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Semester-II, Option-I: Indian Politics

Max. Marks: 80 Time: 3 Hrs.

Note for the Paper-Setter

Total Nine Questions to be set, Selecting at least two questions from each unit and ninth question will be Objective Multiple Choice (2 marks each) covering the whole syllabi.

Note for the student

Attempt any five questions. All questions carry equal marks.

- **Unit-I** Federalism and its Working with reference to Centre-State Relations, Demand For State Autonomy; Emerging Trends in Indian Federalism.
- **Unit-II** Election Commission, Electoral Process and its Defects and Voting Behaviour, Electoral Reforms, Problem of Defection.
- **Unit-III** Party System in India: National and Regional Political Parties, Interest and Pressure Groups.
- **Unit-IV** Role of Caste, Religion, Language, Regionalism in India, Politics of Reservation, Emerging Trends and Challenges Before Indian Political System.

Note: Internal Assessment Max. Marks: 20

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