

# MAINS TEST SERIES 2023 General Studies

**Test - 13** 

**GS-II Grand Test** 

1.	The role of parliamentary committees is crucial for the better functioning of the government. In this context, critically analyse the role of these committees to ensure better governance to the public.	10 Marks
2.	What are the measures taken by the government for universalisation of quality education in recent years?	10 Marks
3.	Recently some states have drafted bills to stop coercive religious conversions. In this context, critically analyse the practice of right to freedom of religion and belief along with relevant judicial judgements.	10 Marks
4.	Discuss the impact of demonetization policy on Indian public.	10 Marks
5.	Federal nature of the India is weakening, do you agree? Justify with proper reasons.	10 Marks
6.	Vested interests of pressure groups are compromising the democratic values in India, critically analyse.	10 Marks
7.	Do you agree that the UN Security Council must be made more representative of developing countries? Substantiate your views.	10 Marks
8.	The development of relations with ASEAN must be a priority if India's trade is to prosper. Comment.  Discuss India's new West Asia policy in the context of I2U2.  What is the Ukraine War's geopolitical impact on India?	10 Marks
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11.	Critically analyse the functioning of collegium system for appointing judges of the higher courts. Also discuss how far it maintains the doctrine of checks and balances between judiciary and executive.	15 Marks
12.	The government must provide a place for criticism against it, thus it can ensure the fundamental nature of the right – the freedom of speech and expression. In this context, critically examine the government's role in the practice of speech and expression in India.	15 Marks
13.	Rising technical nature of governance demands more specialists than generalists but governments still prefer generalists over specialists, do you agree? Critically analyse.	15 Marks
14.	Critically examine the media ethics in the context of rising digital media and social media. Suggest reasonable solutions to have better information technology policy to ensure objective media.	15 Marks
15.	The anti-defection law doesn't aid stability, do you agree? Justify with examples. Also suggest solutions for the stable formation of governments without destroying the people's will.	15 Marks
16.	SHGs are effective instruments of women empowerment and rural progress. In this context, discuss the role of SHGs in developmental activities and economic participation in rural India.	15 Marks

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17. Discuss the various mechanisms to ensure people's participation in governance so as to 15 Marks enhance the efficiency of the public servants in India.

18. India's neighbouring countries are witnessing political and economic turmoil. This crisis 15 Marks is an opportunity for India. Discuss.

19. Highlight the Indo-US relations in the context of the evolving geopolitical environment. 15 Marks Discuss the areas where they converge and diverge.

20. India can use its G20 Presidency to champion the cause of the "Global South". Discuss. 15 Marks





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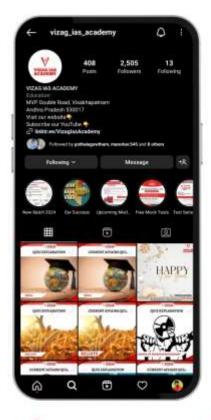












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