

STUDENT ASSIGNMENTS

M.A Public Administration (Distance Mode)

(First 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 Public Administration 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.

M.A. Public Administration (Distance Mode)

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Course Title: Contemporary Political Theory

Course Code: DMPAS-101

Session: 2020-21

Max. Marks: 25

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

- (1) Discuss various approaches to political theory.
- (2) Define the concept of equality and analyze its various types.
- (3) Discuss the core themes of Marxism as a political ideology.
- (4) Critically examine Green Political Theory
- (5) Write note on the following:
 - a) Justice
 - b) Feminism

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Course Title: Public Administration and Governance: Concepts and Theories

Course Code: DMPAS-102

Session: 2020-21

Max. Marks: 25

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

- (1) Discuss meaning, scope and significance of Public Administration as a discipline
- (2) Discuss Human Relations Theory with special emphasis on Elton Mayo.
- (3) Examine the concept of good governance and analyze its various characteristics.
- (4) Critically examine State versus Market debate in Public Administration
- (6) Write note on the following:
 - c) Entrepreneurial Government
 - d) Unity of Command

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Course Title: Administrative Thinkers I

Course Code: DMPAS-103

Session: 2020-21

Max. Marks: 25

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

- (1) Examine contribution of Woodrow Wilson in Public Administration with special focus on politics-administration dichotomy.
- (2) Discuss M.P. Follet's conflict and leadership theory
- (3) Discuss Chester Barnard's functions of executive and contribution satisfaction equilibrium.
- (4) Critically examine F.W. Riggs's Administrative models.
- (5) Discuss Kautilya's contribution to statecraft and governance.

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Course Title: Public Policy

Course Code: DMPAS-104

Session: 2020-21

Max. Marks: 25

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

- (1) Discuss political, economic, and administrative determinants of public policy.
- (2) Critically examine the contribution of Harold Laswell to policy sciences.
- (3) Discuss the role of political parties, bureaucracy and legislature in policy design and implementation.
- (4) Discuss incremental and institutional theories of public policy making.
- (5) Write note on the following:
 - a) Cost Benefit Analysis
 - b) Gender Auditing

M.A. Public Administration (Distance Mode)

(Third Semester)

Course Title: Ethics in Governance

Course Code: DMPAX-1.1 (CBCS)

Session: 2020-21

Max. Marks: 25

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

- (1) Discuss the role of ethics in Public Administration
- (2) Discuss the role of CBI and CVC in anti-corruption efforts in India
- (3) Critical examine the Right to Information Act with special focus on the recent amendments to the Act.
- (4) Discuss Digital Indian Programme of Government of India and its contribution in SMART governance.
- (5) Write note on the following:
 - a) SEBI
 - b) Grievance Redressal Mechanism