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**FIRST SEMESTER (CUFYUGP) DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2025**

Political Science

POL1CJ101—FOUNDATIONS OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

(Admission Year : 2024 only)

Time : Two Hours

Maximum : 70 Marks

*Answers can be written in English or Malayalam.***Section A***Answer all questions.  
Each question carries 3 marks.*

1. What is Politics ?
2. Describe the Legal Approach ?
3. Analyse the meaning and nature of state ?
4. Explain Social Contract Theory ?
5. Describe the meaning Sovereignty ?
6. Evaluate the Types of Executives ?
7. Examine the features of Parliamentary form of Government ?
8. Discuss Independence of Judiciary ?
9. Identify the characteristics of Single party system ?
10. Write a note on Majoritarian system of election ?

(Ceiling 24 marks)

**Section B***Answer all questions.  
Each question carries 6 marks.*

11. Describe the Scope and Significance of Political Science ?
12. Prepare a brief note on Post-Behaviouralism ?
13. Describe the Pluralistic Theory of sovereignty ?

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14. Examine the Elements of State ?
15. Evaluate the theory of Separation of power ?
16. Analyse the functions of modern judiciary ?
17. Define Interest groups? Discuss the role of Interest groups ?
18. Write a short essay on Party System ?

(Ceiling 36 marks)

### **Section C**

*Answer any one question.*

*The question carries 10 marks.*

19. What is Political Behaviouralism? Analyse salient Features of political behaviouralism ?
20. Analyse the structure and important functions of Legislature ?

(1 × 10 = 10 marks)

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**Section A***Answer all questions.**Each question carries 3 marks.**Ceiling 24 marks.*

1. Examine the Common Good View of Politics.
2. Analyse Traditional view of Politics.
3. Describe the features of Post-Behaviouralism.
4. Differentiate between the types of Sovereignty.
5. Identify the Elements of State.
6. Describe the Divine Origin Theory of State.
7. Explain the significance of theory of Separation of power.
8. Examine merits and demerits of Presidential form of Government.
9. Differentiate the Tactics of Pressure Groups.
10. Evaluate the methods of Proportional Representation.

**Section B***Answer all questions.**Each question carries 6 marks.**Ceiling 36 marks.*

11. Examine the various definitions of Political Science.
12. Discuss Philosophical Approach to Political Science.

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13. Examine Social Contract Theory.
14. Evaluate the Features of Sovereignty.
15. Differentiate the types of Executives..
16. Prepare a brief note on the Structure of Legislature.
17. Define Election. Identify the methods of election.
18. Debate the role and significance of Pressure groups.

### **Section C**

*Answer any **one** question.*

*The question carries 10 marks.*

19. Analyse the meaning of Sovereignty. Estimate Monistic theory of Sovereignty.
20. Define Political Party. Examine the Classification of Political Parties.

(1 × 10 = 10 marks)