

SOCIAL SCIENCE ASSIGNMENT-1

CLASS-IX CIVICS

WHAT IS DEMOCRACY? WHY DEMOCRACY?

Q.1 Why do we prefer democracy over any other form of government? Give 4 reasons.

Q.2 What is the significance of rule of law and respect for rights in a democratic country? State 4 points.

Q.3 What is democracy? Explain any 4 features of democracy.

Q.4 ‘Democracy enhances the dignity of citizen.’ Justify this statement.

Q.5 ‘A Democratic government is a better form of government because it allows us to correct our own mistake.’ Discuss.

Q.6 Why is democracy called a “Government by discussion”?

Q.7 This cartoon was drawn when elections were held in Iraq, in the presence of US and other foreign powers. What is your view regarding this cartoon? Why is the word ‘DEMOCRACY’ written in this particular way?

Q.8 Despite its demerits, why is democracy the most preferred form of government? Explain.

Q.9 Democracy is the most popular form of government emerging in the modern times; still the shortcomings cannot be ruled out. Justify the statement by accessing short comings of democracy.

Q.10 Write any two arguments in favour and two against democracy as a form of governments.