

Question Bank FYBA Political Science Paper 1

Semester 1

Module-1 Introduction to the Constitution

1. Discuss in brief the making of the Indian Constitution.
2. Describe the role of Constituent Assembly in the making of the Constitution.
3. Trace the constitutional development during the British rule.
4. Describe the basic values of the Constitution as embodied in the Preamble.
5. Explain the terms Sovereign, Socialist, Democratic, Republic mentioned in the Preamble.
6. 'Preamble is the soul of Indian Constitution'. Explain.
7. Discuss the salient features of the Indian Constitution.
8. 'The Indian Constitution is unique'. Comment.
9. Describe any six features of the Constitution of India.

Module-2 Citizens and the Constitution

10. Examine fundamental Right to Equality with exceptions.
11. Discuss the fundamental Right to Liberty.
12. Explain the civil liberties of citizens as guaranteed under Article 19 of the Constitution. Are these freedoms absolute?
13. Describe the fundamental Right to Freedom of Religion.
14. Discuss the Right against Exploitation.
15. What are the cultural and educational rights guaranteed under the Constitution?
16. Explain the 'Right to Constitutional remedies' as guaranteed under Article 32 of the Constitution.
17. Discuss the importance of the Directive Principles of State Policy.
18. Discuss the socialist/ liberal/Gandhian Directive Principles of State Policy.
19. Examine the implementation of the Directive Principles of State Policy.

Module- 3 Legislature and Judiciary

20. Describe the composition of the Parliament of India.
21. Explain the law making procedure in the Parliament.
22. Write a note on the office of Speaker of the Lok Sabha.
23. Enumerate the powers and functions of the Parliament.
24. Discuss the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of India.
25. Examine the powers and functions of the High Court.
26. Explain the concept of Judicial Activism in the Indian context.
27. Critically examine the concept of Public Interest Litigation.

Module-4 Executive

28. Examine the legislative and executive powers and functions of the President of India.

29. "The President of India is just a figure head." Elaborate.
30. Critically examine the emergency powers of the President of India.
31. Discuss the composition, powers and functions of Union Council of Ministers.
32. Explain the composition, powers and functions of the Union Cabinet.
33. Analyse the role of Prime Minister in the Indian political system.
34. Examine the main features of the 74th Amendment Act.
35. Examine the main features of Panchayati Raj under the 73rd Amendment Act.