

FIRST YEAR HIGHER SECONDARY EXAMINATION, MARCH 2023

Part – III

Time : 2½ Hours

POLITICAL SCIENCE

Cool-off time : 15 Minutes

Maximum : 80 Scores

General Instructions to Candidates :

- There is a 'Cool-off time' of 15 minutes in addition to the writing time.
- Use the 'Cool-off time' to get familiar with questions and to plan your answers.
- Read questions carefully before answering.
- Read the instructions carefully.
- Calculations, figures and graphs should be shown in the answer sheet itself.
- Malayalam version of the questions is also provided.

വിദ്യാർത്ഥികൾക്കുള്ള പൊതുനിർദ്ദേശങ്ങൾ :

- നിർദ്ദിഷ്ട സമയത്തിന് പുറമെ 15 മിനിറ്റ് 'കൂൾ ഓഫ് ടൈം' ഉണ്ടായിരിക്കും.
- 'കൂൾ ഓഫ് ടൈം' ചോദ്യങ്ങൾ പരിചയപ്പെടാനും ഉത്തരങ്ങൾ ആസൂത്രണം ചെയ്യാനും ഉപയോഗിക്കുക.
- ഉത്തരങ്ങൾ എഴുതുന്നതിന് മുമ്പ് ചോദ്യങ്ങൾ ശ്രദ്ധാപൂർവ്വം വായിക്കണം.
- നിർദ്ദേശങ്ങൾ മുഴുവനും ശ്രദ്ധാപൂർവ്വം വായിക്കണം.
- കണക്ക് കൂട്ടലുകൾ, ചിത്രങ്ങൾ, ഗ്രാഫുകൾ, എന്നിവ ഉത്തരപേപ്പറിൽ തന്നെ ഉണ്ടായിരിക്കണം.
- ചോദ്യങ്ങൾ മലയാളത്തിലും നൽകിയിട്ടുണ്ട്.

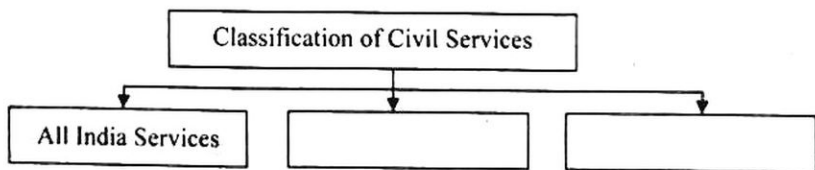


From questions 1 to 10, answer for 16 scores.

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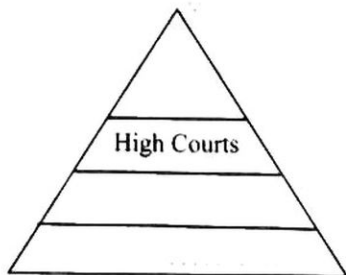
1. The Constitution of India came into force on _____.
(1949 November 26, 1950 January 26, 1952 December 26) (1)
2. The system of proportional representation is used for elections to _____.
(Lok Sabha, Rajya Sabha, State Legislative Assembly) (1)
3. Identify the state having bicameral legislature.
(Kerala, Assam, Maharashtra, Punjab) (1)
4. Name the case in which the Judiciary advanced the theory of basic structure of the Constitution.
(Golaknath case, Keshavanand Bharati case, Minerva Mills case, Shah Bano case) (1)
5. The theory 'Veil of ignorance' is associated with whom ?
(Karl Marx, J.S. Mill, John Rawls, Plato) (1)

6. Complete the chart :



(2)

7. Complete the pyramid showing the structure of Indian Judiciary :



(3)

8. Match the following :

Cauvery	Punjab and Haryana
Belgaum	Tamil Nadu and Karnataka
Chandigarh	Maharashtra and Karnataka

(3)

9. Match the following :

Long walk to Freedom	Aung San Suu Kyi
Freedom from fear	Aubrey Menon
Water	Nelson Mandela
Ramayana Retold	Deepa Mehta

(4)

10. Fill in the column by using the items given below :

(Right to life, Right to vote, Right to work, Right to Leisure, Right to contest election, Right to property)

Political Rights	Economic Rights	Civil Rights
●	●	●
●	●	●

(3)

Answer any 4 questions from 11 to 15. Each carries 3 scores.

(4 × 3 = 12)

11. What are the main criticisms levelled against Indian Constitution ?
12. Write a note on the significance of the study of Political Theory.
13. Briefly explain three dimensions of equality.
14. Explain three Principles of Justice.
15. What are the different forms of structural violence ? Explain.

Answer any 4 questions from 16 to 20. Each carries 4 scores.

(4 × 4 = 16)

16. Briefly explain about the law making procedure in India.
17. What are the safeguards in the Indian Constitution to ensure independence of the judiciary ?
18. Identify the Article in the Indian Constitution which deals with amendment procedure. Explain the three methods of amendment procedure of Indian Constitution.
19. Briefly explain any two political philosophies of Indian Constitution.
20. What are the ways to attain Indian Citizenship ?

Answer any 4 questions from 21 to 25. Each carries 5 scores.

(4 × 5 = 20)

21. Explain the functions of a constitution.
22. What are the functions of the Election Commission of India ?
23. Briefly explain the powers of Prime Minister of India.
24. The Constitution of India creates a strong central government. Explain the provisions that make Central Government stronger.
25. Explain the differences between Indian Secularism and Western Secularism.

Answer any 2 questions from 26 to 28. Each carries 8 scores.

(2 × 8 = 16)

26. Prepare an essay on Fundamental rights guaranteed by the Constitution of India.
27. Explain the changes brought by the 73rd Constitutional Amendment.
28. What are the factors which help in the formation of Nationalism ? Explain.