

Class - V
Fundamental Rights and Duties
Chapter – 5

E. Answer these questions:

1. What does the preamble of our constitution state?

Ans: The introduction or the Preamble of our Constitution states that India is a Sovereign, Socialist, Secular and Democratic Republic.

2. State the definition of Democracy given by Abraham Lincoln.

Ans: Abraham Lincoln defined democracy as “the Government of the people, for the people and by the people.”

3. Make a list of your Fundamental Rights.

Ans: The seven Fundamental Rights are:

i. Right to equality

ii. Right to religion

iii. Right to justice

iv. Cultural and educational Rights

v. Right to constitutional Remedies

vi. Right to freedom.

vii. Right to Education.

A. Tick the correct answer:

1. Which of the following terms signifies ‘equal respect to all religions’?

Ans: (b) Secular

2. Who defined democracy as “the government of the people, for the people and by the people?”

Ans: (b) Abraham Lincoln

3. Which fundamental right has been added recently?

Ans: (b) Right to Education

4. Which of these are suspended during the period of emergency?

Ans: (a) Fundamental Rights

5. India gained Independence on

Ans: (a) 15 August 1947

6. The members of the Constituent Assembly were elected by the

Ans: (b) People of India

7. Our National Anthem was written by

Ans: (b) Rabindranath Tagore

B. Match the following.

1. Sovereign ----- (d) India is an independent country

2. Socialist ----- (a) All citizens are equal

3. Secular ----- (e) All religions are given equal importance

4. Democratic ----- (b) People have the right to choose the government

5. Republic ----- (c) Head of a country is elected by people

C. Fill in the blanks.

1. Our constitution was enforced on January 26, 1950.

2. If a citizen is denied his Fundamental Rights, he can go to the court.

3. During emergency, the Fundamental Rights are suspended.

4. There are seven Fundamental Rights.

5. Directive principles give the guidelines which the government should follow.

D. True and False statement.

1. The Constitution defines the goals, rights and duties of the Indian citizen. **True**

2. Right to religion is one of our Fundamental Rights. **True**

3. Is a citizen feels that his Fundamental Right are being denied, he cannot do anything. **False**
4. Preamble is the introduction to our Constitution. **True**
5. All citizens must help to keep the country united. **True**