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**DOON UNIVERSITY, DEHRADUN**  
**Semester Final Examination, Third Semester, 2012**  
**School of Communication**

**M.A. Communication**  
**Course: COMM-624: Politics and Communication**

*Time Allowed: 3 Hours*

*Marks: 50*

Write short notes on any TWO. Each answer should consist of about 400 words.

*(Marks: 5 x 2 = 10)*

1. Neoliberalism.
2. Democracy.
3. Fascism.

Attempt any TWO questions. Each question is to be answered in about 1,500 words. Your answers should include examples wherever appropriate.

*(Marks: 20 x 2 = 40)*

1. Discuss the manner in which media practices and routines affect their ability to present a nuanced view of politics.
2. Discuss the Indian media's coverage of the death of Bal Thackeray with reference to the requirements of democracy.
3. Write an essay on "The media and public opinion".