

M.A. 3rd Semester Examination, 2023

POLITICAL SCIENCE

PAPER — PLS-301(Old)

Full Marks : 50

Time : 2 hours

The figures in the right hand margin indicate marks

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable

GROUP—A

Answer any two of the following questions :

2 × 2

1. Who is the author of 'The Study of Administration' ?
2. What do you mean by 'Chain of Command' ?

3. On which year, the Minnowbrook-II conference was held ?
4. Mention three elements that govern the process of accountability.

Answer any **two** of the following questions : 4 × 2

5. What do you mean by 'Soldiering' in 'Scientific Management' Theory ?
6. How public administration is different from business administration ? Discuss.
7. What did Fred Riggs mean by the 'Agraria' ?
8. Write a brief note on e-governance.

Answer any **one** of the following question : 8 × 1

9. Evaluate Max Weber's contribution to Public Administration.

10. Explain the way human relations approach has revolutionised the study of Public Administration.

GROUP-B

Answer any **two** of the following questions :
2 × 2

11. In which year, the first Administrative Reforms Commission (ARC-I) was instituted ?
12. Who have proposed the three-tier Panchayati Raj Institutions (PRI) ?
13. Write the full name of MGNREGA.
14. Why the Santhanam Committee 1964 was formed ?

Answer any **two** of the following questions :
4 × 2

15. Explain the significance of the Community Development Programme (CDP) in India.

16. What is 'Lok Ayukta' ?
17. Discuss why administrative reforms are necessary ?
18. What do you mean by 'inclusive governance' ?

Answer any **one** of the following question :

8 × 1

19. Evaluate the recommendations of the second Administrative Reforms Commission 2005 (ARC-II).
20. Explain how liberalization, privatization and globalization have impacted upon Indian administration.

[Internal Assessment — 10 Marks]
