## PAPER – 'B' WRITTEN TEST PAPER FOR SELECTION OFTEACHERS: CSB 2011 POL SCIENCE (PGT): SUBJECT CODE: (P24)

- 1. Consider the following statements about Union-State relations in India
  - 1) In case of overlapping of a matter between the three kinds of subjects of legislation, predominance has been given to the Union Legislature
  - 2) In the concurrent sphere, in the case of repugnancy between a Union and State law relating to the same subject the former prevails, even if the state law was reserved for the assent of the President and has received such assent.
  - 3) The vesting of residual power under the Indian Constitution follows the precedent of Canada and not that of the Government of India Act 1935

- a) 1 and 2
- b) 1 and 3
- c) 2 and 3
- d) 1, 2 and 3
- 2. What is the implication of the Union Government giving 'Special Status' to State?
  - a) Subsequently large percentage of the Central assistance will be grant-inaid
  - b) Current account budgetary deficit will be bridged by the Union Government
  - c) The extent of loan as a percentage of total assistance will be high
  - d) The Union Government meets entire expenditure of the State during the period of 'Special Status'
- 3. Power theory of international politics does not emphasize on
  - a) universal diplomatic principles
  - b) universal moral principles
  - c) universal national principles
  - d) universal economic principles

- 4. Who among the following does not agree on the central importance of the State in international relations?
  - a) Pluralists
  - b) Realists
  - c) Neo-realists
  - d) Structural realists
- 5. Which of the following is not included in the areas of SAARC cooperation?
  - a) Agriculture development
  - b) Health and population
  - c) Urban development
  - d) Women, youth, and children
- 6. The European Union (EU) was established in
  - a) 1992
- b) 1993
- c) 1994
- d) 1995
- 7. WTO was the outcome of
  - a) General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade
  - b) General Agreement on Trade in Tariffs
  - c) General Agreement on Trade in Services
  - d) General Agreement on Traderelated Aspects
- 8. Globalization refers to the world wide phenomenon of technological, economic, and cultural charge. This was possible due to
  - a) Isolated cultures
  - b) Nationalism
  - c) Interdependence
  - d) Poverty
- 9. Which of the following is not a regional economic organization?
  - a) OAS
  - b) ASEAN
  - c) SAARC
  - d) ECOWAS

- 10. Political nationalism means
  - a) that a nation exists to further its political goal
  - b) that a nation exists to seek regeneration and revival
  - c) that a nation exists to advance its ethnic exclusivity
  - d) that a nation exists to expand its social base
- 11. Political development is not determined by the economic development because
  - a) Economic development takes place only when old social; economic and psychological commitment is eroded.
  - b) Economic development is a consequence of socio-economic mobilization
  - c) People must be 'available' for new pattern of socialization and behaviour
  - d) Unless 'capabilities' of people improve political development cannot be thought of.
- 12. Which of the following is true about Constitutionalism?
  - a) There is a provision for a limited government
  - b) There is a provision for responsive government
  - c) There is a provision for democratic government
  - d) There is a provision for liberal government
- 13. Coalitional governments are usually common where
  - a) Legislatures are proportionately represented
  - b) Legislatures are disproportionately represented
  - c) Legislatures have clear majorities
  - d) Legislatures and executives exist separately

- 14. Consider the following statements with regard to the relationship between political parties and pressure groups.
  - 1) Pressure groups provide support to the political parties
  - 2) Political parties encourage pressure groups in formulating and attaining their demands
  - 3) Pressure groups recruit members of the political parties

- a) 1, 2 only
- b) 2, 3 only
- c) 1, 3 only
- d) 1, 2, 3
- 15. Which one of the following is not a mechanism to ensure political accountability?
  - a) Periodic elections
  - b) Informed public opinion
  - c) Free press
  - d) Pressure groups
- 16. Of the various indices of Public opinion in democracy, the least importance is
  - a) trend study of voting behaviour
  - b) freedom of the press
  - c) multi-party system
  - d) irresponsive behaviour of authorities
- 17. Which of the following is true about the totalitarian state?
  - a) It s the glorification of reason
  - b) It is the glorification of the individual
  - c) It is the glorification of the state
  - d) It is the glorification of antiauthoritarianism
- 18. Consider the following statements about rationalism
  - 1) Rationalism represents a philosophical doctrine that the world is known by reason
  - 2) Rationalism represents the pursuit of value-free science

- 3) Rationalism seeks rational solutions in place of religious beliefs
- 4) Rationalism studies reasons for social actions

- a) 1 and 3
- b) 1, 3 and 4
- b) 2 and 4
- d) 2, 3 and 4
- 19. Socialism is directed towards
  - a) Social-ethical end
  - b) Ethical religious end
  - c) Religious-spiritual end
  - d) Spiritual-psychological end
- 20. Consider the following statements with regard to the limited vote system
  - 1) A Voter gets as many votes as are the allotted seats
  - 2) A Voter gets lesser number of votes than the allotted seats
  - 3) A Voter gets more votes than the allotted seats
  - 4) A Voter is empowered to give all the allotted voter to one candidate or may distribute his/her votes among the candidates

- a) 1, 2
- b) 2, 4
- c) 2, 3
- d) 1, 3
- 21. One of the following countries was the first to introduce universal suffrage
  - a) New Zealand
- b) Indonesia
- c) Australia
- d) Ethiopia
- 22. The System of proportional representation as an electoral mechanism ensures
  - a) Majority rule
  - b) Stability in government
  - c) Common political thinking
  - d) Minority representation

- 23. Who has described elections as the heart of democracy?
  - a) Woodrow Wilson
  - b) Abraham Lincoln
  - c) James Bryce
  - d) Joseph Schumpeter
- 24. Violation of the 'Rule of Law' arises mostly from
  - a) limited franchise
  - b) delegated legislation
  - c) lack of checks and balances
  - d) executive's quasi-judicial power
- 25. One of the following does not match
  - a) legal justice: a system of laws
  - b) Numerical justice: each one to count one, and at times more than one.
  - c) Political justice : a just democratic society
  - d) Social justice: a system without social discrimination
- 26. Political equality demands
  - a) Monarchy
- b) Aristocracy
- c) Democracy
- d) Autocracy
- 27. Who among the following thinkers formulated the concept of positive and negative liberty?
  - a) Karl Marx
  - b) C.B McPherson
  - c) Isaiah Berlin
  - d) Michael Oakeshott
- 28. Rights as social conditions without which no man can seek to be himself at best implies
  - a) Rights help individuals develop their personality
  - b) Rights help individuals develop their talents
  - c) Rights help individuals develop their life careers
  - d) Rights help individuals develop their consciousness

- 29. Human Rights are rights to which people are entitled by virtue of
  - a) being individual beings
  - b) being rational beings
  - c) being human beings
  - d) being members of the state
- 30. Which one of the following statements can be associated with the concept of rights?
  - a) One's realization of one's best self must involve as its logical result the realization by others of their best selves.
  - b) adequate opportunities must be laid open to all
  - c) One is entitled to all those conditions of social life without which no man can seek in general to be himself at his best.
  - d) The very difference in the nature of men requires mechanisms for the expression of their wills that is given to each its due hearing
- 31. The United Nations (UN) Human Rights Commission has been replaced by the
  - a) UN Human Rights Agency
  - b) UN Human Rights Committee
  - c) UN Human Rights Council
  - d) UN Human Rights Secretariat
- 32. One of the following is not the specialized agency of the UN
  - a) International labor Organization.
  - b) World Health Organization
  - c) International Court of Justice
  - d) International Postal Union
- 33. Consider the following statements and choose the correct code
  - 1) Authority is legitimate power
  - 2) Power is legitimate force
  - 3) Force is legitimate power
  - 4) Power and force yield authority

- a) 1, 2
- b) 2, 4
- c) 1, 4
- d) 1, 3
- 34. Who Wrote: Politics: Who Gets, What, When, How?
  - a) Lasswell and Kaplan
  - b) Lasswell alone
  - c) Kaplan alone
  - d) Almond and Powell
- 35. Consider the following statements about authority
  - 1) Authority is legitimate power
  - 2) It is a right to exercise power
  - 3) It is power writ large
  - 4) It is authorization of power

- a) 1, 2, 3
- b) 1, 3, 4
- c) 1, 2, 4
- d) 2, 3, 4
- 36. Austin was an English
  - a) Socialogist
- b) jurist
- c) Economist
- d) scientist
- 37. Which among the following is not a feature of sovereignty?
  - a) Absoluteness
- b) Permanence
- c) Indivisibility
- d) Delegation
- 38. Political pluralism
  - a) rejects the idea of the state
  - b) rejects the moral and legal omni competence of the state
  - rejects the view that law is not the creation of the state but is anterior and superior to it
  - d) Believes in the complete autonomy of corporate groups and associations.

- 39. The saying that 'man was born free, but he is everywhere in chains" implies the following
  - a) The human were free in the state of nature but the state has made them slaves through the laws.
  - b) The humans were free in the state of nature but the rich men have enslaved the poor.
  - c) The humans were free in the state of nature, but as they grew in time, they became slaves.
  - d) The humans were free in the state of nature but the progress of civilization enslaved them
- 40. Which one of the following is the correct sequence in the political philosophy of John Locke?
  - a) State of nature Civil society-Natural right – Contract
  - b) Natural right Contract-State of nature Civil society
  - c) The transcendent, universal will may be even of one individual, which aims at the common good of the community.
  - d) Will of the enlightened ruling elite.
- 41. The following is not a characteristic of the divine origin theory of the state.
  - a) God is the creator of all things, including the state
  - b) The king represents God and derives all powers from God.
  - c) God makes the king accountable to the people
  - d) Disobedience is a matter of not only crime but also of sin
- 42 One of the following is true about the welfare state.
  - a) It is a negative state
  - b) It is a necessary evil
  - c) It is an evil
  - d) It is a positive institution

- Which one of the following theories of the functions of state holds the liberty is not the end of all human associations but it is merely a means for the realization of the fullness of individual life?
  - a) Fascist theory
  - b) Welfare theory
  - c) Anarchist Theory
  - d) Individualist theory
- The welfare state is essentially a synthesis of:
  - a) Liberalism and Socialism
  - b) Socialism and Communism
  - c) Communism and Idealism
  - d) Individualism and Fascism
- 45. Which of the following pairs are correctly matched?
  - a) Contractualist John Rawls
  - b) Libertarian Robert Nozick
  - c) Communitarian Charles Taylor
  - d) Totalitarian Michel Oakeshott
- 46. Consider the following statements and choose the right answer:
  - 1. August Comte is universally recognized as the father of sociology
  - 2. Adam Smith is known as the father of classical capitalism.
  - 3. Aristotle is described as the father of political Science
  - 4. Easton is a behaviouralist but not a post behaviouralist

- a) 1, 3, 4
- b) 1, 2, 4
- c) 2, 3, 4
- d) 1, 2, 3

- 47. Consider the following statements with regard to behaviouralism
  - 1. Uniformities in the Political behaviour of human beings can well be expressed in generalizations
  - 2. Human behaviour can possibly be empirically tested
  - 3. theory consists of analysis, explanation and prediction
  - 4. Dependence on Social Science helps political science preserve identity, integrity and autonomy.

- a) 1, 2, 3
- b) 2, 3, 4
- c) 1, 3, 4
- d) 1, 2, 4
- 48 Consider the following statements: Post behaviouralism
  - 1. rejects behaviouralism
  - 2. modifies bahaviouralism
  - 3. permits values in the study of politics
  - 4. calls for active engagement with the world

- a) 1 and 3
- b) 3 and 4
- c) 2 and 3
- d) 1, 2 and 4
- 49 'It is better to be vague than irrelevant'.
  This statement explains the following
  - a) Empiricism
  - b) Positivism
  - c) Behaviouralism
  - d) Post-behaviouralism
- 50 One of the following is a communitarian
  - a) Walzer
  - b) Hayek
  - c) Friedman
  - d) Dworkin
- The following is not common between empiricism and behaviourlism

- a) Study of facts
- b) Scientific analysis
- c) Distrust for values
- d) Macro study
- 52. Political Philosophy differs from politics in so far as what politics is not and political philosophy is
  - a) An activity
  - b) A social activity
  - c) Scientific
  - d) Speculative
- 53. Robert Nozick is
  - a) a classical liberal
  - b) a pluralist liberal
  - c) a neo-liberal
  - d) a communitarian liberal
- Which of the following is not a traditional approach to the study of Political Science?
  - a) Comparison
  - b) Historiography
  - c) Simulation
  - d) Legal institutionalism
- 55. The main factor responsible for growth of communalism in India is
  - a) Presence of many religions
  - b) Past record of communal conflicts
  - c) Group based political mobilization
  - d) Discriminatory nature of the constitution
- 56. Which one of the following statements is correct with reference to the Government of India Act, 1935?
  - a) The federal executive was to consist of the Governor – General and Counselors.
  - b) The federal legislature was to consist of the Governor-General, the Council of States and the Federal Assembly.

- c) There were twelve Governor's provinces and six Chief Commissioners provinces
- d) The provincial legislature was to consist of the Governor and only the Lower House of Legislature.
- 57. Which of the following articles of the Indian constitution deal with citizenship in India?
  - a) Articles 333 to 337
  - b) Articles 17 to 20
  - c) Articles 5 to 11
  - d) Articles 1 to 4
- 58 In case of declaration of financial emergency in India
  - a) all the State Governments will be dissolved and management of economy will be taken over by the Union Government
  - b) All Money Bills of the states will be considered and passed only by the Parliament.
  - c) All the state Assemblies will be put under suspended animation and laws on the State List will be enacted by the Parliament
  - d) The President may give such directions to the states as may be deemed necessary for economic recovery and salaries of officials may be temporarily reduced.
- 59 The doctrine of 'Prospective overruling' was adopted by the Supreme Court of India in the case of
  - a) Champakam Dorairajan Vs State of Madras
  - b) Golak Nath Vs State of Punjab
  - Kesavananda Bharati Vs State of Kerala
  - d) Kehar Singh Vs Union of India
- 60. Consider the following statement with regard to judicial system in India

- 1. Panchayat Courts functions in some of the states
- 2. The Supreme Court of India consists of 26 judges including the Chief Justice of India
- 3. Union territories of Delhi and Chandigarh both have High Courts
- 4. The National Judicial Academy has been set up by the Government of India

Which of these is/are correct?

- a) 1, 2, 3 and 4
- b) 3 and 4

- c) 1 only
- d) 1, 2 and 4
- 61. Which one of the following is NOT included in Max Weber's three-fold classification of authority?
  - a) Charismatic
- b) Moral
- c) Legal-rational
- d) Traditional
- 62. Which one of the following is NOT the working principal of balance of power model of Mortan Kaplan's General Systems Approach?
  - a) The nations oppose any one nation or a coalition from acquiring a preponderant position
  - b) Each nation seeks to increase its power without war.
  - c) A defeated nation is not permitted re-entry into the system
  - d) Every nation seeks to protect its national interests even at the risk of war.
- 63. Which one of the following combinations defines the scope of political science?
  - a) State, government, laws, customs and culture
  - b) Sovereignty, government, market, political parties and social classes.
  - c) State, government, laws, civil society and political parties
  - d) State, values, government, decision making and political parties

- 64. In most of the third world countries, the political parties are
  - a) Cohesive organization
  - b) Strictly ideology-based organizations
  - c) Personality-oriented organization
  - d) Decentralized organizations
- 65. Which one of the following is the primary purpose of a pressure group?
  - a) To criticize the government
  - b) To contest the elections
  - c) To formulate policy
  - d) To bring pressure on government to influence policy decision
- 66. Dual federalism implies that
  - a) National and State Governments retain separate spheres of action
  - b) National and State Governments are interdependent
  - c) National and State Governments are expected to collaborate in pursuit of the interest of the public
  - d) National and State governments have the same function
- 67. Political realism maintains autonomy of
  - a) social sphere
  - b) political sphere
  - c) national sphere
  - d) international sphere
- 68. Which one of the following is not included in the concept of political culture?
  - a) Civic virtue and responsibility
  - b) Participatory and pluralistic democracy
  - c) Order through rational bureaucracy
  - d) The search for quality
- 69. Consider the following statements
  - 1. the Chairman of the Council of States or Speaker of the House of the People, or person acting as such,

- shall not vote at any sitting of either House of Parliament or joint sitting of the Houses in the first instance, but shall have and exercise a casting vote in the case of an equality of votes.
- 2. A person is qualified to fill a seat in the Council of States or House of the People if he is not less than twenty-five years of age.

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) Both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 70. Welfare states, in general, are focused on which of the following provisions?
  - a) Separation of state from religion, education and health
  - b) Employment, infrastructure and education
  - c) Minority Rights, employment and education
  - d) Education, employment and health
- 71. Consider the following statements

  The ideal of 'universal citizenship' implies that
  - all citizens of a country should be treated alike and granted equal rights
  - 2. individuals should be considered as citizens of the world
  - 3. all persons living in a country should be treated as citizens
  - 4. citizenship rights are given to us by nature

- a) 1 and 2
- b) 2 and 3
- c) 1 only
- d) 4 only

- 72. Consider the following statements about the UN Declaration of Human Rights
  - 1. Universal Declaration of Human Rights does not refer to any social or economic rights
  - 2. The Declaration does not uphold such rights as right to work, protection against unemployment, just remuneration and right to form trade unions.
  - 3. The Declaration recognizes the rights of indigenous populations.
  - 4. The Declaration grants special status to women

- a) 1 and 2 only
- b) 2 and 3
- c) 1, 2 and 4
- d) 3 and 4
- 73. In accordance to a growing consensus today, which of the following should freedom be inclusive of?
  - 1. Absence of certain physical and legal impediments
  - 2. Presence of certain civil and political liberties
  - 3. Social provisions of income, education and health
  - 4. Protection of cultural identity

Which of the statements given above are correct?

- a) 1, 2, 3 and 4
- b) 1, 2 and 3 only
- c) 2 and 3 only
- d) 1 only
- 74. Consider the following statements:
  - 1. Liberal democratic tradition views equality primarily as "equality of opportunity and "equality of conditions"
  - 2. "Equality of conditions" seeks to ensure that equality of results are achieved regardless of natural ability.

- a) 1 only
- b) 2 only
- c) both 1 and 2
- d) Neither 1 nor 2
- 75. The chief modus operandi of cultural imperialism is
  - a) Annexation
- b) Plunder
- c) Trade
- d) Hegemony
- 76. Which Constitution is called a 'tailor-made' Constitution?
  - a) Constitution of Fourth Republic of France
  - b) Constitution of Fifth Republic of France
  - c) Constitution of United Germany
  - d) Constitution of USA
- 77. Which one of the following pairs is NOT an input function of political system?
  - a) Political communication
  - b) Political recruitment
  - c) Interest articulation
  - d) Rule adjudication
- 78. In India, Public Order is included in the Constitution as an item in
  - a) Union list
  - b) State list
  - c) Concurrent list
  - d) Both Union and State list
- 79. Vote on account means
  - a) A proposal passed by Rajya Sabha on account
  - b) A proposal submitted by the finance minister before presenting the budget.
  - c) To bring a proposal related to the speech of the president before the joint session of the parliament
  - d) If the budget is not passed before 1<sup>st</sup> April, the parliament is authorized to sanction any grant in advance to meet the expenses.

- Which one of the following cases prompted the Indian Parliament to enact 24<sup>th</sup> Constitution Amendment Bill?
  - a) Golaknath case
  - b) Shankari Prasad case
  - c) Keshvananda Bharati case
  - d) Shah Bano case
  - When can the Parliament legislate on a subject in the State List?
    - a) If the parliament passes a resolution to that effect in the national interest.
    - b) If the Supreme Court grant necessary authority to the parliament
    - c) If the Rajya Sabha passes a resolution by two-third majority in State List under consideration is of national Importance
    - d) If the President issues an ordinance transferring the subject from the state List to Union or the concurrent List.
  - 82. What is the cornerstone of Marxism?
    - a) Attack on bourgeois way of life
    - b) Economic determinism
    - c) Materialist conception of history
    - d) A distinctive philosophy of the state
  - 83. A representative democracy is the most suitable government for enactment of laws that are consistent with
    - a) Public opinion
    - b) Regional aspiration
    - c) Principle of liberty
    - d) Market forces
  - 84. Which of the following are correct about federalism?
    - 1. It implies protection and codetermination
      - 2. It provides for additional controls of Government, bureaucracy and Parliament.
    - 3. It makes the process of government a Continuing task of adjustment and coordination of competing interest.

4. It ensures uniformity of law and Administration.

- a) 1,2,3 and 4
- b) 1,2 and 3
- c) 2 and 4
- d) 1,3 and 4
- 85. Which of the following statements is correct?
  - a) Sovereignty resides in the state and is exercised by it
  - b) Sovereignty resides in the state and is exercised by the government
  - c) Sovereignty resides in the Government and is exercised by it\
  - d) Sovereignty reside in the citizens and is exercised by the government.
- 86. Who among the following argued that the past circumstances or actions of the people can create differential entitlements?
  - a) Johan Rawls
  - b) Charles Taylor
  - c) FA Hayek
  - d) Robert Nozick
- 87. Who amongst the following is associated with Eco-feminism?
  - a) Suman Sahi
  - b) Shabana Azmi
  - c) Vandana Shiva
  - d) Arundhati Roy
- 88. The understanding of democracy as a mode of distributing power widely, thereby preventing its concentration in few hands is termed as
  - a) Pluralists
  - b) Federalist
  - c) Participatory
  - d) Representative

- The ideal of internationalism involves
  - a) Total abandonment of nationalism
  - b) Partial abandonment of nationalism
  - c) Adequate recognition of cultural distinctiveness of nations
  - d) derecognition of cultural distinctiveness
- 90. New dependency emphasises on
  - a) surplus extraction as the major cause of underdevelopment
  - b) Monopoly of trade complemented by a monopoly of land, mines & man power in developing countries
  - c) Domination of capital by hegemonic centers
  - d) Investment by multinational corporations.
- 91. Consider the following statements: In the liberal tradition, equality implies the liberal
  - 1. Same treatment for all
  - 2. Identical rights for all citizens
  - 3. Maintenance of equilibrium
  - 4. Similarity of opportunities and results. Which of the following is correct?
  - a) 1,2,3 and 4
  - b) 1 and 2
  - c) 1,2 and 3
  - d) 3 and 4
  - 92. Which of the following statements correctly describes the Seventh Schedule of the Constitution of India?
    - a) It contains the languages recognised in the Constitution.
    - b) It contains the provisions regarding the administration of tribal areas.
    - c) It lists distribution of powers between the Union and the States.
    - d) It deals with the salaries and emoluments of the Constitutional functionaries.

- 93. 73<sup>rd</sup> & 74<sup>th</sup> Amendments to the Constitution of India provide for elections to the local bodies
  - a) every year
  - b) After every 3 years
  - c) After every 5 years
  - d) After every 2 years
- 94. Which of the following Commissions suggested abolition of the post of Governor?
  - a) Administrative Reforms Commission
  - b) Sarkaria Commission
  - c) Constitutional Review Commission
  - d) Rajamannar Commission
- 95. Which one among the following is associated with Democratic Deficit?
  - a) Lack of democratic control
  - b) Lack of democratic legitimacy
  - c) Lack of democratic institutions
  - d) Lack of democratic representation
- 96. The ancient Greeks used for the following word for the term 'state'
  - a) Republica
- b) Commonweal
- c) Polis
- d) Republic
- 97. ASEAN arose as a reaction against
  - a) European expansionism
  - b) Communist expansionism
  - c) Capitalist's expansionism
  - d) American expansionism
- 98. **Assertion (A)**: the state is neither the handwork of God, nor the result of superior physical force, nor the creation of resolution or convention, nor a mere expansion of the families.
  - **Reason** (**R**): the state emerged imperceptibly, supported by various influences and conditions. It is an institution of natural growth.

- a.) A and r are true, R is the explanation of A
- b) A and R are true, r is not the explanation of A
- c) A is true, R is false
- d) A is false, R is true
- 99. Which of the following processes does not from part of structural adjustment?
  - a) Loosening control over trade and tariff.
  - b) Facilitating currency exchange
  - c) Leaving more room for the market in making investment decisions.
  - d) Re-organizing the pay-scales of public sector employees.
- 100. Consider the following with respect to globalizing the world?
  - 1. Satellite technology
  - 2. New mode of information and

Communication

- 3. Rise of new financial institution
- 4. Development of global civil society

Which of these threaten state sovereignty?

- a) 1 and 2
- b) 2 and 4
- c) 1,3 and 4
- d) 1,2,3 and 4