

## QUESTION BANK – BA PART I (SEM I) – POLITICAL SCIENCE

### PAPER – FOUNDATIONS OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

#### Part I – Short answer (2 marks each)

1. Define the meaning of Political Science.
2. Write the duration of Traditional Political Science.
3. Write four names of traditional approaches.
4. Who is considered the Father of Political science?
5. "The Political science begins and ends with state" – who quote this?
6. Write four scholars name of Modern Political Science
7. Two characteristics of Modern Political science.
8. What is the meaning of science?
9. Write four differences between Traditional and contemporary Approaches to Political Science.
10. Write four contributions of the Traditional Approach in Political Science
11. Write four scholars names of Traditional Political Science?
12. Define the Behaviouralism.
13. What is the contribution of the Chicago School in Political Science?
14. What do you mean by SET in reference to Behaviouralism?
15. Write two responsible factors for Post Behaviouralism
16. What is Post Behaviouralism
17. What do you mean by the credo of Relevancy?
18. Write two responsible factors for Behaviouralism.
19. Write two characteristics of post-behaviouralism.
20. What do you mean by the Interdisciplinary approach?
21. Write the meaning of the word "Discipline"
22. Why Inter-Disciplinary Approach Supported by Modern Political Science?
23. Why Political Science and history are interdependent
24. Define the relation between Politics and economics.
25. Write two similarities between Political science and Sociology.
26. Define the word Authority.
27. What do you mean by Power in Political Science?
28. Write the types of Authority.
29. Define Legitimacy
30. Define the types of power.
31. Write two features of Power.
32. Who states that "Political Science is the science of Power."
33. Give two examples of legal authority.
34. What is the relation between Power, Authority and legitimacy?
35. Write the name of supporters of Power in the modern era.
36. Who is the writer of the famous book "Politics among Nations"?
37. Writer name – "Political System"
38. Writer name – "New Aspects of Political Science"
39. Writer of this famous book "The Politics".
40. Write two differences between Power and Authority.

**Part II (5 marks for Each question)**

1. Define Political Science according to the Traditional Approach.
2. Explain the difference between Traditional and Modern Approach.
3. Evaluate the nature of Political Science.
4. Define Political Science according to the Contemporary Approach.
5. What is the Behaviouralism?
6. Define Post Behaviouralism.
7. Explain the differences between Behaviouralism and Post Behaviouralism
8. What do you understand by Interdisciplinary Approach.
9. Discuss the relation between Politics and History/Sociology.
10. Write the importance of role of Power in Politics.
11. Define the features and types of Authority.
12. What do you understand by Legitimacy.
13. Explain the relationship between Power, Authority and Legitimacy.
14. Write a short note on Constitutionalism.
15. Explain the difference between the Constitution and Constitutionalism.

**Part III – Descriptive Questions (20 marks for Each question)**

1. Define the meaning, nature, Scope, and features of Political Science according to Traditional Approach.
2. Define the meaning, definition, and features of Political Science according to Modern Approach and differentiate between both, the traditional and modern approach.
3. Critically evaluate Behaviouralism as the modern approach.
4. Write an essay on post-Behaviouralism.
5. Is Post Behaviouralism similar to the Traditional approach of Political Science?
6. Define the Interdisciplinary Approach with importance in modern study of political science.
7. Discuss the relation between Political science and Economics, and Political science with geography.
8. Explain the role of Power in Politics with its types and sources.
9. Write the meaning of Authority and difference between Power and Authority.
10. Describe the comparative study of Power, Authority and Legitimacy.

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