22. Political Science

B.A. Political Science-Opt  Total Mark: 100

Appendix ‘A’

(Outlines of Tests)

Political Section  :  100 Marks
Section-I: Political Theory  :  60 Marks
Section-II: Constitution of Pakistan  :  40 Marks

Appendix ‘B’

(Syllabi and Courses of Reading)

Political Science  100 Marks

Section-I: Political Theory:  60 Marks

1. The nature and scope of Political Science, its relations to other social sciences; fields of specialists within Political Science; Political Theory, Political Dynamics; International Relations-Comparative Governments and Public Administration: goals and uses of Political Science and the problems of the study of Political Science in the modern times.


3. Theories of the State:
   1. Theories concerning origin of the State (briefly): purpose and end of the state.
   2. Concepts of Sovereignty, its meaning and attributes, etc., including the Islamic concepts of Sovereignty.
   3. The functions of the State.

4. The State and the Individual:
   1. Right Theory of Natural rights: Political and Civil rights: rights and responsibilities.
   2. Liberty, its meaning, liberty and equality, adjustment of liberty and sovereignty.
   3. Law, definition and nature, the sources of law, law and morality, law and opinion, the administration of Justice, i.e., judiciary.

5. Organization of the State:
   1. Unitary
   3. Others (Confederations, Unions, etc.)

6. Forms of Government and their characteristics:
2. Representative Government Parliamentary and Presidential system; Separation of Powers.
3. Dictatorship—characteristics and various types.

7. Election and the Party System:
   1. Political Parties—Definition, Party functions. Types of party system. Two party system and multi-party system.

8. Modern Political Thought:
   Individualism. Socialism, Communism, idealism, Fascism.

**Section-II: Constitution of Pakistan:**

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**Books Recommended:**