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The Assam Royal Global University, Guwahati

Royal School of Humanities and Social Sciences

BA Political Science, 1st Semester

Special Supplementary Examination, August 2024

Course Title: Nationalism in India

Course Code: POL182C101(o)

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 70

Note: Attempt all questions as per instructions given.

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

Section – A

1. Attempt **all questions**. (Maximum word limit 50) 2 x 8
- a. Mention main beliefs of Arya Samaj.
 - b. Mention two of the prominent socio religious movements .
 - c. What led to the growth of Nationalist Movement?
 - d. Why did the INC split?
 - e. What role did women deliver in the freedom struggle?
 - f. Name a few important peasant movements in India.
 - g. What was the Nehru plan?
 - h. What were the important points in Cripps Mission?

Section – B

2. Attempt **any two** of the following: 6x 2
- a. Explain the various approaches to study nationalism in India.
 - b. Discuss a few reformist movements that paved the way for a progressive and modern society.
 - c. Discuss the main differences between the colonialist and nationalist views on national movement.
3. Attempt **any two** of the following: 7x 2
- a. Discuss by highlighting on the two movements under Gandhi's leadership which witnessed maximum participation.
 - b. Differentiate the Moderates with Extremists referring to a few incidents that led to their split.
 - c. "Khilafat and Non-cooperation movements were important milestones in the history of modern India." Comment.
4. Attempt **any two** of the following: 7 x 2
- a. Write a note on the women's participation and its impact on the freedom struggle.
 - b. How relevant is caste system in the 21st century?
 - c. Discuss all major Tribal Movements in pre-independent India.
5. Attempt **any one** of the following: 14 x 1
- a. "As the freedom struggle gained momentum, the Muslim leadership continued to indulge in politics of separation and protectionism." In this context analyze the development of Two nation theory.
 - b. How relevant is the cabinet mission in shaping the Indian subcontinent?