

**ST. JOSEPH’S UNIVERSITY, BENGALURU-27**

**B.A 4th SEMESTER OPEN ELECTIVE**

**DEPARTMENT OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, PEACE AND PUBLIC POLICY**

**END SEMESTER EXAMINATION: May 2024**

**IRPOE4- India And The World**

Time- 2 hrs Max Marks-60

This question paper contains two printed pages and three parts.

**Part A**

**Answer any FIVE of the following questions in about 40-50 words each (3x5=15)**

1. What are the main features of the Indian constitution?
2. What is the composition of the Lok Sabha and the Rajya Sabha.
3. Define foreign policy.
4. What are the guiding principles of India’s foreign policy?
5. What is SAARC?
6. What is Non Alignment Movement (NAM)?
7. List out India’s interest in the African Union?

**Part B**

**Answer any THREE of the following questions in about 100-150 words each (5x3=15)**

1. Discuss India's role in the global arena in the context of rising powers and multipolarity.
2. Explain the significance of India's strategic partnership with Japan in the Indo-Pacific region.
3. What are some of the factors hindering effective regional cooperation in South Asia?
4. Discuss the evolution of the party system in India since independence.
5. Critically analyze the historical and contemporary issues in India's relations with Pakistan.

**Part C**

**Answer any TWO of the following questions in about 200-250 words each (15x2=30)**

1. Discuss the changing dynamics of India's relationship with Russia in the context of the Ukraine war.
2. Explain the rationale behind India's Look East Policy and its evolution into the Act East Policy.
3. Explain the historical context and growing importance of India's relations with the African Union.
4. Explain the concept of Panchsheel. How have these principles guided India’s foreign policy since independence?