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**TEST BOOKLET**

Subject Code **48**

Subject **POLITICAL SCIENCE**

Time Allowed : **90 Minutes**

Full Marks : **70**

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1. Which of the following is not a feature of traditional Political Theory ?
  - (A) It is speculative
  - (B) It is prescriptive and normative
  - (C) It is qualitative
  - (D) It is quantitative
2. Which of the following is not a feature of post-modernism ?
  - (A) It accepts meta-narratives
  - (B) It is anti-foundationalism
  - (C) It is anti-rationalism
  - (D) It rejects class solidarity
3. Deliberative democracy does not emphasize on :
  - (A) Civic culture
  - (B) Open discussion
  - (C) Common interests
  - (D) Individual interests
4. A Federation of India was promised by :
  - (A) Indian Councils Act, 1909
  - (B) Government of India Act, 1919
  - (C) Government of India Act, 1935
  - (D) Indian Independence Act, 1947
5. Which of the following Amendments to the Constitution of India added the words 'secular', 'socialist' and 'integrity' in the Preamble ?
  - (A) 42<sup>nd</sup> Amendment of the Constitution , 1976
  - (B) 40<sup>th</sup> Amendment of the Constitution, 1976
  - (C) 39<sup>th</sup> Amendment of the Constitution, 1975
  - (D) 44<sup>th</sup> Amendment of the Constitution, 1977
6. The power of the President to promulgate ordinances during recess of Parliament is enshrined in :
  - (A) Article 121
  - (B) Article 122
  - (C) Article 123
  - (D) Article 124

7. Who of the following has argued that negative freedom is superior to positive freedom ?  
 (A) Isaiah Berlin (B) T. H. Green  
 (C) J.S. Mill (D) Immauel Kant
8. Who among the following said : "Equals are to be treated equally and unequals unequally. Injustice arises when equals are treated unequally and also when unequals are treated equally" ?  
 (A) Plato  
 (B) Aristotle  
 (C) Hegel  
 (D) Marx
9. Match List-I with List-II and select the correct answer from the codes given below :

**List – I (Thinkers)**

- (a) Michael Sandel  
 (b) John Rawls  
 (c) Thomas Pogge  
 (d) Michael Walzer

**List – II (Concepts)**

- i. Veil of ignorance  
 ii. Procedural Republic  
 iii. *Complex equality*  
 iv. Global Justice

**Codes :**

- |     | (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) |
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| (A) | ii  | i   | iv  | iii |
| (B) | iv  | iii | i   | ii  |
| (C) | i   | iii | ii  | iv  |
| (D) | i   | ii  | iii | iv  |

10. Who among the following called the dominance of Congress rule in India as the 'Congress System' ?  
 (A) Rajni Kothari  
 (B) M. N. Srinivas  
 (C) T. K. Oommen  
 (D) T. N. Madan

11. Match List- I with List – II and select the correct answer from the codes given below :

**List-I**  
**(Political Parties)**

- (a) All India Trinamool Congress
- (b) Bahujan Samaj Party
- (c) Bhartiya Janta Party
- (d) Nationalist Congress Party

**List-II**  
**(Foundation Year)**

- i. 1984
- ii. 1998
- iii. 1999
- iv. 1980

**Code :**

- |     | (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) |
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| (B) | i   | ii  | iii | iv  |
| (C) | ii  | iii | iv  | i   |
| (D) | ii  | i   | ii  | iii |

12. Who among the following said : “Class politics in India is marginal” ?

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| (A) Barbara Harris-White | (B) Lloyd and Lloyd  |
| (C) Michael Kalecki      | (D) Francine Frankel |

13. According to Roy Macrides comparative politics in the past was :

- i. non- parochial and analytic
- ii. descriptive
- iii. formalistic and legalistic
- iv. case study oriented

Select the correct answer from the codes given below :

- (A) i, ii and iii
- (B) ii, iii and iv
- (C) i, iii and iv
- (D) i, ii and iv

14. Which of the following is not true of advanced capitalist States ?

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|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| (A) Highly industrialized | (B) Large private ownership |
| (C) Elite hegemony        | (D) Equal political power   |

15. Who said : “Administration has to do with getting things done ; with the accomplishment of defined objectives” ?

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| (A) Lyndall Urwick | (B) Luther Gullick |
| (C) Henri Fayol    | (D) F.W. Taylor    |

16. The theory of 'Prismatic Society' in Public Administration is based on :
- (A) Study of public services in developed and developing countries
  - (B) Institutional comparison of Public Administration in developed countries
  - (C) Structural-functional analysis of Public Administration in developing countries
  - (D) Historical studies of Public Administration in different societies
17. Who coined the term 'New Public Management' ?
- (A) Luther Gulick
  - (B) Woodrow Wilson
  - (C) Christopher Hood
  - (D) Fried Riggs
18. Which of the following is not a feature of the Treaty of Westphalia ?
- (A) State sovereignty
  - (B) Legal equality of states
  - (C) Convergence of state and church
  - (D) Rule of Law
19. Which of the following is not a core assumption of neo-realism ?
- (A) States are rational actors
  - (B) States see other states as potential threats to their national security
  - (C) States are mainly interested in absolute gains
  - (D) The most critical problem presented by anarchy is survival
20. The 'star wars' was initiated by USA as a part of :
- (A) Its Missile Defence System
  - (B) Nuclear non proliferation treaty
  - (C) Its civil nuclear energy program
  - (D) Its targeted bombings on chemical and biological installations in rogue countries
21. Which of the following does not figure in Almond and Verba's classification of political culture ?
- (A) Cognitive orientation
  - (B) Affective orientation
  - (C) Empirical orientation
  - (D) Evaluative orientation
22. Who of the following initiated New Federalism ?
- (A) Ronald Reagan
  - (B) Margaret Thatcher
  - (C) Angela Merkel
  - (D) Francios Mitterand

23. Who said : “Public Policy is a purposive course of action followed by an actor or set of actors in dealing with a problem or matters of concern’ .?
- (A) W. Parsons (B) John Dewey  
(C) Thomas R. Dye (D) E. Anderson
24. Who said : “Budget is something much more than a mere estimate of revenues and expenditure” ?
- (A) L. D. White (B) C. P. Bhambhri  
(C) Nigro and Nigro (D) W. F. Willoughby
25. What is the full form of ‘SMART’?
- (A) Strong , moral, active, responsive, transformative  
(B) Smart, modern, accurate, resourceful, time-bound  
(C) Simple, moral, accountable, responsive, transparent  
(D) Smooth, motivated, affordable, recurrent, transient
26. Which of the following views of the ‘hyperglobalists’ is correct ?
- (A) Globalization is bringing about a demise of the sovereign nation-state  
(B) State and geo-politics remain the principal forces shaping world order  
(C) Globalization is leading to a globalization of politics  
(D) Globalization is at best a self-serving myth or ideology
27. The concept of ‘Human Security’ originated in the report of :
- (A) Amnesty International  
(B) United Nations Environmental Programme  
(C) United Nations Development Programme  
(D) International Red Cross
28. Which of the following statements is not correct about the term ‘tragedy of the commons’ coined by Garrett Hardin ?
- (A) It refers to an internal conflict between Individual and collective interest  
(B) It refers to rationality in the use of property that is held in common  
(C) It argues that exploiting open access resource will bring collective disaster  
(D) It argues that legal and technical compliance with national obligations is the only possible solution to protect the global commons

29. Who of the following said that Plato's Republic is a dramatized philosophy of human life ?
- (A) Ebenstein (B) Macpherson  
(C) G.H. Sabine (D) Nettleship
30. Amongst the following whose political theory is based on nominalism ?
- (A) Hobbes (B) Locke  
(C) Rousseau (D) Green
31. Who among the following gave the revolutionary slogan 'all power to the Soviets'?
- (A) Karl Marx (B) Mao Tse Tung  
(C) V. I. Lenin (D) Engels
32. Which of the following pair is correct ?
- (A) Rigveda – Tandav Brahman  
(B) Yajurveda – Satapath Brahman  
(C) Samveda – Gopath Brahman  
(D) Atharvaveda – Panch Vimsha Brahman
33. Who said : "The king is a logical outcome of a social need" ?
- (A) Veda Vyasa (B) Manu  
(C) Kautilya (D) Agganna Sutta
34. In which year did Abul Fazal was assassinated ?
- (A) 11<sup>th</sup> August, 1602  
(B) 12<sup>th</sup> August, 1603  
(C) 13<sup>th</sup> August, 1604  
(D) 14<sup>th</sup> August, 1604
35. The idea of participatory democracy originates with :
- (A) Aristotle (B) Cicero  
(C) Locke (D) Rousseau
36. Who among the following said that conscription is not to be regarded as an unwarranted infringement of liberty ?
- (A) T.H. Green (B) Bentham  
(C) J.S. Mill (D) J.(B) Priestley



37. Which one of the following is not Mary Wollstonecraft's writing ?
- (A) Thoughts of the Education of Daughters  
(B) A Vindication of the Rights of Man  
(C) A Vindication of the Rights of Woman  
(D) History of Woman Suffrage
38. Who among the following is regarded as the father of Indian Renaissance ?
- (A) Dayananda Saraswathy  
(B) Tilak  
(C) Raja Rammohan Roy  
(D) Gandhiji
39. Name railway station in South Africa where Gandhiji was thrown out of the train though he was travelling with ticket :
- (A) Maritzburg (B) Marutizburg  
(C) Meritzburg (D) Mouritzburg
40. In which year Savarkar was elected as the President of the Hindu Mahasabha ?
- (A) 1935 (B) 1936  
(C) 1937 (D) 1938
41. Match List-I with List-II and select the correct answer from the codes given below :

**List – I (Theories)**

**List – II (Concepts)**

- |                      |   |
|----------------------|---|
| (a) Liberal feminism | i. Women's oppression as a product of class society |
| (b) Marxist feminism | ii. Equal rights for women and men                  |
| (c) Radical feminism | iii. Emphasizes on racial differences               |
| (d) Black feminism   | iv. Issues of separatism and lesbianism             |

**Codes :**

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| (B) | iv  | iii | i   | ii  |
| (C) | i   | iv  | ii  | iii |
| (D) | i   | ii  | iii | iv  |

42. Who said : 'One is not born, but rather becomes, a women' ?

- (A) Simon de Beauvoir (B) Betty Friedman  
(C) Kate Millett (D) Germaine Greer

43. Match List-I with List-II and select the correct answer from the codes given below :

**List – I(Feminist Thinkers)**

- (a) Betty Friedman  
(b) Kate Millet  
(c) Germaine Greer  
(d) Eva Figgs

**List – II (Works)**

- i. The Feminist Mystique  
ii. The Female Eunuch  
iii. Sexual Politics  
iv. Patriarchal Attitudes

**Codes :**

- |     | (a) | (b) | (c) | (d) |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| (A) | ii  | i   | iv  | iii |
| (B) | iv  | iii | i   | ii  |
| (C) | i   | iii | ii  | iv  |
| (D) | i   | ii  | iii | iv  |

44. Arrange chronologically the formations of the following women's organizations and select the correct code given below :

- i. All India Women's Conference  
ii. National Council for Women  
iii. National Federation of Women India  
iv. Committee on the Status of Women

**Codes :**

- (A) i , ii, iii, iv  
(B) ii, iii, iv, i  
(C) ii, i, iii, iv  
(D) iv, iii, ii, i

45. Who of the following is not an eco-feminist ?

- (A) Vandana Shiva (B) Maria Mies  
(C) Betty Friedman (D) Susan Griffin

46. Alexandra Kollontai is a key figure in :
- (A) Liberal Feminism (B) Radical Feminism  
(C) Socialist Feminism (D) Eco Feminism
47. Which of the following statements is not true in case of Mary Wollstonecraft ?
- (A) She applies the standard liberal values to woman  
(B) She rejects the assumption that the subordinate position of woman is an immutable feature of the natural order  
(C) Women are human beings and rational creatures  
(D) Femaleness is a morally relevant criterion of discrimination
48. Which of the following was not a part of woman's movements in India ?
- (A) Shahada Movement  
(B) Nav Nirman Movement  
(C) Dhulia Movement  
(D) Mithini Village Movement
49. The Gujarati translation of the 'Unto This Last' is called :
- (A) Harijan (B) Sarvodya  
(C) Navajeevan (D) Swadesi
50. From which place did Gandhi start the famous 'Salt March' on 12<sup>th</sup> March, 1920 ?
- (A) Dandi (B) Cahru-Chaura  
(C) Cuttack (D) Sabarmati
51. Which of the following slogans is associated with the name of Gandhiji ?
- (A) Inquilab Zindabad  
(B) Jai Jawan Jai Kisan  
(C) Swaraj is my birth-right  
(D) Do or Die
52. When was the Gandhi Irwin Pact signed ?
- (A) March 1, 1932 (B) March 5, 1931  
(C) March 10, 1935 (D) March 7, 1937

53. Who compared the Dandi March to Napoleon's march to Paris on his return from Elba ?
- (A) Dadabhai Naoroji
  - (B) Lala Lajpat Rai
  - (C) Subhas Chandra Bose
  - (D) B. G. Tilak
54. Whom did Gandhiji nominate to lead the satyagraha during the Dandi March in the event of his arrest ?
- (A) Jawaharlal Nahru
  - (B) Vithalbhai Patel
  - (C) Abdul Gaffar Khan
  - (D) Abbas Tyabji
55. Gandhiji started Satyagraha in 1919 to protest against the :
- (A) Salt Law
  - (B) Act of 1909
  - (C) Rowlatt Act
  - (D) Jallianwala Bagh Massacre
56. The Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances in India proposed a framework for good governance in the form of :
- (A) Code of Governance
  - (B) Code of Human Rights
  - (C) Code of Law
  - (D) Code of Conduct
57. 'Markets are not the natural friends of people ; they have to be made people-friendly' who said this ?
- (A) Gurucharan Das
  - (B) Peter Self
  - (C) John Robinson
  - (D) Streeten

58. Which of the following according to the United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP) the characteristic of good governance? Select the correct code given below :

1. Universal adult participation.
2. Personal implementation of laws.
3. Transparency while taking the decision.
4. Administration is responsive to people's demands.

Which of the statement given above is / are correct.

- (A) 1 and 2 only  
(B) 2 and 3 only  
(C) 1, 3 and 4 only  
(D) 2, 3 and 4 only

59. The environment which has been modified by human activities is called :

- (A) Natural environment  
(B) Anthropogenic environment  
(C) Modern environment  
(D) Urban environment

60. Who presides over Panchayat Samiti meetings ?

- (A) Collector (B) B. D. O.  
(C) Block Chairman (D) Sarpanch

61. Who elects the Mayor of the Municipal Corporation ?

- (A) Voters (B) Councilors  
(C) MLAs (D) People

62. Which one of the following is not an objective of Citizens' Charter?

- (A) Ensuring transparency and right to information  
(B) Save time limit of both customer and service provider  
(C) The quality of public services is not assured  
(D) Have clear targets for all services

63. Who among the following described the United Nations as a 'weird Picasso abstraction' ?

- (A) Woodrow Wilson (B) Franklin W. Roosevelt  
(C) Dag Hammarskjold (D) Winston Churchill

64. Which of the following UN Organizations is called 'Parliament of Nations' ?  
(A) The Security Council  
(B) The General Assembly  
(C) The Secretariat  
(D) The Economic and Social Council
65. How many goals are enshrined under the Sustainable Development Goals ?  
(A) 15 (B) 16  
(C) 17 (D) 18
66. Where was the first UN Peacekeeping force sent ?  
(A) Suez Canal (B) Cuba  
(C) Korea (D) Cyprus
67. Which of the following is not demanding for a permanent seat in the Security Council ?  
(A) India (B) Brazil  
(C) South Africa (D) Malaysia
68. Who was elected as the Chairperson of the UN Special Committee on Decolonization in 2018 ?  
(A) Walton Alfonso Webson (Antigua and Barbuda)  
(B) Fred Sarufa (Papua New Guinea)  
(C) Dian Triansyah Djani (Indonesia)  
(D) Adikalie Foday Sumah (Sierra Leone)
69. Once elected for a full term , how many years does a Judge serve in the International Court of Justice ?  
(A) Ten Years (B) Nine years  
(C) Eight Years (D) Seven Years
70. The theme for UN Peacekeepers' Day 2020 is :  
(A) Women in peacekeeping : A Key to Peace  
(B) Environmental Sustainability and Peacekeeping  
(C) Human Rights in Peacekeeping : A Key to Peace  
(D) Secular Harmony and Peacekeeping



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