

2018

M.A.

Part-I Examination

POLITICAL SCIENCE

PAPER—III

Full Marks : 100

Time : 4 hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary.

The questions are of equal value.

Write the answers to questions of each half in separate books.

Answer any six questions taking three from each Half.

First Half

1. Discuss the nature and scope of Political Sociology.
2. Examine Marx's views on the nature of the state.
3. Analyse the basic characteristics of Pareto's 'Circulation of Elites'.

(Turn Over)

4. Discuss the types and nature of authority as per Weber's analysis.
5. Examine the role of ethnicity and language for social movements in contemporary India.
6. Discuss the process of political socialisation and mention its importance in a democratic country like India.

Second Half

7. Examine the nature of the study of rural community from political and sociological perspectives.
8. Write a brief essay on the nature and forms of inequality in rural India.
9. Do you believe that Indian 'Dalits' are becoming the determining elements of politics in several Indian states? Argue your case.
10. Write in detail the impact of reservation politics in India.
11. Examine the changing pattern of rural-leadership in post-independent India.
12. Point out the main problems of caste politics in West Bengal.