2019

POLITICAL SCIENCE

(Honours)

Paper: PLSH-DC-1

[CBCS]

Full Marks: 32

Time: Two Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers

in their own words as far as practicable.

Group - A

Answer any two essay type questions of the following:

12×2=24

- 1. Examine the nature and extent of the Right to Freedom guaranteed by the Constitution of India. What are its exceptions? 8+4=12
- Discuss the powers, position and role of the President of India.

- 3. Explain the composition and jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of India. How does the Supreme Court discharge its role as the interpreter and the guardian of the Constitution?
 4+4+4=12
- 4. Discuss the structure, functions and powers of the Panchayati Raj Institution under the new Panchayati Raj system in West Bengal. Assess its role as an agency of development. 8+4=12

Group - B

5. Answer any two short questions of the following:

 $4 \times 2 = 8$

- (a) Composition of the Indian Parliament.
- (b) Discretionary powers of the Governor of the Indian State.
- (c) Judicial Activism in India.
- (d) Speaker of the Lok Sabha.