

Ba/Pol-502

2023

(5th Semester)

POLITICAL SCIENCE

(Honours)

Paper No. : Pol-502

(Issues in World Politics)

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 45%

Time : 3 hours

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

1. (a) What is the meaning and nature of terrorism? Trace the origin of terrorism. 7+7=14

Or

- (b) How is terrorism different from other forms of violence? Enumerate the political and socio-economic impact of terrorism. 4+10=14

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2. (a) Explain the meaning of Human Rights.
Discuss the significance of Human Rights in the 21st century. 9+5=14

Or

- (b) What are the different dimensions of Human Rights? Write a short note on the Universal Declaration of Human Rights (UDHR) adopted by the United Nations in 1948. 7+7=14

3. (a) Discuss the relevance of environmental issues in global politics. What are the various policies and measures adopted by the international community for environmental protection? 5+9=14

Or

- (b) What do you understand by global warming? Discuss the root causes and impact of global warming. 4+10=14

4. (a) How is neo-colonialism different from classical colonialism? What are the different mechanisms through which neo-colonialism is perpetuated by powerful nations over weaker nations? 3+10=14

Or

- (b) Critically examine the nature and impact of neo-colonialism. 14

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5. (a) What is multipolarity in international politics? Do you agree that we live in a multipolar world order today? Give reasons for your answer with suitable examples. 5+9=14

Or

- (b) What do you mean by Bipolar World Order? Examine bipolarity during the Cold War and its end in the post-Cold War era. 7+7=14
