

TITLE OF PAPER: MODERN POLITICAL THEORY

COURSE CODE: PA201

TIME ALLOWED: THREE (3) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER FOUR (4) QUESTIONS. ALL QUESTIONS  
CARRY EQUAL MARKS OF TWENTY  
FIVE (25) EACH

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**Question 3**

To what extent is Machiavelli's theory of power politics relevant in the modern world?

**Question 4**

Outline the key features of Hobbes' Social Contract theory and explain why he advocated for absolutist government.

**Question 5**

Elaborating on John Locke's Social Contract theory, discuss why he is regarded as having immensely contributed to liberalism.

**Question 6**

Edmund Burke's conception on the organic nature of society led him to be highly skeptical of rapid change. Discuss.

**Question 7**

Karl Marx's theory of class struggle and revolution is based on his conception of social inequality within a bourgeois society. Discuss.

**Question 8**

With the use of examples, discuss the limitations of liberal feminism in present-day society.