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POLITICAL SCIENCE

Paper : POL-1036

(International Relations-I)

Full Marks : 80

Time : Three hours

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

1. Discuss the concept of 'anarchy'. What are the principal ways in which classical realism differs from structural realism? 15

OR

Discuss the major themes of liberalism. Is the liberal world order in crises? Justify your views. 15

Contd.

2. Evaluate the importance of Marxist approach in understanding the nature of contemporary global economy. 15

OR

What are the core elements of the English School? How does it challenge the Positivist school thought in International Relations? 15

3. "What feminists mean by gender emancipation varies greatly, as does their understanding of the appropriate paths to reach it." Discuss the statement. 15

OR

Discuss the idea that International Relations is a social construction. What are the central themes of constructivism? 15

4. Discuss the key arguments put forward by Samuel Huntington in his seminal work 'class of civilisation'. How relevant are his views in understanding contemporary world politics? 15

OR

Critically analyse Fukuyama's view on 'end of history'. 15

5. Attempt **any two** : 10×2=20

- (a) Ecologism
(b) Non-western IR theory
(c) Levels of analysis
(d) Postulates of a 'good theory'.