

2025

(FYUGP)

(1st Semester)

POLITICAL SCIENCE

(MAJOR)

Paper Code : POL/H/C-2

(Understanding Political Theory)

Full Marks : 75

Pass Marks : 40%

Time : 3 hours

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

1. (a) Define political theory. Explain the nature of political theory. 5+10=15

Or

- (b) Elucidate the relevance of political theory. 15

2. (a) Explain the liberal tradition of political theory. 15

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Or

(b) Discuss the major principles of Marxism.

3. (a) Explain the normative and empirical approaches to political theory. Highlight their key differences. 10+5=15

Or

(b) What is ontology? Explain the features of ontology as an approach to political theory. 5+10=15

4. (a) What is feminism? Explain the key features of feminist political theory. 3+12=15

Or

(b) Discuss in detail the post-modernist perspective in political theory. 15

5. (a) What is deliberative democracy? Discuss the important features of deliberative democracy. 5+10=15

Or

(b) Discuss in detail the Participation and Representation in democracy. 15

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