

CSS Political Science Topic 8 Forms of Government

Sr	Questions	Answers Choice
1	The relationship between the government and the president in France is a complex one due to:	A. Direct election of the President B. Centralization of powers C. a mixed presidential - parliamentary form of government D. parliament's reduced powers to control the government
2	Type of government where one person or small group holds all the power	A. Monarchy B. Direct democracy C. Dictatorship D. Republic
3	In which one of the following forms of government the second chamber an indispensable part of the legislature	A. Unitary Government B. Federal Government C. Parliamentary Government D. Presidential Government
4	Which statement describes a characteristic of the British parliamentary system today?	A. The Prime Minister is elected by the majority party in Parliament B. The members of the house of commons are appointed for life C. The minority party has no vote in the Parliament D. The monarch serves as a strong head of state
5	Importance of civil service has grown due to	A. Population growth B. Increased state activity C. Complexity of rules and regulations D. Law and order requirement E. none
6	"Power tends to corrupt; absolute power corrupts absolutely." --Lord Acton, British historian Based on this quotation, why type of government would Lord Acton most likely support?	A. Dictatorship B. Absolute monarchy C. Totalitarian state D. Representative democracy
7	Who among the following, characterized bureaucracy as a rationalistic authority	A. F.M. Marx B. Vilfredo Federico Pareto C. Max Weber D. Herbert Alexander Simon
8	Which one of the following principles distinguishes the cabinet system from the Presidential system?	A. Fixed tenure of government B. Judicial review C. The relationship of the legislature with the executive D. The concentration or division of government powers
9	What are policy outcomes according to bureaucratic politics model?	A. Maximization of interests B. Compromises and satisfying of interests C. Implementation of the most rational policy D. Both A and B
10	Federation implies	A. Fusion of powers B. Separation of powers C. Division of powers D. Devolution of powers
11	It is normally the technique of pressure groups to impress the legislature	A. None B. Propaganda C. Canvassing D. Lobbying
12	In a federal system	A. The union is dissolvable B. The states can secede from the Union C. The Union is indestructible D. The Union and states are indestructible
		A. Aggregation of individual

13	What does deliberative democracy lay emphasis on	<p>preferences into collective choice</p> <p>B. mobilization of People towards ideals and norms upheld by a wide variety of groups and committees</p> <p>C. Dialogue and deliberation among citizens considered</p> <p>D. According to equal weight to each person's preferences</p>
14	Which one or the following statements regarding Parliamentary and Presidential forms of government is correct?	<p>A. In both , the executive is responsible to the legislature</p> <p>B. In both, the Chief Executive is nominal</p> <p>C. In both , command of confidence of the legislature is necessary for the executive to remain in office</p> <p>D. Both the forms are representative in characters</p>
15	How does the parliamentary system differ from the presidential one?	<p>A. The president is always directly elected by the people</p> <p>B. The prime minister is usually the head of the party winning the most votes in parliamentary elections</p> <p>C. The president has more power than the prime minister</p> <p>D. The Prime minister has more power than the president</p>
16	The Unitary State is stronger then a Federal one because all powers of government are concentrated in the hands of one single set of authorities. Hence there is:	<p>A. Absence of conflict of authority an responsibility</p> <p>B. Absence of simplification of government organization</p> <p>C. Overlapping Jurisdiction</p> <p>D. Duplication of functions</p>
17	Collective responsibility is a feature of	<p>A. Parliamentary form</p> <p>B. Presidential form</p> <p>C. Dictatorship</p> <p>D. None of these</p>
18	Which form of government does the quotation support?	<p>A. Limited monarchy</p> <p>B. Dynastic rule</p> <p>C. Totalitarian</p> <p>D. Theocracy</p>
19	Which one of the following is considered to be a basic feature of a federal government?	<p>A. Separation of Powers</p> <p>B. Cabinet Dictatorship</p> <p>C. Collective Responsibility</p> <p>D. Division of powers between the center and the units</p>
20	"Bureaucracy and Modernization" is written by	<p>A. Parsons</p> <p>B. Weber</p> <p>C. Merle Fainsod</p> <p>D. Seymour Martin Lipset</p>