M.A. Political Science (Final) PAPER-VII Group A(b)

Diplomacy: Theory and Practice

Max. Marks: 100

Time: 3 Hours

Note: 10 questions will be set-2 from each Unit. The candidate is required to attempt 5 questions, selecting one from each Unit.

Unit - I

Diplomacy: Definition, Nature, Objectives, Decline of Diplomacy and its Future, Foreign policy and Diplomacy: Power and Diplomacy

Evolution of Diplomatic Practice: Occidental and Oriental Traditions: Classical Diplomacy, Old and New Diplomacy, Secret and Open Diplomacy.

Unit-II

Structure of Diplomatic Practice:

Diplomactic Agents, classification, immunities and privileges, Corps Diplomatique, Principle of precedence and Ranks, Credentials and full powers. The ideal Diplomat, Functions of Diplomat Language of Diplomatic intercourse, forms and documents, Organisation of Ministry of External Affairs in U.K. USA and India.

Unit-III

Forms of Diplomatic Practice

Conference Diplomacy, shuttle Diplomacy, Summit Diplomacy, Democratic Diplomacy, Personal Diplomacy, Cultural Diplomacy, Diplomacy of Aid, Indian Diplomacy: Origin, Salient Features, Achievements, challenges, working of Indian Missions Abroad.

Unit-IV

Great Diplomate

Cardinal Richelieu, Matternich, Taller and castlereagh Canning, Palmerston, Cavour.

Bismaro, Wilson, Krishna Menon, K.M. Pennikar.

Unit-V

Role of Diplomacy in U.N.

Bilateral and multilateral Diplomacy.

Permanent Missions: Their Role and Tasks

Structure and functioning of U.N. system

Role of general assembly and Security Council in the maintenance of peace and security