

2023

(5th Semester)

POLITICAL SCIENCE

(Honours)

Paper No. : POL-503

(Local Self-Government in India)

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 45%

Time : 3 hours

**The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions**

- 1. (a) Explain the meaning and characteristics of Local Self-Government. 14**

Or

- (b) Discuss the evolution of Local Self-Government in India.**

- 2. (a) Explain the main features of the 73rd Constitutional Amendment Act. 14**

Or

- (b) Critically analyze the 74th Amendment Act of 1992.**

3. (a) What is Panchayati Raj system? Discuss the organizations and workings of village panchayats in India. 4+10=14

Or

(b) What is Panchayat Samiti? Discuss its organization, powers and functions. 4+10=14

4. (a) What is Municipality? Discuss the organization and working of the Municipal Council. 4+10=14

Or

(b) Critically examine the working of the institution of Urban Local Government. 14

5. (a) Describe the legislative control by the State over Local Self-Government Institution. 14

Or

(b) Discuss the major challenges faced by the Local Self-Government in India. Suggest some measures to overcome it. 7+7=14
