

INDIAN GOVERNMENT AND POLITICS

Duration: 3 Hours

Total Marks : 75

*Instructions : 1) Q. No. 13 and Q.No.14 are compulsory.*

*2) Answer any EIGHT questions from question no.1 to question no.12. ( 8 x 8 )*

1. 'The Constitution of India was to be framed by an elected Constituent Assembly of the Indian people'. Briefly explain the making of India's Constitution.
2. 'The Indian Constitution is remarkable for many outstanding features'. Discuss.
3. 'The six freedoms are certain positive rights conferred by the Constitution in order to promote the ideal of liberty held out by the Preamble'. Briefly explain the right to Freedom.
4. 'Prime Minister is the principle channel of communication between the President and the council of ministers'. Explain the role of Prime Minister in India.
5. Who is a Chief Minister? Explain the powers and functions of the Chief Minister.
6. Discuss the Legislative Relations between the Union and the State.
7. 'The Supreme Court is the Apex court in India'. Explain the original jurisdiction of the Supreme Court.
8. 'INC and BJP are the two leading national political parties of India'. Comparatively elaborate.
9. Discuss the powers and duties of Election Commission of India and explain any six Electoral Reforms in India
10. 'Religion and Caste are the two major issues concerning India'. Discuss
11. Write a short note on the Parliament of India
12. 'Evaluate the functioning of Democracy in India and suggest ways of Improving the functioning of the Indian Government'
13. Write short notes on any two: [2 x 3 =6]
  - a. Parliamentary procedure
  - b. Judges of the Supreme Court
  - c. Directive Principles of state policies
14. Write short notes on any two. [2 ½ x 2 = 5]
  - a. Upper House of the Parliament
  - b. Regional disparity in India
  - c. Council of minister

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