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**Instructions regarding Internal Assessment preparation and submission:**

- i. All answers should be **hand written**;
- ii. **Internal assessment should be arranged as follows:**
  - a. Cover page (to be downloaded from website);
  - b. Copy of ID card;
  - c. Question paper
  - d. Contents
  - e. Answer of any *one* question for **each** of Courses C.C. 2.1 – 2.5



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**C.C. 2.1: Concepts and Theories of International Relations**

**Q1. Answer any *one* from the following:** (1 × 10 = 10)

- a) Discuss in details the realist theory of International Relations. What are the differences between realism and neo-realism. [10]
- b) Write a note on Morton Kaplan's Systems Theory and the corresponding models. [10]

**C.C. 2.2: Constitution and Governance in India**

**Q2. Answer any *one* from the following:** (1 × 10 = 10)

- a) Discuss in details Judicial Activism in India with special reference to PIL. [10]
- b) Discuss the background for the rise of coalition politics in India. Also reflect on the future prospects of coalition politics in India keeping in mind the contemporary political scenario. [10]

**C.C. 2.3: Governance and Its Critics**

**Q3. Answer any *one* from the following:** (1 × 10 = 10)

- a) Discuss the rational choice theory of governance. [10]
- b) Write a detailed note on politics of the governed. [10]

**C.C. 2.4: Politics in India**

**Q4. Answer any *one* from the following:** (1 × 10 = 10)

- a) Write a detailed note on caste and politics of reservation in India. [10]
- b) What is regionalism? Discuss in details the rise of regionalism in post-independence India. [10]

**C.C. 2.5: Politics in West Bengal**

**Q5. Answer any *one* from the following:** (1 × 10 = 10)

- a) Write a detailed note on migration and displacement in the aftermath of partition in 1947. [10]
- b) What do you mean by Regional Autonomy? How far movements for regional autonomy is a threat for national integration? [10]