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MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMME IN POLITICAL SCIENCE

Assignments (M. A. Second Year Courses) July 2019 and January 2020 Sessions



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OPTIONAL COURSES: M.A. II Year (Political Science)

Dear Student,

You will have to do a Tutor Marked Assignment for each of the courses in the Master's Degree Programme in Political Science. Each assignment has descriptive and short category questions. Descriptive Category Questions (DCQs) are meant for writing essay type answers, with an introduction and a conclusion. These are intended to test your ability to describe your understanding/knowledge about the topic in a systematic, to-the-point and coherent manner. Short Category Questions (SCQs) require you to first analyse the topic in terms of arguments and explanations and then write the answers in a concise manner. They are meant to test your understanding of the concepts and processes, and your capacity to critically analyse them.

Before you attempt the assignments, please read the instructions carefully provided in the Programme Guide. It is important that you answer all the TMA questions in your own words. Your answers should be within the approximate range of the word-limit set for a particular section. Remember, writing answers to assignment questions will improve your writing skills and prepare you for the term-end examination.

This booklet has assignments of all II year courses in Political Science. Do the assignments of only those courses for which you are enrolled and leave the rest.

Submission:

You need to submit all the assignments within the stipulated time for being eligible to appear in the term-end examination. The completed assignments should be submitted as per the following schedule.

Last date of Submission	Whom to submit
March 31, 2020 for July 2019 Session	The Coordinator of the Study Centre allotted to you
September 30, 2020 for January 2020 Session	

Please obtain a receipt from the Study Centre for the assignments submitted and retain it. If possible, keep a xerox copy of the assignments with you.

The Study Centre will return the assignments to you after they are evaluated. It has to send the marks to the SR&E Division at IGNOU, New Delhi.

GUIDELINES FOR DOING ASSIGNMENTS

We expect you to answer each question as per guidelines mentioned in the assignment. You will find it useful to keep the following points in mind:

- 1) **Planning:** Read the assignments carefully, go through the Units on which they are based. Make some points regarding each question and then rearrange them in a logical order.
- **Organisation:** Be a little selective and analytic before drawing up a rough outline of your answer. Give adequate attention to your introduction and conclusion.

Make sure that your answer:

- a) is logical and coherent;
- b) has clear connections between sentences and paragraphs, and
- c) is written correctly giving adequate consideration to your expression, style and presentation.
- 3) **Presentation:** Once you are satisfied with your answer, you can write down the final version for submission, writing each answer neatly and underlining the points you wish to emphasize. Make sure that the answer is within the stipulated word limit.

Wishing you all the best,

Faculty of Political Science

INDIA AND THE WORLD (MPSE-001) TUTOR MARKED ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: MPSE-001

Assignment Code: ASST/TMA/2019-20

Marks: 100

Answer any five questions in about 500 words each. Attempt at least two questions from each section. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION-I

- 1. Highlight the points of divergence in the Realist and Inter-dependence approaches to the study of Indian foreign policy.
- 2. Explain the determinants of India's foreign policy.
- 3. Discuss the role of parliament in foreign policy making. How do the parliamentary committees help in formulation of foreign policy making?
- 4. Examine the significance of European Union for India's foreign policy.
- 5. Comment on the bilateral relations between India and Russia after the disintegration of the Soviet Union.

SECTION-II

- 6. a) Key issues of conflict between India and Pakistan
 - b) Key features of India's Nuclear Policy
- 7. a) India's bilateral partnership with ASEAN
 - b) Geo –Strategic importance of Central Asia.
- 8. a) India relation with Latin American countries
 - b) India Africa Relations
- 9. a) India's disarmament policy
 - b) India's relations with SAARC countries
- 10. a) MNCs in the contemporary international relations
 - b) India's association with the Commonwealth

STATE AND SOCIETY IN LATIN AMERICA (MPSE-002) TUTOR MARKED ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: MPSE-002

Assignment Code: ASST/TMA/2019-20

Marks: 100

Answer any five questions in about 500 words each. Attempt at least two questions from each section. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION-I

- 1. Describe the ideas and circumstances that led to the independence movements in Latin America.
- 2. Contemporary Latin America is in many ways a prisoner of its colonial legacy. Discuss.
- 3. Explain the impact of economic liberalisation and globalisation in Latin American society.
- 4. Unregulated markets are leading to social chaos and catastrophes. Discuss with suitable examples from Latin America.
- 5. Examine the relationship between democracy and economic development in the context of recent Latin American experience.

SECTION-II

- 6. a) Features of populist movements in Latin America
 - b) Cyclical pattern of the transition of democracy in Latin America
- 7. a) Latin America and India
 - b) Latin America and the European Union
- 8. a) Role of Military in Latin American Politics
 - b) Revolution in Latin America
- 9. a) Agrarian and land rights in Latin America
 - b) Latin America and the Asia Pacific Region
- 10. a) Features of the Cuban revolution
 - b) Civil society in Latin America

WESTERN POLITICAL THOUGHT (From Plato to Marx) (MPSE - 003) Tutor Marked Assignment

Course Code: MPSE-003

Assignment Code: ASST/TMA/2019-20

Marks: 100

Answer any five questions in about 500 words each. Attempt at least two questions from each section. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION -I

- 1. Discuss the major contents of western political thought. What is the significance of western political thought?
- 2. Explain J. S. Mill's contribution to liberalism and equal rights for women.
- 3. Examine Aristotle's theory of Justice.
- 4. Explain St. Thomas Aguinas' views on law and the state.
- 5. Discuss Machiavelli's doctrine of self-aggrandizement-- "the ends justify the means."

SECTION -II

- 6. a) Thomas Hobbes on the state of nature and natural rights
 - b) John Lock on consent, resistance and toleration
- 7. a) Rousseau's critique of civil society
 - b) Edmund Burke's views on citizenship
- 8. a) Immanuel Kant on property, social contract and the state
 - b) Jeremy Bentham's political philosophy
- 9. a) Alex De Tocqueville on democracy, revolution and the modern State
 - b) Rousseau's General Will
- 10. a) Hegel's philosophy of history
 - b) Marx's theory of alienation

SOCIAL AND POLITICAL THOUGHT IN MODERN INDIA (MPSE-004) Tutor Marked Assignment

Course Code: MPSE-004

Assignment Code: ASST/TMA/2019-20

Marks: 100

Answer any five questions in about 500 words each. Attempt at least two questions from each section. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION -I

- 1. Discuss the nature of state and sovereignty in medieval India.
- 2. Write an essay on nationalism and colonial modernity in the 19th century India.
- 3. Write a note on social reform and the 'Hindu Renaissance' in 19th century India.
- 4. Elaborate the role of Jyotiba Phule as a social revolutionary.
- 5. Compare the Moderates and Extremists in the nationalist movement.

SECTION -II

- 6. a) Sri Aurobindo on passive resistance
 - b) Background of the rise of Hindu nationalist ideology
- 7. a) Maulana Maududi's views on Nationalism
 - b) Pandita Ramabai's fight against patriarchy
- 8. a) Jaipal Singh on championing Adivasi identity
 - b) Gandhi on the relationship between religion and politics
- 9. a) Jawaharlal Nehru's theory of culture
 - b) Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's ideological orientation
- 10. a) Rabindranath Tagore's theory of freedom and self-realisation
 - b) M.N. Roy's Radical Humanism

STATE AND SOCIETY IN AFRICA (MPSE-005) Tutor Marked Assignment

Course Code: MPSE-005

Assignment Code : ASST/TMA/2019-20

Marks: 100

Answer any five questions in about 500 words each. Attempt at least two questions from each section. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION-I

- 1. Assess the impact of European colonialism on politics and society in Africa.
- 2. Explain the process of colonization of Africa.
- 3. Describe the major challenges to nationalism and integration in Africa.
- 4. Examine the impact of globalisation on Africa's economic development.
- 5. Discuss the emergence and growth of political parties in Africa.

SECTION-II

- 6. a) Independence Movement in Africa
 - b) Authoritarian Regimes in Africa
- 7. a) Big power involvement in Africa's politics
 - b) Post -cold war Africa
- 8. a) Nationalism and Nation building in Africa
 - b) Human Security in sub -Saharan Africa
- 9. a) India Africa relations
 - b) Cause of violence in Africa
- 10. a) Resurgence of Ethnic conflict in Burundi and Rwanda in 1990
 - b) US interest and objectives in Africa during the 1990s

PEACE AND CONFLICT STUDIES (MPSE-006) TUTOR MARKED ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: MPSE-006

Assignment Code: ASST/TMA/2019-20

Marks: 100

Answer any five questions in about 500 words each. Attempt at least two questions from each section. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION -I

- 1. Critically examine the different aspects of human behaviour in the study of peace and conflict.
- 2. What is war? Explain the difference between realist and Marxist view of war?
- 3. Examine the differences between Boulding and Galtung in their conception of peace and programme for achieving peace.
- 4. Critically analyse the power of the Security Council related to peaceful settlement of disputes.
- 5. Write an essay on Gandhian approach to peace and non-violence.

SECTION -II

- 6. a) Kenneth Boulding's conception of peace
 - b) Nuclear deterrence
- 7. a) Feminist approach to the study of peace
 - b) Direct and Structural violence
- 8. a) the role of NGO in Conflict resolution
 - b) International Peace Model on the basis of distribution of power among nations
- 9. a) Gandhian approach to the War
 - b) Challenges to human security in the age of globalization
- 10. a) Role of International Court of Justice in settlement of disputes
 - b) Difference between arms control and disarmament

SOCIAL MOVEMENTS AND POLITICS IN INDIA (MPSE-007) TUTOR MARKED ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: MPSE-007

Assignment Code: ASST/TMA/2019-20

Marks: 100

Answer any five questions in about 500 words each. Attempt at least two questions from each section. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION-I

- 1. How do you relate state, market and social movements to each other? Explain.
- 2. Discuss the impact of globalisation on farmers and working classes in India.
- 3. Analyse the different approaches to study ethnic movements.
- 4. Analyse the characteristics of farmers' movements in India.
- 5. What are the reasons for the rise and growth of regional movements in India?

SECTION-II

- 6. Write notes on the following in about 250 words each:
 - a) Limitations of BSP
 - b) Structure-function approach to study of social movement
- 7. Answers the following questions in about 250 words:
 - a) Fisher Folks' Movements in South India
 - b) Relative Deprivation Theory
- 8. Comment on the following in about 250 words each:
 - a) Working Class movement.
 - b) Narmada Bachao Andolan
- 9. Analyse the following in about 250 words:
 - a) Importance of social movements in democratic system
 - b) New Social Movements
- 10. Discuss the following in about 250 words each:
 - a) Differences between the backward class movemnet in south and north India
 - b) Urban-based Environment Movements

STATE POLITICS IN INDIA (MPSE-008) TUTOR MARKED ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: MPSE-008

Assignment Code: ASST/TMA/2019-20

Marks: 100

Answer any five questions in about 500 words each. Attempt at least two questions from each section. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION-1

- 1. Compare the systemic and post-modernist frameworks to study state politics.
- 2. Discuss the impact of the rise of regional forces on state politics.
- 3. Critically analyse the determinants of electoral behaviour.
- 4. Write an essay on Sustainable development.
- 5. Analyse the reasons for the breakdown of "Congress System".

SECTION-II

- 6. Write notes on the following in about 250 words each:
 - a) Development as freedom
 - b) Green Revolution
- 7. Answers the following questions in about 250 words:
 - a) Regional parties
 - b) Electoral Reforms
- 8. Comment on the following in about 250 words each:
 - a) Politics of water disputes
 - b) Regional Disparities in India
- 9. Analyse the following in about 250 words:
 - a) Impact of globalisation on the state politics.
 - b) Linguistic minorities and politics.
- 10. Discuss the following in about 250 words each:
 - a) Social Capital
 - b) Features of autonomy movements

CANADA: POLITICS AND SOCIETY (MPSE-009) TUTOR MARKED ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: MPSE-009

Assignment Code: ASST/TMA/2019-20

Marks: 100

Answer any five questions in about 500 words each. Attempt at least two questions from each section. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION-1

- 1. Discuss the process of state building/confederation of states in Canada.
- 2. Analyse the distinctive functions of the party systems in Canada.
- 3. Define Human security and analyse the Canada's integrated approach to development.
- 4. Write an essay on the nature, role and limitations of civil society participation in Canada's political process.
- 5. Describe the objectives and the ideology of the multiculturalism policy as adopted in Canada.

SECTION-II

- 6. a) Basic features of the constitution o Canada.
 - b) Pressure groups in Canada
- 7. a) Public administration in Canada political system.
 - b) Evolution of party system in Canada.
- 8. a) Environmental Movements
 - b) Liberal Internationalism
- 9. a) Immigrants and Minorities in Canada.
 - b) Characteristics of Canada federalism.
- 10. a) Ideological and Social bases and nature Quebec Separatist movements in Canada
 - b) Nature and role of NGOs in Social Movements in Canada.

EUROPEAN UNION IN WORLD AFFAIRS (MPSE-011) Tutor Marked Assignment

Course Code: MPSE-011

Assignment Code: ASST/TMA/2019-20

Marks: 100

Answer any five questions in about 500 words each. Attempt at least two questions from each section. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION-1

- 1. Discuss the formation of European Community and its implication for the world trade.
- 2. Why is the Maastricht Treaty considered as the treaty of European Union?
- 3. Critacally analyse the role of the European parliament in democratising and providing legitimacy to the European union.
- 4. Compare the nature and utility of regional integration in Europe and South Asia.
- 5. Examine the factors that facilitated the development of a common European security and Defence Policy.

SECTION-II

- 6. a) Decision Making in the European Union
 - b) Formation of the idea of single European Market
- 7. a) Main provision of the EU constitutional treaty
 - b) Advantage of single currency in Europe
- 8. a) Role of United Kingdome in the European Union
 - b) Brexit
- 9. a) Process of of enlargement of the European Union
 - b) Features of EU- China relations
- 10. a) India and the European Union
 - b) European Union's developmental policy

STATE AND SOCIETY IN AUSTRALIA (MPSE-012) Tutor Marked Assignment

Course Code: MPSE-012

Assignment Code: ASST/TMA/2019-20

Marks: 100

Answer five questions in about 500 words each. Attempt at least two questions from each section. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION-I

- 1. Briefly explain the changing colonial attributes and policies to the aboriginal community in Australia Society.
- 2. Examine the ethno-cultural identity of the Indian diaspora in Australia.
- 3. Describe Australia's multicultural policy. What impact does it have on immigrants to Australia?
- 4. Write the following in your own words:
 - a) The Australian labour party
 - b) The minor parties in Australia
- 5. Examine the working of federalism in Australia.

SECTION-II

- 6. a) Rise of Nationalism in Australia
 - b) Women's political participation in Australia
- 7. a) Evolution of the White Australia policy
 - b) Indian diaspora in Australia
- 8. a) Australian economy in the era of globalisation
 - b) Restructuring of the Australian economy
- 9. a) Liberal Party in Australia
 - b) Pressures Groups in Australia
- 10. a) Australia's engagement with world economy
 - b) Gender and women issues in Australia

AUSTRALIA'S FOREIGN POLICY (MPSE-013) Tutor Marked Assignment

Course Code: MPSE-013

Assignment Code: ASST/TMA/2019-20

Marks: 100

Answer five questions in about 500 words each. Attempt at least two questions from each section. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION-I

- 1. Examine the changing nature of Australia's foreign policy.
- 2. Explain the significant change in Australia's foreign policy.
- 3. Discuss the structure, process and policy implementation of Australia's foreign policy.
- 4. Examine the nature of Australia's economic relation with ASEAN.
- 5. Briefly explain changing perception of Australia.

SECTION-II

- 6. a) Australia relation with the United States
 - b) Australia's International trade
- 7. a) Australia's economic relations with ASEAN
 - b) Economic co operation between India Australia
- 8. a) Dynamics of Australia –Indonesia relations
 - b) Australia's relation with the China
- 9. a) Australia's policy of fighting terrorism in the region
 - b) Australia's nation interest in the Indian Ocean Region (IoR)
- 10. a) Contemporary immigration in Australia
 - b) Australian governments towards energy conservation

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT: ISSUES AND CHALLENGES (MED-002) Tutor Marked Assignment

Course Code: MED-002

Assignment Code: Asst/TMA/2019-20

Marks: 100

Answer any five questions in about 500 words each. Attempt at least two questions from each section. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION I

- 1. Explain the concept of sustainable development. Discuss its principles of Intragenerational equity and Justice.
- 2. Elaborate the concept of carrying capacity and what are the threats to sustainable resources?
- 3. Discuss the various approaches to the study of sustainable development.
- 4. Examine the main features of the community oriented approach to sustainable development.
- 5. Describe the nature and meaning of sustainable development in the age of globalisation.

SECTION-II

- 6. a) Innovation and Identity
 - b) Traditional knowledge for Sustainable Development
- 7. a) Regional cooperation for environment and sustainable development.
 - b) Traditional and indigenous technologies for sustainable development
- 8. a) Desertification and Droughts
 - b) Challenges faced in the implementation of environmental laws in India
- 9. a) United Nations initiatives for environment and sustainable development
 - b) Importance of people's cooperation and participation for sustainable development
- 10. a) Human Resources for environment and sustainable development
 - b) ICT in sustainable development of the rural community.

GLOBALISATION AND ENVIRONMENT (MED-008) Tutor Marked Assignment

Course Code: MED-008

Assignment Code: Assignment/TMA/2019-20

Marks: 100

Answer any five questions in about 500 words each. Attempt at least two questions from each section. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION I

- 1. Explain the changing nature of globalization and its effects on environment.
- 2. Define natural calamities and explain the factors that cause natural calamities.
- 3. Explain the role of MNCs and TNCs in the era of neo-liberal economic globalization.
- 4. Explain the effects of green house gases and ozone depletion on human life.
- 5. Explain the following in your own words:
 - a. North South divide
 - b. Role of the UN agencies and protection of environments

SECTION-II

- 6. a) Role of WTO and world bank in protecting the global environment
 - b) Environmental concern in South Asia
- 7. a) Role Technology concerns related to the Environmental Standards
 - b) Indian initiative for environment and development
- 8. a) Appiko Movement
 - b) Convention on Biological Diversity
- 9. a) People's resistance against globalisation
 - b) Indian efforts towards bio-diversity conservation
- 10. a) Economic reforms and food security
 - b) Swachh Bharat Abhiyan

COURSE: GANDHI'S POLITICAL THOUGHT (MGP-004) TUTOR MARKED ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: MGP-004

Assignment Code: MGP-004/ASST/TMA/2019-20

Marks: 100

Answer five questions in all, selecting at least two questions from each section. Each question is to be answered in about 500 words. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION-I

- 1. Describe the main elements on Gandhian Pacifism.
- 2. Explain Gandhi's concept of *Gram Swaraj*.
- 3. Discuss Gandhi's criticism of Industrialisation.
- 4. Explain Gandhi's assessment of Indian National Congress.
- 5. Examine Gandhi's views on the importance of Ends and Means.

SECTION-II

- 6. a) Gandhi's concept of Nationalism.
 - b) Concept of liberalism and constitutionalism.
- 7. a) Gandhi's non-violent struggle against colonialism
 - b) Gandhi's views on state and citizenship.
- 8. a) Meaning of Socialism and Communalism.
 - b) Importance of constructive programme.
- 9. a) Gandhi's views on structural violence.
 - b) Gandhi's views on Fascism.
- 10. a) Main elements of Gandhian Trusteeship.
 - b) Gandhi's views on rights and duties.

COURSE: NON-VIOLENT MOVEMENTS AFTER GANDHI (MGPE-007) TUTOR MARKED ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: MGPE-007

Assignment Code: MGPE-007/ASST/TMA/2019-20

Marks: 100

Answer five questions in all, selecting at least two questions from each section. Each question is to be answered in about 500 words. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION-I

- 1. Discuss the post-Gandhian political structure and its functioning.
- 2. Describe Indian Peace movements and explain to what extent, they adopted Gandhi's agenda for peace.
- 3. Critically assess the ecological issues that are affecting mankind today.
- 4. Discuss the major concerns of liquor policy and public health related issues in India.
- 5. Critically examine the outcome of non-violent movement after Gandhi.

SECTION-II

- 6. a) Total Revolution
 - b) Bhoodan Movement
- 7. a) Women and Civil Rights movement.
 - b) Civil Rights movement in United States of America.
- 8. a) Chipko Movement
 - b) Water conservation movement
- 9. a) Type of Non-violent movements.
 - b) Eco-feminist movements.
- 10. a) Non-violent solidarity movement in Poland.
 - b) Anti-apartheid movement in South Africa.

COURSE: GANDHIAN APPROACH TO PEACE AND CONFLICT RESOLUTION (MGPE-008) TUTOR MARKED ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: MGPE-008

Assignment Code: MGPE-008/ASST/TMA/2019-20

Marks: 100

Answer five questions in all, selecting at least two questions from each section. Each question is to be answered in about 500 words. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION-I

- 1. Explain the conceptual basis of community peace.
- 2. Analyse the different solutions put forward by Gandhi to deal with intolerance.
- 3. Write a short note on the following in your own words:
 - a) Gandhi's vision of community peace.
 - b) Understanding tolerance and harmony.
- 4. Examine Gandhi's scheme of world federation and peace among nations.
- 5. Discuss some of the major theoretical expositions with regard to conflict being inherent in human beings.

SECTION-II

- 6. a) Approaches to Negotiation and Mediation.
 - b) Shanti Sena.
- 7. a) Gandhi's views on legal conflicts.
 - b) Gandhi's views on industrial conflicts.
- 8. a) Chipko movement.
 - b) Petra Kally and the German Green Party.
- 9. a) Importance of dialogue and negotiation in conflict resolution.
 - b) Fasting for conflict resolution.
- 10. a) The idea of Fearlessness and Courage.
 - b) Insurgency in Assam.

COURSE: CONFLICT MANAGEMENT, TRANSFORMATION AND PEACE BUILDING (MGPE-010) TUTOR MARKED ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: MGPE-010

Assignment Code: MGPE-010/ASST/TMA/2019-20

Marks: 100

Answer five questions in all, selecting at least two questions from each section. Each question is to be answered in about 500 words. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION-I

- 1. Critically examine the nature of conflicts in the society today.
- 2. Examine the role of the United Nations in strengthening conflict-ridden societies.
- 3. Explain the following in about 250 words each:
 - a. Challenges of conflict assessment.
 - b. Methods of conflict analysis.
- 4. Explain the main causes of terrorism in Punjab.
- 5. Discuss the various sources of conflict.

SECTION-II

- 6. a) Notion of structural violence as propounded by Galtung.
 - b) Limitations of Conflict Assessment.
- 7. a) Galtung's Conflict Transformation by Peaceful Means
 - b) Problem of violence in Nagaland.
- 8. a) Perspectives on conflict transformation.
 - b) Gandhi's idea of Swaraj.
- 9. a) Satyagraha campaign led by Gandhi in South Africa.
 - b) Non-western approach to conflict transformation.
- 10. a) Post-conflict reconstruction and rehabilitation.
 - b) Civil Society approach to peace-building.

COURSE: HUMAN SECURITY (MGPE-011) TUTOR MARKED ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: MGPE-011

Assignment Code: MGPE-012/ASST/TMA/2019-20

Marks: 100

Answer five questions in all, selecting at least two questions from each section. Each question is to be answered in about 500 words. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION-I

- 1. Discuss the evolution of Human Society and its significance for the welfare of the disadvantaged section of the society.
- 2. Explain the state violence in India.
- 3. Explain the following in your own words.
 - a) Gender, Development and Human Security.
 - b) Gandhi's view on human security.
- 4. Write an essay on Human Security and Peace Building.
- 5. Critically examine the Galtung's ideas on structural violence.

SECTION-II

- 6. Discuss in-depth the aspects of food security, poverty and hunger.
- 7. Briefly explain the significance of environmental concerns for India.
- 8. Write a short note on the following in about 250 words each:
 - a) Examine the state violence in South Africa.
 - a) Characteristics of Terrorism.
- 9. Describe the practices of Gandhian Thought for International Cooperation.
- 10. Write an essay on Disaster and Development.

COURSE: CIVIL SOCIETY, POLITICAL REGIMES AND CONFLICT (MGPE-013) TUTOR MARKED ASSIGNMENT

Course Code: MGPE-013

Assignment Code: MGPE-013/ASST/TMA/2019-20

Marks: 100

Answer five questions in all, selecting at least two questions from each section. Each question is to be answered in about 500 words. Each question carries 20 marks.

SECTION-I

- 1. Explain the early modern notion of civil society.
- 2. Discuss the relevance of civil society in South Africa.
- 3. Critically analyse the civil society in Globalised market.
- 4. Examine the elements of civil society.
- 5. Explain concept, evolution and types of peace movement in India.

SECTION-II

Write a short note on each part of the question in about 250 words:

- 6. a) Debates on the advanced capitalise state.
 - b) Relationship between state and civil society.
- 7. a) Gandhi's concept of the constructive programme.
 - b) Nature and scope of civil society.
- 8. a) Evolution and Development of Human Rights.
 - b) Grameen Banks efforts towards eradication of poverty and hunger.
- 9. a) Approaches to the Study of Panchayati Raj Institutions.
 - b) Role of NGO's in Peace Process.
- 10. a) Gandhi's views on capacity building and women empowerment.
 - b) Global peace movements.
