



(23) **Ba/POL/H/C-20**

2026

(FYUGP)

(8th Semester)

POLITICAL SCIENCE

(MAJOR)

Paper : POL/H/C-20

(**Public Administration : Theories and Concepts**)

Full Marks : 75

Pass Marks : 40%

Time : 3 hours

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

UNIT—I

1. Assess the evolution of Public Administration
as an academic discipline. 15

Or

What is New Public Administration? Discuss
the major themes of New Public
Administration. 5+10=15

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UNIT—II

2. Explain the Administrative Management theory. Examine the contribution of Luther Gulick and Urwick to the development of administrative theory. 5+10=15

Or

Critically evaluate Max Weber's ideal-type bureaucracy. 15

UNIT—III

3. Discuss Herbert Simon's decision-making approach in Public Administration. 15

Or

Analyze the basic assumptions of Douglas McGregor's theory X and theory Y. Discuss its impact on management and organizations. 10+5=15

UNIT—IV

4. Explain F. W. Riggs ecological approach to Public Administration with special reference to prismatic society. 15

Or

Elucidate Peter F. Drucker's concept of Innovation and Entrepreneurship and its relevance in organizations.

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UNIT—V

5. Define E-Governance. Discuss the key challenges faced in its implementation. 5+10=15

Or

How has globalization impacted Public Administration? Evaluate. 15

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