

Chapter – 4

Key Elements of a

Democratic Government

Worksheet - 2

Choose the correct option:

1. If a country's people are alert and interested in how country ds run, that country will be
 - (a) stronger
 - (b) weaker
 - (c) steadier
 - (d) none of these
2. Which issue can become a source of conflict between states?
 - (a) Rivers
 - (b) Roads
 - (c) Transports
 - (d) None of these
3. The dispute between Karnataka and Tamil Nadu was for the water of river?
 - (a) Yamuna
 - (b) Ganga
 - (c) Mahanadi
 - (d) Cauvery
4. Which dam is used by Karnataka for irrigation?
 - (a) Krishna Sagar Dam
 - (b) Hirakud Dam
 - (c) Bhakra Nangal Dam
 - (d) Mottur Dam
5. Which agency steps in to promote justice by providing special provisions that helps girls to overcome?
 - (a) Government
 - (b) Society
 - (c) Doctors

(d) None of these

6. _____ people were divided into white, black, Indian and coloured races.

(a) All

(b) South African

(c) South American

(d) None of these

7. One of the key ideas of a democratic government is its commitment to

_____.

(a) equality

(b) justice

(c) Both (a) and (b)

(d) None of these

8. Most well-known leader, _____ fought the apartheid system for several years.

(a) Nelson Mandela

(b) Maya Naidoo

(c) Hector Pieterse

(d) Mahatma Gandhi

9. Hector Pieterse and his classmates were being forced to learn the language _____

(a) Zulu

(b) Hindi

(c) Afrikaans

(d) English

10. Conflicts occur when:

(a) people of different cultures, religions, regions or economic backgrounds do not get along with each other

(b) when some among them feel they are being discriminated against

(c) Both (a) and (b)

(d) None of these

Answer the following Questions.

11. How would Maya's life be different in South Africa today?

12. What are the various ways in which people participate in the process of government?
13. How do people bring forward things which are unfair and unjust?
14. When we come across a rally passing (winding) through the streets of cities, towns and villages, what should we do?
15. How do conflicts occur and lead to violence and death?
16. Describe some of the conflicts in our society and the role of the government in resolving them.
17. What are the key ideas of a democratic government?
18. Write a note on the Cauvery Water Dispute between Karnataka and Tamil Nadu.
19. Why do you think we need the government to find solutions to many disputes or conflicts?
20. What actions does the government take to ensure that all people are treated equally?