

M.A. (Final)
Political Science
Paper-VI
Comparative Politics and Political Analysis

M. Marks : 100

Time : 3 Hrs.

Note: 10 Questions will be set-2 from each unit. The candidate is required to attempt 5 questions, selecting one from each unit.

Unit-I

Evolution of Comparative Politics as a discipline: Nature and scope: Approaches to the study of Comparative Politics: Traditional, Structural-Functional, Systems and Marxist Constitutionalism: Concepts, Problems and Limitations.

Unit-II

Forms of Government: Unitary-Federal, Parliamentary-Presidential: Organs of government: Executive, Legislative and Judiciary-their Interrelationship in comparative perspective: India, USA, U.K. and Switzerland.

Unit-III

Political Development, Political Modernization, Political Culture, Political Socialization/and Political Communication.

Unit-IV

Party systems and pressure Groups: Electoral systems

Unit-V

Political Elite: Elitist theory of Democracy: Bureaucracy-Types and role: Separation of Powers, Rule of Law, Judicial-Review Power. Authority and Legitimacy.