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Assignment -1 (2020-2021)

Class: 7th

M.M:20

Subject: S.St. (Civics)

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Topic: On Equality

Chapter In A Nutshell:-

- * The main aspect of democracy is equality. It influences the entire functioning.
- * We have "Universal Adult Franchise". All the people irrespective of caste, colour, creed or gender have one vote.
- * There are some kinds of inequalities that exist in our country. Caste System has created divisions in society.
- * Lower caste and dalits are exploited. Omprakash Valmiki wrote about his Bitter experience in his autobiography "Joothan".
- * People are discriminated on the basis of experience in his autobiography "Joothan".
- * People are discriminated on the basis of religion also. Ansaris were not given accommodation due to their religion.
- * Government has started several schemes to improve the lives of discriminated communities or individuals.
- * The midday meal scheme for elementary schools is a step in this direction.
- * Other than India the other democracies like U.S.A also face the problem of discrimination. Civil Rights Movement was started to give equal rights to the African-Americans. Rosa Parks was the torch bearer.
- * This led to Civil Right Act, prohibiting discrimination.

Q.1 Choose the correct option:-

- (i) Joothan is an autobiography written by-
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| (a) Jawaharlal Nehru | (b) Bhimrao Ambedkar |
| (c) Omprakash Valmiki | (d) Mahatma Gandhi |

(ii) The first state in India to introduce the midday meal scheme-

- (a) Kerala (b) Tamil Nadu
(c) Maharashtra (d) West Bengal

(iii) Rosa Park was-

- (a) An African-American Woman
(b) A German Woman
(c) Indian Woman

(iv) When did Civil Right Movement started-

- (a) 1st Dec., 1955 (b) 1st Dec., 1956
(c) 1st Dec., 1964 (d) 1st Nov., 1955

(v) The Civil Right Act was passed in -

- (a) 1955 (b) 1964
(c) 1946 (d) 1965

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Q.2 Fill in the blanks:-

- (i) Omprakash Valmiki and the Ansaris were treated unequally on the basis of differences of _____ and _____ respectively.
(ii) The Indian _____ recognises everyone as equal.
(iii) _____ is an autobiography of Omprakash Valmiki.

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Q.3 Match the Columns:-

Column-A

- (a) Rosa Parks
(b) B.R. Ambedkar
(c) Universal Adult Franchise
(d) Inequality

Column-B

- (i) Dalit Leader
(ii) Caste System
(iii) African-American
(iv) Right to Vote

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Q.4 Answer the following questions:-

(Write in 10 to 25 words)

- (a) What do you understand by Universal Adult Franchise?
(b) Define Dignity?
(c) What do you understand by constitution?
(d) What is 'Joothan' all about?

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Q.5 Long Answer Type:-

(a) What is the Mid-day Meal Programme?

Can you list three benefits of the programme? How do you think this programme might help promote greater equality?

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