

STUDENT ASSIGNMENTS

M.A Political Science (Distance Mode)

(Third Semester)

(Academic Session 2020-21)

INSTRUCTIONS

The students are required to read carefully and follow the instructions given below;

- Submission of one complete Assignment in each course of the programme every year is compulsory.
- Completed Assignments on A4 sheet papers / Assignment booklets are to be submitted by hand/post to the Assistant Professor Political Science, CDOE, JMI
- The last date of Submission of the Soft copy of the Assignment is 15 April 2020.
- Write your name, roll number and other details as required on the cover page of Assignment Booklet.
- For your record you may keep a photocopy of your Assignments.
- Please go through your Programme Guide carefully for further details.

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Course Title: Public Administration: Structure and Governance: Concepts and Theories

Course Code: DMPS-301

Session: 2020-21

Max. Marks: 25

NOTE: Attempt any two questions. All question carry equal marks.

- (1) What do you understand by Public Administration? Differentiate between Public and Private Administration.
- (2) Discuss in detail the various stages of evolution of Public Administration.
- (3) Explain the characteristics of Bureaucracy as identified by Weber.
- (4) Define New Public Administration and differentiate between New Public Administration and New Public Management.
- (5) Write short notes on **any two** of the following:
 - a) Unity of Command
 - b) Caste Bureaucracy
 - c) Good Governance

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Course Title: Human Rights: Philosophical And Historical Foundations

Course Code: DMPS-302

Session: 2020-21

Max. Marks: 25

NOTE: Attempt any two questions. All question carry equal marks.

- (1) Define Human Rights? What are the three generations of human rights?
- (2) What is Individual Dignity? How is it a fundamental guiding value for human rights approach?
- (3) Explain Marxist approach to human rights
- (4) Critically discuss the Rawl's theory of justice
- (5) Write short notes on **any two** of the following:
 - a) Universalism
 - b) Magna Carta
 - c) Cultural Relativism

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Course Title: International Organization

Course Code: DMPS-303

Session: 2020-21

Max. Marks: 25

NOTE: Attempt any two questions. All question carry equal marks.

- (1) Define international organizations. Discuss the role played by international organizations in the world politics?
- (2) What was League of Nations and what are the factors which lead to its failure?
- (3) What is United Nations Organistaion(UNO)? What are the various principles and objectives of UNO.
- (4) What are the various methods of peacefull settlement of disputes?
- (5) Write note on **any two** of the following:
 - a) Security Council
 - b) International Court of justice
 - c) Collective Security

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Course Title: State Politics In India

Course Code: DMPS-304

Session: 2020-21

Max. Marks: 25

NOTE: Attempt any two questions. All question carry equal marks.

- (1) What were the dominant features of state politics in India in the first two decades after independence?
- (2) Explain the constitutional status of states in Indian Political Sytem.
- (3) Give a brief account of Centre-State Relations in Contemporary India.
- (4) What are electoral reforms? Discuss various efforts made for electoral reforms.
- (5) What is communal politics? What are the patterns of communal politics in India today?

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Course Title: Research Methodology

Course Code: DMPAX-3.2

Session: 2020-21

Max. Marks: 25

NOTE: Attempt any two questions. All question carry equal marks.

- (1) What do you mean by research? Explain its significance in modern times.
- (2) What is Research Design? State its function and purpose.
- (3) Define Case Study. Explain the role of case study in social science research.
- (4) Briefly explain the various methods of data collection?
- (5) Write note on **any two** of the following:
 - a) Qualitative research
 - b) Null hypothesis
 - c) Sampling