

ST JOSEPH'S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), BENGALURU-27
SEMESTER EXAMINATION, OCTOBER 2019
B.A FIRST SEMESTER (HEP&EPS)
POLITICAL SCIENCE
PSA 118: CORE CONCEPTS OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

TIME: 2 ½ HRS

MAX MARKS: 70

THIS PAPER CONTAINS ONE PRINTED PAGE AND THREE PARTS

Part- A

I Answer any **Four** of the following questions in about 60 words each (4x4=16)

1. Give the Contemporary meaning of Political science.
2. What is Rousseau's concept of General will?
3. What are the different kinds of sovereignty?
4. Trace the origin of the Concept of Law.
5. What is Affirmative action?

Part-B

II Answer any **Three** of the following questions in about 150 words each (3x8=24)

6. Define state. Bring out the elements of state.
7. Elucidate the contemporary challenges to state sovereignty.
8. Give the meaning of Civil and Criminal Law and differentiate them with suitable examples.
9. Explain Natural rights theory of H.L.A Hart.

Part-C

III Answer any **Two** of the following questions in about 250 words each (2x15=30)

10. Bring out the Nature and Scope of Political Science.
11. Discuss the different State forms.
12. What are the characteristics of Sovereignty? Explain Pluralist theory of sovereignty.
13. Write short notes on: (In about 80 words each)
 - (a) Marxian School of Law
 - (b) Human rights
 - (c) Duties of citizens towards the state

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