

**MA POLITICAL SCIENCE  
FOURTH SEMESTER  
INTRODUCTION TO PUBLIC POLICY  
MPS-403**

(Use separate answer scripts for Objective & Descriptive)

Duration : 3 hrs.

Full Marks : 70

**( PART-A : Objective )**

Time : 20 min.

Marks : 20

*Choose the correct answer from the following:*

*1x20=20*

1. "Public Policy is not a decision it is course or pattern of activities", said by.....
  - a. Thomas Dye
  - b. Richard Rose
  - c. James Anderson
  - d. None of them
2. Public Policy as an academic pursuit emerged in the early.....
  - a. 1940s
  - b. 1960s
  - c. 1930s
  - d. 1950s
3. The concept of Public Policy-making includes:
  - a. A declaration of goals
  - b. The declaration of course of action
  - c. Both of them
  - d. None of the above
4. When the concept of Policy Science first formulated?
  - a. 1951
  - b. 1950
  - c. 1971
  - d. None of the above
5. Which is the final phase in the policy cycle?
  - a. Policy Evaluation
  - b. Problem Structuring
  - c. Policy Monitoring
  - d. None of the above
6. Who was the first formulator of the concept of Policy Science?
  - a. Harold Lasswell
  - b. Wildavsky
  - c. David Easton
  - d. Y. Dror
7. Which is the final stage in the policy process in general?
  - a. Policy Monitoring
  - b. Problem Structuring
  - c. Both of them
  - d. None of the above
8. Policy Dimension comprises of-
  - a. Problem, Player, Policy.
  - b. Formulation, Implementation, Evaluation.
  - c. Monitoring, Evaluation, Problem Structuring.
  - d. None of the above.
9. How many types of agencies are participate in policy-making process in India?
  - a. One
  - b. Nine
  - c. Four
  - d. Two
10. Which of the following is/are the extra-constitutional agencies of policy-making in India?
  - a. Political Parties
  - b. Press
  - c. Voluntary Organizations
  - d. All of the above

11. Which of the following is not an executive organ in policy-making process in India?  
 a. National Development Council                      b. The Cabinet Secretariat  
 c. The Prime Minister's Office                      d. The Auditor-General
12. Yehezkel Dror refers 'Meta Policy' as.....  
 a. Master Policy                      b. Mega Policy  
 c. Both (a) and (b)                      d. None of them
13. Which of the following is/are the models of Policy Implementation?  
 a. Top-Down Model                      b. Coordinating Model  
 c. Inclusive Authority Model                      d. Both (b) and (c)
14. Which of the following is/are the Managerialist Approaches to Implementation?  
 a. Operational Management                      b. Personnel Management  
 c. Policy Action Approach                      d. Both (a) and (b)
15. Who is the present HRD Minister?  
 a. Smt. Sonia Gandhi                      b. Mr. Kapil Sibal  
 c. Smt. Smriti Z. Irani                      d. Mr. Prakash Javadekar
16. PERT stands for.....  
 a. Project Examination Review Technique.  
 b. Project Evaluation and Review Technique.  
 c. Proper Evaluation Review Technique.  
 d. None of the above.
17. Which of the following is/are the criteria of evaluation?  
 a. Effectiveness                      b. Efficiency  
 c. Adequacy                      d. All of the above
18. Which is the most important element in organizational effectiveness?  
 a. Finance                      b. Infrastructure  
 c. Moral                      d. Manpower
19. Which of the following method is not under managerialist approaches?  
 a. CFM                      b. PERT  
 c. PPBS                      d. RBS
20. Who is the author of the book named as 'The Policy Orientation' ?  
 a. Herbert Simon                      b. Y. Dror  
 c. Harold Lasswell                      d. All of the above

**( PART-B : Descriptive )**

Time : 2 hrs. 40 min.

Marks : 50

[ Answer question no.1 & any four (4) from the rest ]

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| 1. Do you think that the policies are really helpful for the needy people? Give your opinion.   | 10     |
| 2. a. Define Public Policy.<br>b. Explain the models of public policy analysis.   | 2+8=10 |
| 3. a. What is policy formulation?<br>b. Explain the role of any four constitutional organs in policy-making process of India.   | 2+8=10 |
| 4. a. Enumerate the problems of Policy Implementation.<br>b. Suggest the remedial measures for better implementation of policies in the society.                      | 5+5=10 |
| 5. "The success of a policy is depending on its implementation". Do you agree? Give your opinion with suitable examples.  | 10     |
| 6. a. What do you mean by Policy Science?<br>b. Describe briefly the role of citizens and interest groups in Policy-making process.                                   | 3+7=10 |
| 7. a. What is Policy Evaluation?<br>b. "Policy Evaluation is concerned with trying to determine the impact of policy on real life conditions". Justify the statement. | 2+8=10 |
| 8. Elaborately discuss the impact of globalization on National policy-making process.   | 10     |

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