

Term End External Examination 1<sup>st</sup> Semester (Session-Feb 2025)

Subject: Multidisciplinary Course

Course No and Title: PAD0221/ Indian Administration

**Time: 1.15 hours**                      **Max Marks:50**                      **Min. Marks:20**

**Section A: Objective Type Questions**

**Q1. Choose the appropriate Answer: (4x1.5=06)**

**i. Which of the following is not a characteristic feature of Indian Constitution?**

- A Dual Citizenship                      B Parliamentary Democracy  
C Single citizenship                      D None of the three

**ii. Which of the following is not an All-India Service?**

- A Indian Foreign Service                      B Indian Forest Service  
C Indian Administrative Service                      D Indian Police Service

**iii. A doctor is a:**

- A Generalist                      B Specialist  
C Neither 'A' nor 'B'                      D Both 'A' and 'B'

**iv. Who is the present Lokpal of India?**

- A Justice Katju                      B Justice R.R Singh  
C Justice A.M Khanwikar                      D None of the three

**Section-B: Descriptive Type Questions (Short Type)**

**Q2: Answer all the Questions (4 x 4 =16)**

- i.** What are the various executive powers of the President of India?  
Explain any two of them
- ii.** What are the functions of central secretariat?
- iii.** Explain the major issues in minister-civil servant relationship.
- iv.** Are a generalist and a specialist complimentary to each other?  
Give at least four reasons in support of your answer.

**Section – C: Descriptive Type Questions (Medium Type)**

**Answer all the questions: (2 x 7=14)**

**Q3.** What is the difference between the functions of Prime Minister's Office (PMO) and Cabinet Secretariat.

**OR**

Do you agree that the Governor is an agent of the Union in the state? Give at least four reasons in support of your answer.

**Q4.** Write a note the evolution of Lokpal in India.

**OR**

How are Local Self Government Institutions important for extending democracy to the Grass Root level?

**Section – D: Descriptive Type Questions (Long Type)**

**Answer any one of the following: (1 x 14=15)**

**Q5.** The president of India is often referred to as 'the nominal head of the government'. Explain the factors that make him so.

**Q6.** Explain in detail the need of complementarity and compatibility among generalists and specialists for administrative efficiency.