



Centre for Distance and Open Learning
Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi - 110025

Assignments_(2019-20)

M.A. Political Science (Semester - II)

STUDENT ASSIGNMENTS

(SESSION 2019-20)

INSTRUCTIONS

The students are required to read carefully and follow the instructions given below:

- Submission of one complete Assignment in each course of the programme every semester is compulsory.
- Completed Assignments on A4 sheet paper / Assignment booklets are to be submitted by post to the CDOL, JMI and also send a soft copy of assignment to njamal2@jmi.ac.in/ hsiddiqui1@jmi.ac.in
- Write your name, roll number and other details as required on the cover page of **Assignment Booklet**.
- **Please go through your Programme Guide / <https://www.jmi.ac.in/cdol> carefully.**
- The last date of Submission of the Soft copy of the Assignment is 31 may 2020.

Western Political Thought-II

Code: DMPS-201

Max.Marks:25

Note: Attempt any **FIVE** questions out of seven questions below. All questions carry equal Marks.

- 1) Explain Kant's moral theory by linking it to his main philosophy.
- 2) Explain the role that State plays in Kant's political philosophy.
- 3) Elucidate the concept of Dialectics and its role in Hegel's political philosophy.
- 4) What is the role of ethics in Hegel's politics?

- 5) Describe Marx's critique of the ideology of Capitalism.
- 6) Discuss the political alternatives that Marx has highlighted in his theory.
- 7) Explain Hegel's criticisms of Kant's philosophy.

Indian Political System: Constitution and Institutions

Code: DMPS-202

Max.Marks:25

Note: Attempt any **FIVE** questions out of seven questions below. All questions carry equal Marks.

- 1) Critically examine the Role of Constituent Assembly in the making of the Indian Constitution.
- 2) Explain the distinction between the Individual and Group rights that are enshrined in the Indian Constitution.
- 3) Discuss the role Indian Parliament with reference to its sovereignty and performance.
- 4) Discuss the evolving pattern of Centre-State relations in India.
- 5) Analyse the nature and challenges of Indian secularism.
- 6) Explain the structure of Indian judiciary while focussing on the powers of Supreme court.
- 7) Write Short notes on:
 - a) Panchayati Raj Institutions
 - b) Bureaucracy

International Politics: Themes & Issues

Code: DMPS-203

Max.Marks:25

Note: Attempt any **FIVE** questions out of seven questions below. All questions carry equal Marks.

- Q1. What is disarmament? Assess the challenges and hurdles in its achievement.
- Q2. Define Globalisation and examine its impact on international politics.
- Q3. Critically analyse important issues of Human Rights in this era.
- Q4. Define Feminism and discuss the role of women in the development of a country.
- Q5. Discuss the significance of sustainable development in developing and poor countries.
- Q6. Define nuclear non-proliferation. Analyse the Non-proliferation treaty (NPT).
- Q7. What is New Terrorism? Differentiate it from traditional terrorism.

India's Foreign Policy

Code: DMPS-204

Max.Marks:25

Note: Attempt any **FIVE** questions out of seven questions below. All questions carry equal Marks.

1. Discuss Realist and Liberal approaches to Foreign Policy.
2. Highlight the principles and objectives of India's Foreign Policy.
3. Assess the impact of Domestic Determinants on India's Foreign Policy.
4. Explain India's policy towards China.

5. Give an account of Indo-US Relations in the post cold war era.
6. Discuss the relevance of non-alignment movement in the post-cold war era.
7. Write Short notes on:
 - a) Gulf Cooperation Council
 - b) European Union

Indian Political Thought

Code: DMPS-205

Max.Marks:25

Note: Attempt any **FIVE** questions out of seven questions below. All questions carry equal Marks

1. Explain different approaches to the study of Indian political thought.
2. Explain the role played by Raja Ram Mohan Roy in women's liberation movement.
3. Elucidate the concept of Ahimsa by keeping Gandhian politics in mind.
4. What is the role played by Ambedkar in the fight against Caste oppression?
5. Describe Tagore's critique of the ideology of Nationalism.
6. Discuss Mohammad Ali Jinnah's two nation theory.
7. Analyse Sir Syed Ahmed Khan's contribution to education of the Muslim community.