



Faculty of Law

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LW3CO27 World Politics & International Relations

Programme	:	B.A.LL.B. (Hons.)	Branch/Specialisation	:	All
Duration	:	3 hours	Maximum Marks	:	60

Note: All questions are compulsory. Internal choices, if any, are indicated. Assume suitable data if necessary. Notations and symbols have their usual meaning.

Section 1 (Answer all question(s))					Marks	CO	BL
Q1.	Which of the following is NOT a feature of a written constitution?				1	1	1
	<input type="radio"/> Codified structure	<input type="radio"/> Rigid amendment process					
	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Unwritten conventions	<input type="radio"/> Clearly defined principles					
Q2.	The constitution of the United Kingdom is best described as-				1	1	2
	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Unwritten and flexible	<input type="radio"/> Rigid and written					
	<input type="radio"/> Partially written	<input type="radio"/> None of these					
Q3.	Bicameral legislature refers to-				1	2	1
	<input checked="" type="radio"/> A legislature with two houses	<input type="radio"/> A legislature with a single house					
	<input type="radio"/> A judiciary with two benches	<input type="radio"/> A government with two executives					
Q4.	In the USA, the doctrine of Separation of Powers is-				1	2	2
	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Strictly followed	<input type="radio"/> Loosely interpreted					
	<input type="radio"/> Not applicable	<input type="radio"/> Only followed in theory					
Q5.	Which country follows a parliamentary form of executive?				1	2	2
	<input type="radio"/> USA	<input checked="" type="radio"/> India					
	<input type="radio"/> China	<input type="radio"/> France					
Q6.	The Prime Minister of the UK derives powers from-				1	2	1
	<input type="radio"/> Codified Constitution	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Conventions and customs					
	<input type="radio"/> Presidential authority	<input type="radio"/> Supreme Court					
Q7.	Judicial Review is most strongly established in-				1	3	3
	<input checked="" type="radio"/> USA	<input type="radio"/> France					
	<input type="radio"/> China	<input type="radio"/> UK					
Q8.	The Basic Structure Doctrine is applicable in-				1	4	2
	<input type="radio"/> USA	<input checked="" type="radio"/> India					
	<input type="radio"/> UK	<input type="radio"/> China					
Q9.	SAARC is an example of-				1	5	2
	<input type="radio"/> Global organization	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Regional organization					
	<input type="radio"/> Military alliance	<input type="radio"/> Economic bloc					
Q10.	The United Nations primarily aims to-				1	5	2
	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Maintain international peace and security	<input type="radio"/> Control world trade					
	<input type="radio"/> Implement economic policies	<input type="radio"/> Establish one-world government					

Section 2 (Answer all question(s))**Marks CO BL****Q11.** Define Comparative Politics.**2 1 1**

Rubric	Marks
Definition of Comparative politics	1
Explanation of concept of comparative politics.	1

Q12. Explain the classification of constitutions.**3 1 2**

Rubric	Marks
Written and Unwritten Constitutions (1 mark)	3
Rigid and Flexible Constitutions (1 mark)	
Unitary and Federal Constitutions (1 mark)	

Q13. (a) Discuss the features of the Indian Constitution.**5 1 3**

Rubric	Marks
Longest Constitution (1 mark)	5
Parliamentary System (1 mark)	
Fundamental Rights and Duties (1 mark)	
Directive Principles of State Policy (1 mark)	
Federal Structure with Unitary Bias (1 mark)	

(OR)**(b)** Analyze the importance of studying international relations.

Rubric	Marks
Importance such as:	5
Helps understand global politics (1 mark)	
Identifies international conflicts and solutions (1 mark)	
Affects national foreign policy (1 mark)	
Promotes peace and cooperation (1 mark)	
Encourages diplomatic and economic relations (1 mark)	

Section 3 (Answer all question(s))**Marks CO BL**

Q14. Explain the significance of a bicameral legislature.

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Rubric	Marks
Meaning of bicameral legislature	1
The structure of Bicameral legislature	2
Significance	1

Q15. (a) Compare the role of the legislature in India and the UK.

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Rubric	Marks
role of the legislature in India	2
role of the legislature in UK	2
Compare the role of the legislature in India and the UK	2

(OR)

(b) Analyze the doctrine of Separation of Powers in the USA.

Rubric	Marks
Defined roles of Executive, Legislature, and Judiciary	2
Judicial checks on legislation (2 marks) Prevention of power concentration	2
Judicial checks on legislation and power of judicial review	2

Section 4 (Answer all question(s))

Marks CO BL

Q16. Describe the key features of a presidential executive.

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Rubric	Marks
Separation of powers	2
Fixed tenure of President	2

Q17. (a) Critically evaluate the power of the Prime Minister in India.

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Rubric	Marks
Role as head of government	2
Decision-making authority	2
Influence over legislature	2

(OR)

(b) Compare the roles and powers of the President in the USA and France.

Rubric	Marks
Role and powers of president in USA	2
Role and powers of president in France	2
Comparison between the role and powers of President in USA and France	2

Section 5 (Answer all question(s))

Marks CO BL

Q18. What is the principle of judicial independence? Support your answer with landmark case laws.

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Rubric	Marks
Meaning of Judicial independence.	2
Relevant examples.	1
Landmark case laws .	1

Q19. (a) Compare the concept of judicial review in India and the USA.

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Rubric	Marks
Judicial review in USA	2
Judicial review in India	2
Comparison between judicial review in India and USA	2

(OR)

(b) Analyze the role of the judiciary in China.

Rubric	Marks
judicial system in china	2
Discussion on various roles of Judiciary	4

Section 6 (Answer any 2 question(s))

Marks CO BL

Q20. Explain the role of the United Nations in maintaining global peace.

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Rubric	Marks
Meaning and establishment of UN	2
Discussion on role of UN	3

Q21. Evaluate the effectiveness of regional organizations.

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Rubric	Marks
Meaning of Regional organizations	1
Discussion on effectiveness of regional organizations	2
Role of regional organizations at in maintaining world peace.	2

Q22. Analyze the impact of contemporary challenges in international relations.

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Rubric	Marks
What is International relations	1
Impact of contemporary challenges such as Climate change Cybersecurity threats Geopolitical conflicts	2
suggestive measures to overcome the challenges faced in international relations	2
