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**FOURTH SEMESTER M.A. DEGREE (REGULAR/SUPPLEMENTARY)
EXAMINATION, APRIL 2026**

(CBCSS)

Political Science

POL4C13—INDIA'S FOREIGN POLICY

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 30 Weightage

Section A (Short Answer Questions)*Answer any **four** questions.**Each question carries 2 weightage.*

1. Indo-Soviet Treaty of Peace, Friendship and Co-operation.
2. Smiling Buddha.
3. NPT.
4. Tin Bigha corridor.
5. Panchsheel.
6. Neighbourhood First' policy.
7. The ASEAN-India Free Trade Area (AIFTA).

(4 × 2 = 8 weightage)

Section B (Short Essay Questions)*Answer any **four** questions.**Each question carries 3 weightage.*

8. Discuss the nature of Internal world order after the Disintegration of Soviet Union.
9. Evaluate the importance of India's Look East Policy.
10. Enumerate the present nature of India's Foreign relation with Japan.

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11. What are the QUAD Countries ? Examine the importance of Quad in India's Foreign Policy making.
12. Do you think that the Non-Alignment Movement is still relevant in the present international Order ? Comment.
13. India's foreign relation with USA has developed in the post cold war period. Substantiate your views.
14. Estimate the role played by Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru as the architect of India's Foreign Policy.

(4 × 3 = 12 weightage)

Section C (Essay Questions)

*Answer any **two** questions.*

Each question carries 5 weightage.

15. Do you agree with the view that India is a regional Super Power in South Asia ? Critically examine.
16. Elaborate India's border issues with Pakistan, Bangladesh, Nepal and China.
17. Evaluate India's Foreign Policy position towards Pakistan under Narendra Modi's Prime Ministership.
18. Enumerate and discuss basic determinants of India's Foreign Policy. Discuss how National Interest plays a crucial role in India's Foreign Policy making .

(2 × 5 = 10 weightage)

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EXAMINATION, APRIL 2026****(CBCSS)****Political Science****POL 4C 13—INDIA'S FOREIGN POLICY****(2019 Admission onwards)****(Multiple Choice Questions for SDE Candidates)****Time : 20 Minutes****Total No. of Questions : 20****Maximum : 5 Weightage****INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE**

1. This Question Paper carries Multiple Choice Questions from 1 to 20.
2. The candidate should check that the question paper supplied to him/her contains all the 20 questions in serial order.
3. Each question is provided with choices (A), (B), (C) and (D) having one correct answer. Choose the correct answer and enter it in the main answer-book.
4. The MCQ question paper will be supplied after the completion of the descriptive examination.

POL 4C 13—INDIA'S FOREIGN POLICY

(Multiple Choice Questions for SDE Candidates)

1. The primary objective of foreign policy is ?
 - (A) To safeguard its national interests.
 - (B) To promote culture dynamics.
 - (C) To invest in multinational corporations.
 - (D) To initiate a dialogue with different political parties.
2. India signed a treaty of Friendship and Cooperation in August 1971 with which of the following country ?
 - (A) Japan.
 - (B) Israel.
 - (C) U.S.A.
 - (D) Russia.
3. How many Indian States/ Union Territories Share Boundaries with China ?
 - (A) 4 States and 1 Union Territory.
 - (B) 3 States.
 - (C) 5 States.
 - (D) 3 States and 2 Union Territories.
4. The Maritime Boundary dispute between India and Bangladesh was settled in _____ ?
 - (A) 2015.
 - (B) 2014.
 - (C) 2013.
 - (D) 2012.
5. The Panchsheel treaty has been signed between ?
 - (A) India and Nepal.
 - (B) Indian and Pakistan.
 - (C) India and China.
 - (D) India and Sri Lanka.
6. The agreement signed by India and China in 1954 related to _____ ?
 - (A) Trade and commerce.
 - (B) Restoration of normal relations.
 - (C) Cultural exchange programs.
 - (D) The five principles of Co-existence.
7. _____ is the instrument for implementing foreign policy of a state ?
 - (A) Harmony.
 - (B) Diplomacy.
 - (C) Belief.
 - (D) Co-operator.

8. Bandung Conference was held in the year ?
- (A) 1954. (B) 1955.
(C) 1956. (D) 1957.
9. When was "Gujarat Doctrine" introduced ?
- (A) 1976. (B) 1996.
(C) 1986. (D) 1980.
10. What is the objective of the ASEAN ?
- (A) To increase competition among the members countries for better products.
(B) To integrate the economies of the region to make region more attractive for investors.
(C) To promote economic cooperation in South East Asia and ensure economic stability in the region.
(D) (B) and (C).
11. India tested its first Nuclear Test in the Year ?
- (A) 1998. (B) 1996.
(C) 1974. (D) 1978.
12. Simla agreement was signed between :
- (A) Jawaharlal Nehru and Muhammedali Jinnah.
(B) Benazir Bhuto and Indira Gandhi.
(C) Indira Gandhi and Zulfikar Ali Bhuto.
(D) Jawaharlal Nehru and Zulfikhar Ali Bhuto.
13. Look West Policy of India advocated expansion and extension of India's relations with ?
- (A) European Union.
(B) West Asian countries.
(C) Africa and Latin American countries.
(D) Western countries.

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14. Where was the first ASEAN Summit held ?
(A) Bali. (B) Manila.
(C) Singapore. (D) Jakarta.
15. South Asia has the world's largest _____ ?
(A) Working-age population. (B) Old age population.
(C) Middle age population. (D) Upper class population.
16. There have been greater differences between India and USA on the question of _____ ?
(A) Galwan standoff. (B) Nuclear deal.
(C) Signing of CTBT. (D) Globalisation and liberalization.
17. A joint military exercise between India and China is known by which name ?
(A) Lamitiye. (B) Vajra Prahar.
(C) Hand in Hand (D) Surya Kiran.
18. When was The ASEAN Regional Forum established ?
(A) 1991. (B) 1992.
(C) 1993. (D) 1994.
19. Which of the statements are true about globalisation ?
(A) Globalisation is purely an economic phenomenon.
(B) Globalisation began in 1991.
(C) Globalisation is the same thing as westernisation.
(D) Globalisation is a multidimensional phenomenon.
20. India implemented the New Economic Policy in the year ?
(A) 1980. (B) 1981.
(C) 1990. (D) 1991.