

SRI V.S. SIVALINGAM CHETTIAR GOVERNMENT DEGREE COLLEGE (A)

SUULURPET, TIRUPATI DISTRICT

SEMESTER: IV (Minor), FIRST MID EXAMINATIONS: 2026

INDIAN GOVERNMENT

Time: 1 Hour

Maximum Marks: 20

Section – A

1 X 8 = 8M

(Answer any ONE question. Each question carries 8 marks.)

1. Explain the Mode of Election, Powers and Functions of the President of India.
OR
2. Describe the Composition, Powers and Functions of the Parliament of India.

Section – B

3 X 4 = 12M

(Answer any THREE questions. Each question carries 4 marks.)

3. Discuss the Powers and Functions of the Prime Minister of India.
4. Explain the Role of the Prime Minister in Coalition Politics.
5. Describe the Composition and Powers of the Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha under the Parliament of India.
6. Explain the Powers and Functions of the Governor.
7. Write short notes on any TWO of the following:
 - a) Public Accounts Committee (PAC)
 - b) Estimates Committee
 - c) Committee on Public Enterprises (CPE)
 - d) Legislative Assembly
 - e) Legislative Council

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1. Explain the powers and functions of the Chief Minister and the Council of Ministers in a State.
(OR)
2. Discuss the composition, powers and functions of the Supreme Court of India.

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3. Explain the role and importance of the Business Advisory Committee in the State Legislature.
4. Describe the functions of Standing Committees in the State Legislature.
5. Explain the process of appointment of judges of the Supreme Court of India.
6. What is Judicial Review? Explain its importance in India.
7. Write a short note on Judicial Activism in India.

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1. Discuss the role of caste in Indian politics.
2. Explain the structure and functions of NITI Aayog.

Section – B

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(Answer any THREE questions. Each question carries 4 marks.)

3. Examine the role of religion in Indian politics.
4. Write a short note on social media and politics in India.
5. Discuss the issue of criminalization of politics.
6. Describe the role of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India.
7. Explain the functions of the Central Vigilance Commission.

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1. Explain the composition, powers and functions of the Central Information Commission. Discuss its role in promoting transparency.

OR

2. Examine the structure, powers and significance of the Lokpal in strengthening accountability in India.

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3. Discuss the role and functions of the Lokayukta.

4. Explain the main features of the Right to Information Act, 2005.

5. Describe the powers and functions of the Union Public Service Commission (UPSC).

6. Write a short note on the recommendations of the First Administrative Reforms Commission (1966).

7. Highlight the major recommendations of the Second Administrative Reforms Commission (2005).