**ST JOSEPH’S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), BENGALURU-27**

**B.A II SEMESTER EXAMINATION – APRIL 2019**

**POLITICAL SCIENCE**

**PSA 218: Political Concepts & Ideologies**

**TIME: 2 ½ HRS MAX MARKS: 70**

THIS PAPER CONTAINS ONE PRINTED PAGE AND THREE PARTS

Part- A

I Answer any **Four** of the following questions in about 60 words each (4x4=16)

1. Define Political theory. What are its two dimensions?
2. Give the meaning of ‘Traditional Ideologies’
3. What are the essential features of a Modern Democracy?
4. What are the different types of Aristarchic Governments?
5. What is Left wing Extremism?

Part-B

II Answer any **Three** of the following questions in about 150 words each (3x8=24)

1. What is Postmodernism?
2. Mention the salient features of Socialism advocated by St Simon and Robert Owen. Why is called Utopian Socialism?
3. Explain briefly the different Direct Democratic devices.
4. Discuss the features, merits and de-merits of Parliamentary Governments.

Part-C

III Answer any **Two** of the following questions in about 250 words each (2x15=30)

1. What is Behaviouralism? Explain its features, merits and de-merits.
2. Critically examine Modern Liberalism
3. Bring out the Elitist theory of Democracy.
4. Write short notes on: (In about 80 words each)

(a) Imperialism

(b) Religious Fundamentalism

(c) Federal Government

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**PSA: 218- A**