3 SEM TDC PSCH (CBCS) C 6

2023

(Nov/Dec)

POLITICAL SCIENCE

(Core)

Paper: C-6

(Perspectives on Public Administration)

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: $1 \times 8 = 8$
 - (a) "Administration has to do with getting things done; with the accomplishment of defined objectives." Who said this?
 - (b) Who coined the term 'POSDCoRB'?

(c) The Study of Administration was written by Luther Gulick / Woodrow Wilson / Henry Fayol.

(Choose the correct answer)

- (d) Write one feature of scientific management theory.
- (e) Name one supporter of ecological theory of administration.
- (f) Mention one method of people's participation.
- (g) In which country the public service approach originated?
- (h) Mention one feature of good governance.
- 2. Write briefly on the following (within 150 words each): 4×4=16
 - (a) Nature of public administration
 - (b) Features of scientific management theory
 - (c) The concept of administrative decentralisation
 - (d) Feminist perspective of public administration

Answer the following questions (within 500 words each):

3. Define public administration. Discuss the importance of the subject as a subject of study.

4+8=12

Or

Discuss the differences between public and private administration.

4. Critically discuss the theory of ideal type of bureaucracy propounded by Max Weber. 11

Or

Examine the human relation theory of public administration with special reference to the views of Elton Mayo.

5. Discuss the ecological approach to the study of public administration.

Or

Examine the different types of need as offered by Abraham Maslow in his theory of need hierarchy.

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6. Discuss the various steps adopted in the process of formulating public policy. 11

Or Or

Define people's participation. Discuss the various types of people's participation. 4+7=11

7. Critically examine the new public management approach of public administration.

Or

What is good governance? Discuss the essentials of good governance. 4+7=11

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