

National Institute of Open Schooling
Senior Secondary Course: Political Science
Lesson 5: Preamble and The Salient Features of the Constitution of India
Worksheet -5

1. What is the Constituent Assembly? Explain the procedure through which it came into existence.
2. How can we say that the “Indian Constitution is a combination of Rigidity and Flexibility”.
3. “Egalitarian society is the perfect amalgamation of Fraternity, Dignity, Unity and Integrity”. Comment
4. Explain in detail the objectives of the Indian Constitution and how they are reflected?
5. Differentiate between Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy.
6. How does the directive principles of state policy help in keeping a check on the working of the government?
7. “India works in a quasi-federal manner”. Give reasons in support of your answer.
8. “Justice, Liberty and Equality are interdependent on each other”. In context to this statement, answer the following questions.
 - a. How liberty ensures equality in society?
 - b. Can justice be maintained without liberty and equality?
 - c. What role justice plays in safeguarding the liberty of the citizens?
9. Why Secularism was added to Indian Constitution? What role does it play in relation with the diversity of the country?
10. What were the challenges faced by the drafting committee while framing of the Constitution of India?