



M.Sc./M.A. IV Semester Degree Examination, Sept./Oct. - 2024

POLITICAL SCIENCE

Techniques and Research Methods in Political Science

(NEP)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 70

Answer **any five** of the following questions with Question No. **1** is **Compulsory**.

All question carries equal marks.

5x14=70

1. Write short notes on the following :
 - (a) Review of Literature
 - (b) Variables
 - (c) Sampling Methods
 - (d) Graphs
2. Explain the sources of data collection in Social Science Research.
3. Assess the Traditional and Scientific Methods of Research in Political Science.
4. Analyse the steps and features of a Research design.
5. Discuss the impact of Computer Technology and application in the Social Science Research.
6. Write a note on the following :
 - (a) Case study
 - (b) Questionnaire
 - (c) Interview Methods
 - (d) Observation Methods
7. What are stages of Report Writing ? Explain with examples.
8. Discuss the issues of Quality, Ethics and Morality in Social Science Research.

