



**Riara School of International Relations & Diplomacy**

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**SEPTEMBER-DECEMBER TRIMESTER**

**EXAMINATIONS FOR DIPLOMA IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS & DIPLOMACY**

**DAY PROGRAMME**

**RIR 052: ELEMENTS OF DIPLOMACY**

**DATE: 11<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2019**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

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**GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:**

Students are NOT permitted to write on the examination paper during reading time.

This is a closed book examination. Text book/Reference books/notes are not permitted.

**SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. Write your REGISTRATION NO. Clearly on the answer booklet(s).
2. Answer Question One and ANY other TWO questions.
3. Questions in all sections should be answered in answer booklet(s).
4. Marks allocated to each question are shown at the end of the question.
5. PLEASE start the answer to EACH question on a NEW PAGE.
6. For the questions, write the number of the question on the answer booklet(s) in the order you answered them.
7. Write your answers in paragraph form unless stated otherwise.
8. Keep your phone(s) SWITCHED OFF at the front of the examination room.
9. Keep ALL bags and caps at the front of the examination room and do not refer to any unauthorized material before or during the course of the examination.
10. You are only allowed to leave the examination room 30minutes to the end of the Examination.

## SECTION A: (COMPULSORY 30 MARKS)

### QUESTION ONE

- a) Define
  - i) Diplomacy (2 marks)
  - ii) Preventive diplomacy (2 marks)
- b) Identify four international institutions that are multilateral in nature (2 marks)
- c) Discuss advantages of a resident embassy (4 marks)
- d) Compare a consulate general and a permanent mission. (4 marks)
- e) Explain the following terms (6 marks)
  - i) track I diplomacy
  - ii) track II diplomacy
  - iii) Public Diplomacy
- f) Explain four functions of diplomats. (4 marks)
- g) Give a brief history of conference diplomacy (6 marks)

## SECTION B: CHOOSE ONE QUESTION

### QUESTION TWO (20 Marks)

- a) Explain the nature of diplomacy. (10 Marks)
- b) Discuss French (Cardinal Richelieu) contribution to diplomatic practice. (10 Marks)

### QUESTION THREE (20 Marks)

- a) Discuss advantages of open diplomacy? (10 Marks)
- b) Discuss the benefits of bilateral diplomacy in the modern world. (20 Marks)

### QUESTION FOUR (20 Marks)

- a) Discuss the significance of international institutions in diplomacy (10 marks)
- b) Discuss the functions of the foreign ministry. (10 Marks)

### QUESTION FIVE

- a) Besides open diplomacy, discuss five types of diplomacy. (10 Marks)
- b) Bilateral and multilateral diplomacy complement each other. Briefly describe how this happens. (10 marks)