

Semester: 2

Course: BAH, PSC, 1st year

Name of the Paper: Political process in India

Question Bank:

1. What has been the impact of party system fragmentation on Indian Politics after 1989?
 2. Discuss the nature of Party System in India with reference to the transition from one party dominance to a competitive party system.
 3. Explain different factors influencing the voting behaviour of the electorate during national elections in the last decade.
 4. Discuss Politics of Regionalism.
 5. Discuss debates on Secularism.
 6. Welfare State in India. Comment.
 7. Identify different factors responsible for secessionist tendencies in India. Do you think that Indian state has been able to address them successfully? Give reasons.
 8. Examine the changing nature of electoral participation in India. Do you think it has become more representative in recent time?
 9. Discuss the different phases of federal reorganization of states in India.
 10. Do you think majority communalism has posed a challenge to the secular fabric of Indian Polity? Discuss.
 11. Write a critical essay on the politics of affirmative action in India.
 12. Discuss the impact of globalisation on the nature of Indian state.
 13. Write short notes:
 - A. Post poll alliance and the politics of opportunism
 - B. Dalit politics in India
 - C. Need of women reservation bill
 14. Critically examine affirmative actions for women in India
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