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Week	Date & Day	Time	Subject	Topic	Micro-Topics
Week 1	31-Oct-26 Saturday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Polity & Constitution	Concept Of Constitution	- Meaning, Functions and Qualities of a Constitution, - Classification, Constitutionalism and Constitutional Government
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Polity & Constitution	Making Of the Constitution	- Demand for a constituent assembly, - Composition of the Constituent assembly, - Working of the constituent assembly, - Enactment of the Constitution, - Enforcement of the Constitution, - Criticism of the Constituent Assembly
	01-Nov-26 Sunday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Economy	Introduction to Economics	- Definition, Basic Concepts, Goods - Services, Utility, Cost, Price, Indifference Curve - Types of Economics - Concept of Microeconomics - Concept of equilibrium - Competition
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Economy	National Income Accounting	- Various measures of National Income, Gross Domestic Product, Real GDP and Nominal GDP, Gross National Product, GDP vs GNP - Net Factor Income from Abroad, Depreciation, Gross vs Net, Net National Product (NNP), Factors of Production, Factor Cost vs Market Price
Week 2	07-Nov-26 Saturday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Polity & Constitution	Salient features of the Constitution	- Salient Features of the Constitution, - Criticism of the Constitution
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Economy	Growth & Development	- Economic growth, Economic development, Measuring Economic Growth - Important factors that contribute to economic growth, Jobless Growth



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Week 2	08-Nov-26 Sunday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	CSAT	Percentage	• Concepts of Percentage • Income and Expenditure related to Percentage • Successive Percentage Theory • Value-Based Questions
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Polity	Preamble of the Constitution	• Text of the Preamble • Ingredients of the Preamble • Key Words in the Preamble • Significance of the Preamble • Preamble as Part of the Constitution • Amendability of the Preamble
Week 3	14-Nov-26 Saturday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Polity	Union and Its Territory	• Union of States • Parliament's Power to Reorganise the States • Evolution of States and Union Territories
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Economy	Inclusive Growth	• Importance of inclusive growth in India • Salient features of inclusive growth • Analysis of India's progress towards achieving inclusive growth • Challenges





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Week 3	15-Nov-26 Sunday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Economy	Inequality & Poverty	• Inequality, Types of Inequality, Methods and indicators used to measure inequality • Quintile Ratio, Palma Ratio, Lorenz Curve and Gini Coefficient, Gini coefficient • Reasons for inequality • How to combat inequality • Poverty, Types of Poverty, Committees on Poverty
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Polity	Citizenship	• Meaning and Significance • Constitutional Provisions • Citizenship Act, 1955 • Single Citizenship
Week 4	21-Nov-26 Saturday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	CSAT	Ratio and Proportion	• Basic Concepts of Ratio and Proportion • Simplification of Ratios, Comparison of Ratios • Proportional Division • Mean Proportion and Continued Proportion • Duplicate, Triplicate, and Subduplicate Ratios • Application in Word Problems • Direct and Inverse Proportion • Time and Work Based on Ratio • Mixture and Alligation Using Ratios • Expenditure and Income Problems
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Economy	Money	• Evolution of Money, Functions of Money • Types of Money • Key aspects of cryptocurrencies • NFT, Money Supply • Velocity of Money Circulation • Deposits (Time Deposits, Demand Deposits), NDTL



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Week 4	22-Nov-26 Sunday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Polity	Fundamental Rights	• Features of Fundamental Rights • Definition of State • Laws Inconsistent with Fundamental Rights • Right to Equality
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Polity	Fundamental Rights	• Right to Freedom • Right Against Exploitation • Right to Freedom of Religion • Cultural and Educational Rights
Week 5	28-Nov-26 Saturday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Economy	Inflation	• Types of Inflation, Creeping Inflation, Trotting Inflation, Running Inflation, Galloping Inflation, • Hyperinflation • Mismatch between Demand and Supply • Demand Pull Inflation, Cost Push Inflation • Market Equilibrium, Reasons behind demand-pull inflation and cost-push inflation • Measures of Inflation, Producer Price Index (PPI), Wholesale Price Index (WPI) • Consumer Price Index (CPI), CPI - Urban (CPI-U), CPI - Rural (CPI-R), CPI - Combined (CPI-C), CPI for Industrial Workers (IW), Agricultural Labourer (AL), Rural Labourer (RL), Comparison of WPI and CPI
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Economy	Monetary Policy	• Classification of monetary policy • Expansionary monetary policy • Contractionary monetary policy • Goals of monetary policy



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Week 5	29-Nov-26 Sunday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Polity	Fundamental Rights	• Right to Constitutional Remedies • Writs—Types and Scope • Armed Forces and Fundamental Rights • Martial Law and Fundamental Rights • Effecting Certain Fundamental Rights • Present Position of Right to Property • Exceptions to Fundamental Right
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Economy	Public Finance	• Budget, components of budget, receipts, revenue receipts, capital receipts • Expenditure, revenue expenditure, capital expenditure • Type of budget, balance budget, surplus budget, deficit budget, other types of budget, performance budget, zero-based budget, incremental budget, gender budget, outcome budget,
Week 6	05-Dec-26 Saturday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	CSAT	Coding Decoding	• Letter Coding, Number Coding, Symbol Coding, Word Coding, Substitution Coding, Decoding Messages, Mixed Letter and Number Coding, Matrix Coding (or Tabular Coding) • Rule-Based Coding, Sentence and Phrase Coding
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Polity	Directive Principles of State Policy and Fundamental Duties	• Features of of the Directive Principles • Classification of the Directive Principles • New Directive Principles • Sanction Behind Directive Principles • Criticism of the Directive Principles • List of Fundamental Duties



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Week	Date & Day	Time	Subject	Topic	Micro Topics
Week 6	06-Dec-26 Sunday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Polity	Amendment of the Constitution and Basic Structure of the Constitution	• Procedure for Amendment • Types of Amendments • Criticism of the Amendment Procedure • Emergence of the Basic Structure • Elements of the Basic Structure
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Economy	Taxation	• Classification of taxes, direct and indirect tax, cess and surcharge, taxation in India • Direct taxes in India, personal income tax, corporate tax, minimum alternate tax, capital gains tax, list of direct taxes levied in India, indirect taxes in India, GST
Week 7	12-Dec-26 Saturday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Economy	Banking	• Evolution of banking in India, pre-independence, post-independence 1947-1991, post independence since 1991 • Banks, primary functions, secondary functions, bank balance sheet, • classification of banks, Reserve Bank of India
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Polity	Parliamentary System and Federal System	• Features of Parliamentary Government • Features of Presidential Government





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Week 7	13-Dec-26 Sunday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Economy	Financial Market	• Types of financial market, • money market instruments, • call money and notice money, • treasury bills (T-Bills), cash management bills (CMB), certificate of deposits (CDs), commercial papers
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	CSAT	Partnership	• Basic Concepts of Partnership, Capital Investment Ratio, Time-Based Investment • Profit and Loss Sharing, Working and Sleeping Partners, Change in Partnership • Interest on Capital, Salary or Commission to Partners • Combined Capital and Time Formula
Week 8	19-Dec-26 Saturday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Polity	Centre - State Relations	• Legislative Relations • Administrative Relations • Financial Relations • Trends in Centre-State Relations
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Polity	Inter-State Relations	• Inter-state Water Disputes • Inter-State Councils • Public Acts, Records and Judicial Proceedings • Inter-State Trade and Commerce • Zonal Councils



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Week 8	20-Dec-26 Sunday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Economy	Agriculture & Allied Sectors	• Cropping seasons, cropping systems • factors leading to changes in cropping patterns in India, • way forward for increasing crop diversification, • Government of India initiatives, Integrated Farming System (IFS), irrigation systems in India, • sources and types of irrigation
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Economy	Agriculture & Allied Sectors	• Agricultural revolutions, technology missions, list of technology missions in agriculture • Latest technologies used in agriculture • Issues with technology missions, way forward • Economics of animal rearing, types, benefits of animal rearing
Week 9	26-Dec-26 Saturday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Polity	Emergency Provisions	• National Emergency • President's Rule • Financial Emergency • Criticism of the Emergency Provisions
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Economy	Industry	• Historical evolution of the manufacturing sector in India, • government policies and initiatives for the sector • Challenges faced by the sector, opportunities in manufacturing.



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Week 9	27-Dec-26 Sunday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	CSAT	Profit and Loss	• Basic Terminology, Profit and Loss Formulas, Discount and Successive Discounts • Marked Price vs Selling Price, False Weight or Dishonest Dealing • Cost Price vs Selling Price Tricks, Overall Profit or Loss in Multiple Transactions • Profit on Selling Price vs Cost Price, Successive Profit or Loss, Applications in Real-Life Scenarios
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	CSAT	Partnership	• Basic Concepts of Partnership, Capital Investment Ratio, Time-Based Investment • Profit and Loss Sharing, Working and Sleeping Partners, Change in Partnership • Interest on Capital, Salary or Commission to Partners • Combined Capital and Time Formula
Week 10	02-Jan-27 Saturday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Polity	Governor	• Appointment of Governor • Conditions of Governor's Office • Term of Governor's Office • Powers and Functions of Governor • Constitutional Position of Governor
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Economy	Infrastructure	• Physical infrastructure: road, challenges, government reforms/initiatives, examples; railways, • challenges, government reforms/initiatives; civil aviation, challenges



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Week 10	03-Jan-27 Sunday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Economy	Service	• Historical evolution of the service sector in India, contribution of the service sector to GDP, • employment and trade, government policies and reforms for the service sector, • challenges in the service sector, opportunities in the service sector, tourism industry, challenges in tourism
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Polity	Prime Minister, Chief Minister and Council of Ministers (Central and State)	• Appointment of the Prime Minister • Oath, Term and Salary • Powers and Functions of the Prime Minister • Role Descriptions • Relationship with the President • Constitutional Provisions • Nature of Advice by Ministers • Appointment of Ministers • Responsibility of Ministers
Week 11	09-Jan-27 Saturday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Economy	External Sector	• Balance of Payments, components of Balance of Payments, current account • Current account balance, capital account, capital account balance • Equilibrium and disequilibrium of Balance of Payments
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	CSAT	Syllogism	• Basic Concepts, Types of Statements, Immediate Inferences, Venn Diagram Method • Analytical Method, Possibility-Based Questions, Either-Or Conclusions



Week	Date & Day	Time	Subject	Topic	Micro Topics
Week 11	10-Jan-27 Sunday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Polity	Parliament and State Legislature	• Organisation of Parliament • Composition of the Two Houses • System of Elections to Lok Sabha • Duration of Two Houses • Membership of Parliament • Presiding Officers of Parliament • Leaders in Parliament • Sessions of Parliament
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Polity	Parliament and State Legislature	• Legislative Procedure in Parliament • Joint Sitting of Two Houses • Budget in Parliament • Multifunctional Role of Parliament • Ineffectiveness of Parliamentary Control • Position of Rajya Sabha • Parliamentary Privileges • Sovereignty of Parliament
Week 12	16-Jan-27 Saturday	10:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Economy	External Sector	• Foreign Direct Investment (FDI), instruments of FDI in India, impact of FDI on sectors, comparison between • FDI and Foreign Portfolio Investment (FPI), Foreign Portfolio Investment (FPI), American
		2:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Economy	International Economic Organisations	• Foreign Direct Investment (FDI), instruments of FDI in India, impact of FDI on sectors, comparison between • FDI and Foreign Portfolio Investment (FPI), Foreign Portfolio Investment (FPI), American



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Sovereign? (NO) If the govt is not sovereign in her own country?

Parliamentary System

Sovereign → Nature of Govt.

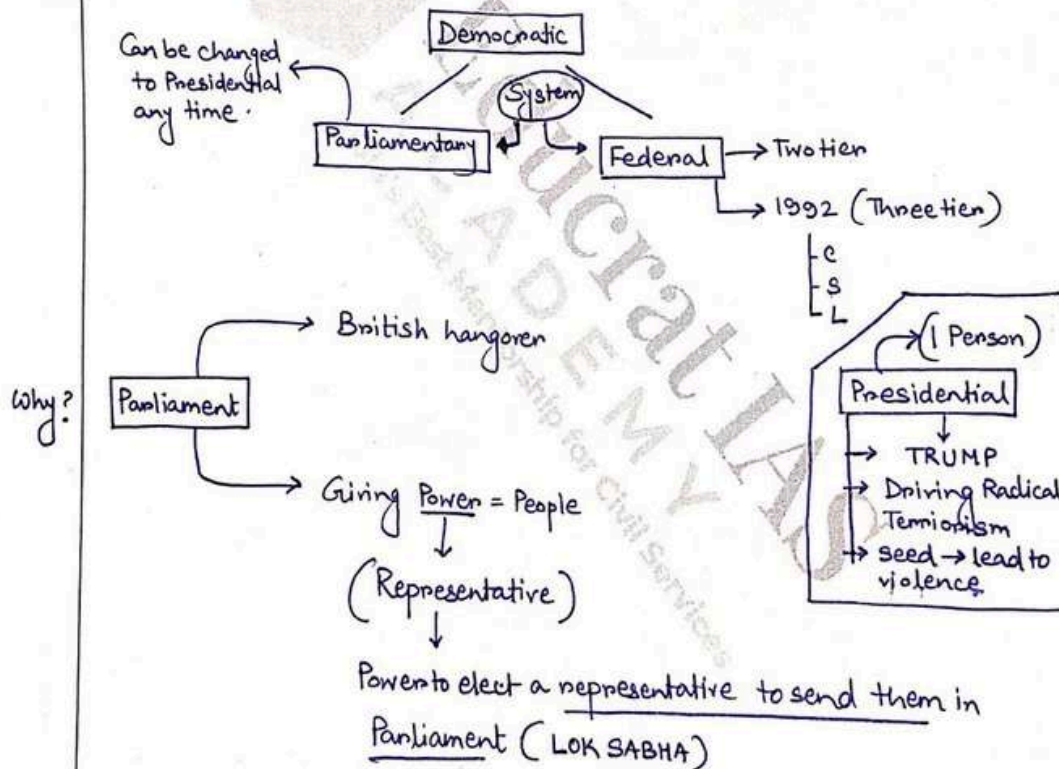
System of Govt.

Why we did not write "Parliamentary" in Preamble?

Nature of Govt.

Democratic

(*) In Preamble nature of govt is mentioned, not system of Govt. Foundational values of system.

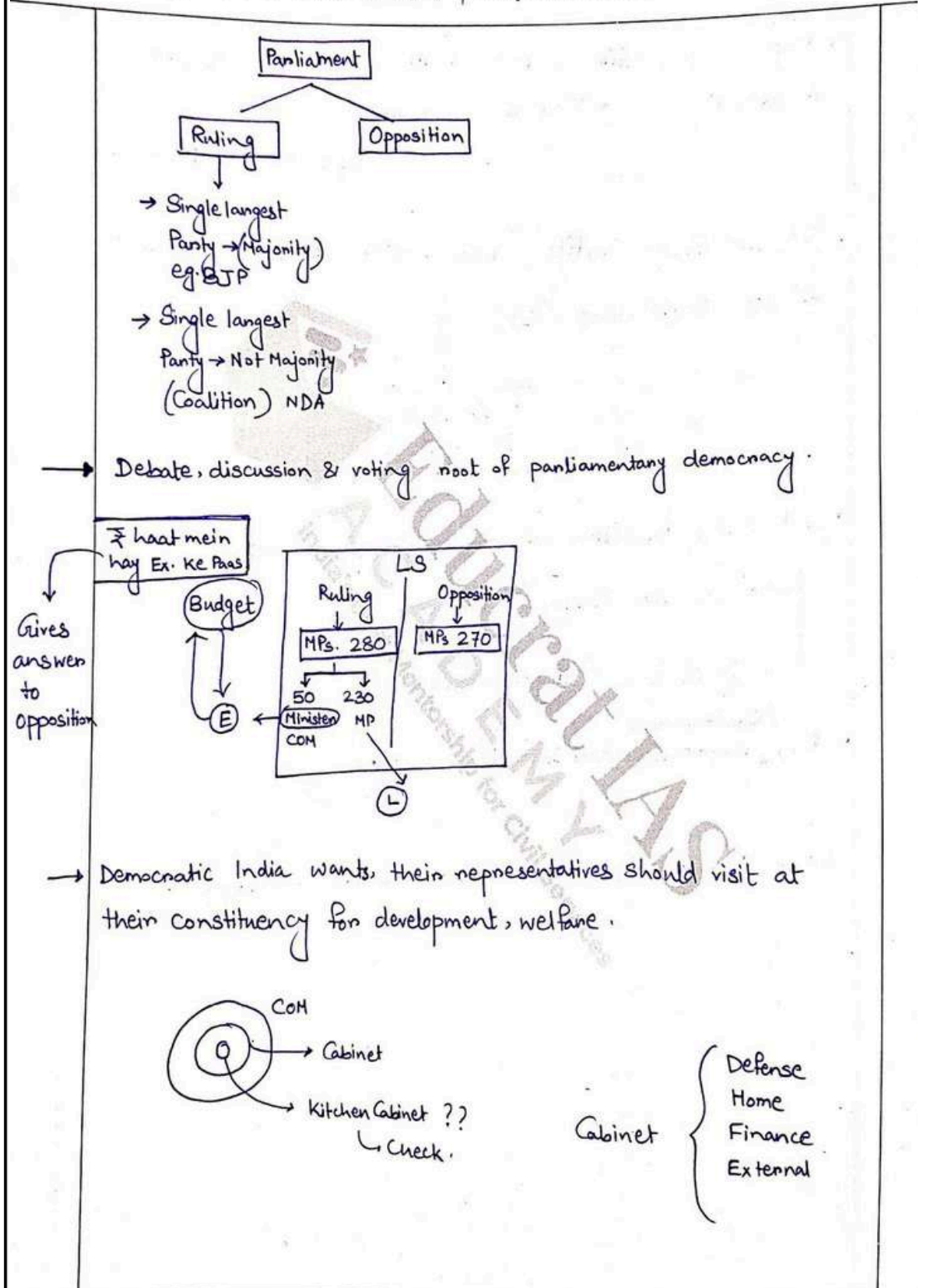


552 → Constituency ≠ District

- India has roughly 6,60,000 villages and 660 districts.
- However, we see 552 seats in Parliament



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Q.14) Intro. ↓ Rise of social media and challenges to free speech Amplification effect Anonymity Vitality Sensationalisation Algorithmic bias ↓ Tension b/w free speech and restriction ↓ Judicial pronouncement ↓ Way forward ↓ Conclusion	With the rise of social media and digital platforms, the balance between free speech and reasonable restrictions is being tested. Critically examine this tension in the light of recent judicial pronouncements. (15 Marks, 250 Words) The 4th industrial revolution has led to increasing information and communication technology in every sphere of our life. With rise of digital media and social platforms, a <u>conflict</u> arises between <u>right</u> and <u>security</u>. Social media / Digital platforms needed for free speech <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 33%; padding: 5px;"> presents <u>citizens view</u> on government </td> <td style="width: 33%; padding: 5px;"> upholds <u>accountability</u> eg: digital news platforms </td> <td style="width: 33%; padding: 5px;"> increases <u>communication</u> with government </td> </tr> <tr> <td style="width: 33%; padding: 5px;"> voice to voiceless eg: <u>Matoos</u> movement </td> <td colspan="2" style="width: 66%; padding: 5px;"> acts as a <u>platform</u> for <u>revolt</u> against <u>arbitrary</u> actions. </td> </tr> </table> However, this free speech can sometimes be <u>misused</u> by <u>citizens</u> as well, via <u>Hate speech</u>, <u>misinformation</u>, <u>speech</u>	presents <u>citizens view</u> on government	upholds <u>accountability</u> eg: digital news platforms	increases <u>communication</u> with government	voice to voiceless eg: <u>Matoos</u> movement	acts as a <u>platform</u> for <u>revolt</u> against <u>arbitrary</u> actions.		
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6)	 Educrat IAS ACADEMY	No Need of going to Delhi Now! Prepare for UPSC from Kolkata (Don't write anything in this part)
	against <u>national security</u>, <u>data espionage</u> etc. Thus there is a need for government to control it via <u>reasonable restrictions</u>. <u>Reasonable restrictions</u> → harming sovereignty, security, international relations (Article 19(2)) no hate speech or communal incitement. <u>Issues with reasonable restrictions:</u> 1) <u>Lack of codification</u> - wide meaning of public order 2) used for <u>targetting political activists</u> eg: against journalist, <u>charges of sedition</u> 3) <u>Declining tolerance of criticism</u>: criticism of government labelled as criticism of nation. 4) <u>Lack of data security</u>: eg: data breach, cyber attack 5) <u>Rise of Orwellian state</u>: surveillance through digital data collection. Judicial pronouncements have sought to balance free speech and <u>reasonable restrictions</u>.	
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1) Shreya Singhal case: Removal of Sec 66A of IT Act as it provided vague grounds of restricting free speech.

2) Puttaswamy judgement: Proportionality test in determining extent of restriction.
• Right to privacy a fundamental right under Article 21.

3) Anuradha Bhasin: Right to internet access is a fundamental right. Internet suspension cannot be unlimited.

4) Ongoing case under Sec 79(3)(c) of IT Act Government's power to remove content must be controlled.

Other
measures
for balance

codified laws for internet
suspension eg IT Act

promoting self regulation of
content

proportional restriction to be
applied.

Free speed is the cornerstone
of Indian democracy. While it is
imperative to control it, it must be
reasonable and proportional.



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