

Mid-Term Examination (First Semester) - 2022
Public Administration
Paper: MPA-102 (Classical Administrative Thought)

Time: 01 Hour

Total Marks: 30

Q1. Comment on ANY TWO of the following:

05 Marks*2

- (a) 'The Study of Administration' Essay by Woodrow Wilson (1887)
- (b) Henri Fayol and Universality of Management Process
- (c) Philosophical Foundation of Monarchical Form of Government (Kautilya's Arthashastra)

Q2. Answer ANY TWO of the following:

05 Marks*2

- (a) Discuss the concept of "True Science of Work" as advocated by F.W. Taylor.
- (b) 'Decentralization and Unity of Command' are both convergent and divergent in nature. Comment on it considering the ideas of Luther Gulick.
- (c) Lyndall Urwick's idea on 'the principle of responsibility' is vital in any organization to establish a rapport between superior and subordinate. Analyse.

Q3. Answer ANY ONE of the following:

10 Marks*1

- (a) Explain the 'Saptanga Theory' of Kautilya drawing examples from the contemporary state of Indian administration.
- (b) 'Scientific Management Theory' advocated by F.W. Taylor was the missing link between optimization of work and responses of human behavior. Analyse.
