

B.A. LL.B. Semester II Examination, April 2015

INDIAN GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS

Duration: 3 Hours

Total Marks: 75

Instructions: 1) Q. No. 13 and Q.No.14 are compulsory.

2) Answer any EIGHT questions from Q. No.1 to Q. No.12. (8 x 8 = 64)

1. 'The Government of India Act of 1935 abolished dyarchy in the provinces and introduced provincial autonomy. Discuss the main features of the Act of 1935.
2. 'The Indian Constitution is said to be more flexible than rigid. Discuss any eight features of the Indian Constitution.
3. 'Dr. B.R Ambedkar describes Art 32 as the heart and soul of the Indian Constitution. Explain the writs under Article 32.
4. 'Art 153 says there shall be a Governor in each state. Elaborate the powers of Governor.
5. Discuss the importance of Regional parties for the development of Democracy by explaining any three Regional parties of India.
6. 'L.M Singhvi an eminent jurist describes Directive Principles as a life giving provision. Explain Directive Principles of State Policy.
7. Explain the role of Prime Minister in India.
8. 'Caste and Religion have affected the overall growth of India'. Discuss.
9. Art 324 of the Indian Constitution makes the Election Commission a permanent and autonomous body to conduct free and fair elections. Discuss the powers and functions of Election Commission of India.
10. The Legislative procedure is identical in both the houses of the Parliament. Briefly explain the stages through which a bill becomes an Act.
11. Discuss the legislative relations between the Centre and state in India.
12. Briefly explain the fundamental rights guaranteed by the Constitution of India.
13. Write short notes on any two: [2 x 3 =6]
 - a. Council of Ministers
 - b. Judges of the Supreme Court
 - c. Powers of the Indian President.
14. Write short notes on any two. [2 ½ x 2 = 5]
 - a. Lower House of the Parliament
 - b. Region as a major issue in India
 - c. Preamble
