

**3 SEM TDC PSCH (CBCS) C 5**

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( Held in April–May, 2021 )

POLITICAL SCIENCE

( Core )

Paper : C-5

**( Introduction to Comparative Government and  
Politics )**

*Full Marks : 80*

*Pass Marks : 32*

*Time : 3 hours*

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks  
for the questions*

**1.** Answer the following as directed : 1×8=8

(a) Define Comparative Politics.

(b) Write any one characteristic of capitalism.

(c) What is 'welfare capitalism'?

(d) "Imperialism is the highest stage of capitalism." Who said this?

(e) Mention any one factor that contributed for decolonization process.

(f) Mention any one point of distinction between the King and the Crown.

(g) What is the minimum age to be the President of the USA?

(h) The total number of members in the Chamber of Deputies of Brazil is

(i) 545

(ii) 513

(iii) 530

(iv) 413

( Choose the correct option )

**2.** Write short notes on the following : 4×4=16

(a) Judicial Review Power of the Supreme Court of the USA

(b) Political Economy of Nigeria

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(c) Conventions Related to the Speaker of the House of Commons of Great Britain

(d) Characteristics of Traditional Approach to Study Comparative Politics

3. Discuss the nature and scope of comparative politics. 6+6=12

*Or*

Discuss the characteristics of modern approach to study comparative politics. 12

4. Critically analyze the effects of globalization on the State Sovereignty. 11

*Or*

What is socialism? Discuss the impacts of socialism on government and politics. 2+9=11

5. Define decolonization. Discuss its impact on government and politics. 2+9=11

*Or*

Discuss different stages of anti-colonial struggles. 11

6. Compare the composition, powers and functions of the House of Lords with the American Senate. 11

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*Or*

Compare the constitutional position, powers and functions of the British King with that of the American President. 11

7. Compare and contrast the Judicial system of Brazil with its counterpart of Nigeria. 11

*Or*

Discuss the composition, powers and functions of the National People's Congress of China. 11

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