

# Senior Secondary Course

Political Science. Code-317

## Section A

### 1 to 5 Objective Type each carrying 1 mark

1, Right to Equality aims at Establishing \_\_\_\_ equality

A, Social

2, Federation has a \_\_\_\_ Constitution

A, Written

3, The \_\_\_\_ may change the area of a state by law

A, Parliament

4, The concept of Panchayati raj was Advocated by \_\_\_\_

A, Mahatma Gandhi

5, \_\_\_\_ is the major source of income of urban local bodies

A, Property tax

### 6 to 9 very short question each carrying 2 marks

6, Explain Panchsheel

- \* Mutual respect for each others territorial integrity and sovereignty
- \* Mutual non-aggression
- \* Equality and Mutual benefit
- \* Peaceful co-existence

7, Discuss the main hindrance to good governance

- \* Corruption
- \* Population Growth
- \* Culture of Violence

8, Distinguish between state and nation

- \* The sate is a state because it is sovereign
- \* The nation is not a sate if it is not sovereign

- \* The elements of the state are definite population, Government and sovereignty

- \* The elements of a nation are not definite

9, Explain main ideas of Gandhian Principles

- \* Critic of Western Civilization

- \* Decentralisation

- \* Trusteeship

- \* Sarvodaya and Ramyaraja

## **Section B**

### **10 to 13 Short answer type questions carrying 3 marks**

10, What are the powers and functions of parliament

- \* Legislative functions

- \* Executive functions

- \* Financial functions

- \* Electoral functions

- \* power of removal

- \* Functions regarding amendment of constitution

11, Explain Sustainable Development

- \* The world commission on environment and development

- \* Submitted its report entitled our common future in 1987

- \* The need of present generation without compromising ,

- \* The need of future generations

- \* Energy and its resource may be renewed

- \* Recycling of waste into raw-material

12, Define public opinion and its characteristics

- \* The term public means section of society, sharing common interests

- \* Public opinion necessarily reflects diversity of opinion

- \* Public opinion ensures democratic communication

- \* There is no fixed territory or area for public opinion

13, Explain Electoral followed during Lok Sabha or Assembly Elections

- \* Notification for Election
- \* Filling of Nomination
- \* Security deposit
- \* Scrutiny and Withdrawal
- \* Election Campaign
- \* Model code of conduct

**Section C Essay type questions each carrying 5 marks ( Any One )**

14, Briefly Discuss the salient features of the 73<sup>rd</sup> Amendment of the constitution of India

- 1, Creation of a Three – tier Panchayati Raj Structure at the zila , block and village levels
- 2, Almost all posts, at all levels to be filled by direct elections
- 3, Minimum age for contesting elections to the Panchayati Raj Institutions be 21years
- 4, The post of Chairman at the Zila and block levels should be filled by indirect elections
- 5, A state finance commission is set up in each state every five years

15, Role of computers and information Technology in good governance

- 1, Delivery of Services to the people at low cost
- 2, Empowerment of people through dissemination of information
- 3, Openness and transparency in the working of government
- 4, Effective linkages between citizens and the administrations
- 5, Comprehensive monitoring and assessment of the performance of the government

