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B.A. (CBCS) DEGREE EXAMINATION,
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Fifth Semester

History — Major Elective

CONSTITUTIONAL HISTORY OF INDIA 1773 – 1947

(For those who joined in July 2021-2022)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — (10 × 1 = 10 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Choose the correct answer.

1. How many Articles are there in the Indian constitution?
(a) 7 (b) 295
(c) 395 (d) 495
2. Which part mentioned about Fundamental Rights?
(a) Part I (b) Part II
(c) Part III (d) Part IV

3. What is mentioned in Part IV of the Constitution?
 - (a) Fundamental Rights
 - (b) Fundamental Duties
 - (c) Directive Principles of State Policy
 - (d) Federation
4. What is the tenure of Prime Minister of India?
 - (a) Five Years
 - (b) Four Years
 - (c) Six Years
 - (d) Seven Years
5. How many elected members are there in the Lok Sabha?
 - (a) 545
 - (b) 543
 - (c) 12
 - (d) 250
6. Who is the Chairman of Rajya Sabha?
 - (a) President
 - (b) Vice President
 - (c) Prime Minister
 - (d) Speaker
7. Where is the Supreme Court of India located?
 - (a) Chennai
 - (b) Calcutta
 - (c) Delhi
 - (d) Bombay

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8. Who is the guardian of Indian Constitution?

- (a) Parliament
- (b) Supreme Court
- (c) Cabinet
- (d) Central Government

9. Who is the head of the Council of Ministers of the state?

- (a) President (b) Governor
- (c) Prime Minister (d) Chief Minister

10. What is the tenure of Governor of the State?

- (a) 5 Years (b) 6 Years
- (c) 7 Years (d) 8 Years

PART B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

Each answer should not exceed 250 words.

11. (a) Describe the functions of the Constitution Drafting Committee.

Or

(b) Write about the Constitutional Amendment.

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12. (a) Give a note on Written constitution and Fundamental Duties.

Or

(b) Discuss the Gandhian Principles in our Constitution.

13. (a) Trace the Composition of Lok Sabha.

Or

(b) Describe the function of the Committees of the Parliament.

14. (a) Illustrate the Centre and State Relations.

Or

(b) Discuss about the Judicial Review.

15. (a) Write a short note on the State legislative councils.

Or

(b) Illustrate the Procedure for the Chief Minister appointment.

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PART C — (5 × 8 = 40 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

Each answer should not exceed 600 words.

16. (a) Point out the important works of Indian Constituent Assembly.

Or

- (b) Explain the salient features of the Indian Constitution.

17. (a) Classify the significance of Directive Principles of State Policy.

Or

- (b) Write an essay on Fundamental Rights in Indian Constitution.

18. (a) Describe the powers and positions of Prime Minister in India.

Or

- (b) Describe the organization and functions of the Rajya sabha.

19. (a) Examine whether the Judiciary in India is functioning independently.

Or

- (b) Explain the powers and functions of the Supreme Court of India.

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20. (a) Enumerate the Powers and function of Governor in India.

Or

- (b) Write the Significance of Election Commission mentioned in the Indian Constitution.
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