama Issue

. Border Dispute

24. Explain major consequences of National Emergency declared in 1975.

25. Write your argument about India's claim for the permanent membership in the UN Security Council.

26. Explain the new sources of security threats.

27. Explain the impact of political and cultural aspects of Globalisation.

Answer any 2 questions from 28 to 30. Each carries 8 scores.

28. Describe the process and consequences for the partition of India.

29. Explain various issues related to regional aspirations in North East region by using following hints:

1) Demands for Autonomy.

2) Secessionist movements.

3) Movements against outsiders

30. What are the causes and consequences of the disintegration of Soviet Union.