

63/1 (SEM-3) CC6/PHLHC3066

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(Held in 2023)

PHILOSOPHY

Paper : PHLHC3066

(Social and Political Philosophy)

Full Marks : 80

Pass Marks : 32

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

1. Choose the correct answer : 1×6=6

(a) Who is the author of the book, *Critique of Practical Reason*?

(i) Ronald Dworkin

(ii) Isaiah Berlin

(iii) Immanuel Kant

(iv) None of them

(b) Who was the father of Liberalism?

(i) John Rawls

(ii) Ronald Dworkin

(iii) Isaiah Berlin

(iv) None of them

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- (c) Gandhi's *Hind Swaraj* is primarily known for its
- (i) critique of ancient civilization
 - (ii) critique of utilitarianism
 - (iii) critique of modern civilization
 - (iv) None of the above
- (d) Who is the author of *Nationalism*?
- (i) M. K. Gandhi
 - (ii) R. N. Tagore
 - (iii) M. N. Roy
 - (iv) None of them
- (e) Who distinguished resources as external and internal?
- (i) Isaiah Berlin
 - (ii) John Rawls
 - (iii) Ronald Dworkin
 - (iv) None of them
- (f) Who is associated with the concept of new humanism?
- (i) Hamid Dalwai
 - (ii) M. N. Roy
 - (iii) M. K. Gandhi
 - (iv) None of them

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2. Answer the following questions : 2×5=10
- (a) What do you mean by enlightenment?
 - (b) Define positive liberty.
 - (c) What do you mean by nationalism?
 - (d) What is Satyagraha?
 - (e) State two disadvantages of modern civilization according to Gandhi.
3. Answer any six of the following questions : 5×6=30
- (a) Write a short note on liberal equality of Ronald Dworkin.
 - (b) Explain Rawls' theory of Justice as fairness.
 - (c) What is negative liberty? Explain.
 - (d) What are the requirements of enlightenment according to Kant? Explain.
 - (e) Write a short note on new political philosophy of M. N. Roy.
 - (f) Explain the Gandhi's concept of Swaraj.
 - (g) Write a short note on freedom of Berlin.

- (h) What is the radical humanism according to M. N. Roy? Explain.
- (i) Explain Rawls' view on utilitarianism.
4. Answer any *two* of the following questions : 10×2=20
- (a) Discuss the Hamid Dalwai's view on secularism.
- (b) Why did Gandhi criticize modern machinery? Discuss.
- (c) Explain and examine the Kant's concept of enlightenment.
5. Answer any *one* of the following questions : 14
- (a) Write an essay on Gandhi's critique of modern civilization.
- (b) Discuss Tagore's concept of Nationalism in the West.
