Assignment 3

The due date for submitting this assignment has passed. As per our records you have not submitted this assignment.

Due on 2020-10-14, 22:59 IST

1) Which of the following is true of the Indian preamble?
   - It serves to inculcate the principle of popular sovereignty
   - It is a reflection of colonial authority
   - It is a reflection of religious and theological beliefs
   - None of these

   No, the answer is incorrect.
   Score: 0
   Accepted Answer:
   It serves to inculcate the principle of popular sovereignty

2) To which of the following can we trace the origins of the Preamble to the Constitution?
   - The Kavanah Revolution, 1911
   - The Objective Revolution, 1945
   - The pursuit of a united nation
   - Both of these

   No, the answer is incorrect.
   Score: 0
   Accepted Answer:
   Both of these

3) What does India's membership of the Commonwealth mean?
   - That India still accepts the Queen as the monarch
   - That India exercised its sovereignty to join a multinational institution
   - That India is no longer independent
   - None of these

   No, the answer is incorrect.
   Score: 0
   Accepted Answer:
   That India exercised its sovereignty to join a multinational institution

4) What does it mean to say that India is a republic?
   - That India has an elected head of state
   - That the State is constituted on the basis of the will of the people
   - That India does not have a monarch as the head of the State
   - All of these

   No, the answer is incorrect.
   Score: 0
   Accepted Answer:
   All of these

5) What does it mean to say that India is sovereign?
   - That India makes its own social, political and economic decisions
   - That India is a part of the United Nations
   - That Parliament is sovereign and not subject to the authority of the people
   - None of these

   No, the answer is incorrect.
   Score: 0
   Accepted Answer:
   That India makes its own social, political and economic decisions

6) What was Dr. Ambedkar's argument against the introduction of the word 'socialist' in the Preamble to the Constitution?
   - That the socialist political organization of a society must fit into Parliament, so as to allow flexibility for democratic change
   - That the Directive Principles of State Policy already reflect a socialistic orientation and thus the inclusion of the word 'socialist' would be superfluous
   - That the inclusion of the word 'socialist' would risk the possibility that the Constitution would be seen as a 'dead hand of the past'
   - All of these

   No, the answer is incorrect.
   Score: 0
   Accepted Answer:
   All of these

7) Which of the following is true of the inclusion of the word 'secular' in the Preamble?
   - The Constitution was not secular until the introduction of the word 'secular' into the Preamble in 1976
   - The Constitution already possessed a distinctive form of secularism, which was codified by way of the amendment in 1976
   - The inclusion of the word 'secular' in the Preamble was a retrograde step
   - None of these

   No, the answer is incorrect.
   Score: 0
   Accepted Answer:
   The Constitution already possessed a distinctive form of secularism, which was codified by way of the amendment in 1976

8) What form of justice does the Preamble commit the Indian Republic to?
   - Removing caste injustices
   - Removing economic and social barriers
   - Removing gender inequalities
   - All of these

   No, the answer is incorrect.
   Score: 0
   Accepted Answer:
   All of these

9) Which of the following scenarios would violate the values of the Preamble?
   - The persistence of structural economic injustice against disadvantaged communities
   - The adoption of a capitalist market economy
   - The provision of reservations
   - All of the above

   No, the answer is incorrect.
   Score: 0
   Accepted Answer:
   The persistence of structural economic injustice against disadvantaged communities

10) Which of the following projects would assist in realizing the yet unrealized constitutional goal of fraternity and brotherhood?
    - Developing a sense of equal citizenship amongst all citizens, despite varying economic positions
    - Developing an inclusive public and civic life where all voices are heard
    - Promoting marriage amongst historically oppressed castes and religious groups
    - All of the above

    No, the answer is incorrect.
    Score: 0
    Accepted Answer:
    All of the above