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Candidate's Seat No : \_\_\_\_\_

**M.A. Sem.-3 Examination**

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**Time : 2-30 Hours]**

**November-2025**

**[Max. Marks : 70**

**General Instructions:**

1. This question paper contains five questions
2. It is compulsory to attempt all the questions.
3. Read carefully the instructions given for each question.
4. Please mention clearly the questions you attempt.
5. Figures to the right indicate marks

**Q1) Why do wars occur between states? Discuss the reasons behind wars. [14]**

**OR**

**Q1) How do Realist and Liberal perspectives differ in explaining the causes of war? [14]**

**Q2) Examine the major causes and consequences of the World War II. [14]**

**OR**

**Q2) What were the reasons behind the end of the Cold War? Discuss its implications for global politics. [14]**

**Q3) Explain how Nuclear weapons have influenced international peace and security since 1945. [14]**

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**Q3) Explain the causes and effects of the Gulf War of 1991. [14]**

**Q4) Discuss the interwar period as a failed experiment in collective security and peace.**

**[14]**

**OR**

**Q4) What was Cuban Missile Crisis? How did it influence U.S.–Soviet relations?**

**[14]**

**Q5) Attempt any 7 out of 12 Questions.**

**2 X 7 = 14**

- i) What do you mean by Balance of Power.
- ii) What was the main objective of the League of Nations?
- iii) What do you mean by Mutually Assured Destruction (MAD)?
- iv) Name the two military alliances formed during the Cold War.
- v) What was Operation Desert Storm?
- vi) Mention the two major reforms introduced by Mikhail Gorbachev.
- vii) What does CTBT stand for, and in which year was it adopted?
- viii) Who was the Iraqi leader during the First Gulf War?
- ix) What major event triggered the War on Terror?
- x) Differentiate between horizontal and vertical nuclear proliferation.
- xi) What is the main purpose of the Non-Proliferation Treaty (NPT)?
- xii) What is meant by collective security in international relations?

