

# Doon Public School, Bhuj

## Worksheet

CBSE Class9 Social Science

Chapter-2 What is Democracy? Why Democracy

1. Who said these words, "Democracy is the rule of people, for the people and by the people"?

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2. Democracy comes from which Greek word?

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3. Name the ruling party of Syria?

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4. Which two countries of the world have allowed the ruling parties to contest elections?

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5. Name the country where women are not allowed to take part in the election.

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6. Name the any one country of the world where there is no democracy.

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7. What type of government would you like to have in your country?

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8. Name the ruler who had established dictatorship in Germany?

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9. Who is President of Zimbabwe?

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10. When did Zimbabwe achieve independence?

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11. Which party is ruling over Zimbabwe since independence?

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12. Write a drawback of the electoral system of Fiji?

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13. What is PRI?

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14. What does referendum means?

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15. When did Parvez Musharraf come to power in Pakistan?

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16. Why are quality decisions always possible in a democracy?

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17. After how many years does Mexico hold elections for electing its president?

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18. Name the country that does not give voting rights to minorities.

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19. By whom the President of China appointed?

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20. Name a country which has multi-party system.

**Answer Key**

1. Abraham Lincoln

4. China and Mexico.

7. Democracy

10. 1980.

12. In Fiji, the value of the vote of the indigenous Fiji is more as comparison to an Indian Fijian.

13. PRI is the political party of Mexico- Institutional Revolutionary Party.

14. Referendum is the direct vote in which an entire electorate is asked to either accept or reject a particular proposal.

15. October 1999.

17. After six years

20. India

2. Greek word, "Demokrati".

5. Saudi Arabia

8. Adolf Hitler

11. ZANU-PF.

16. Because democratic decisions always involves many persons, discussions and meetings.

18. Estonia

3. China and Mexico.

6. Zimbabwe.

9. Robert Mugabe.

19. Members of the national People's Congress