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Class 10th Board

Political Science

Outcomes of Democracy

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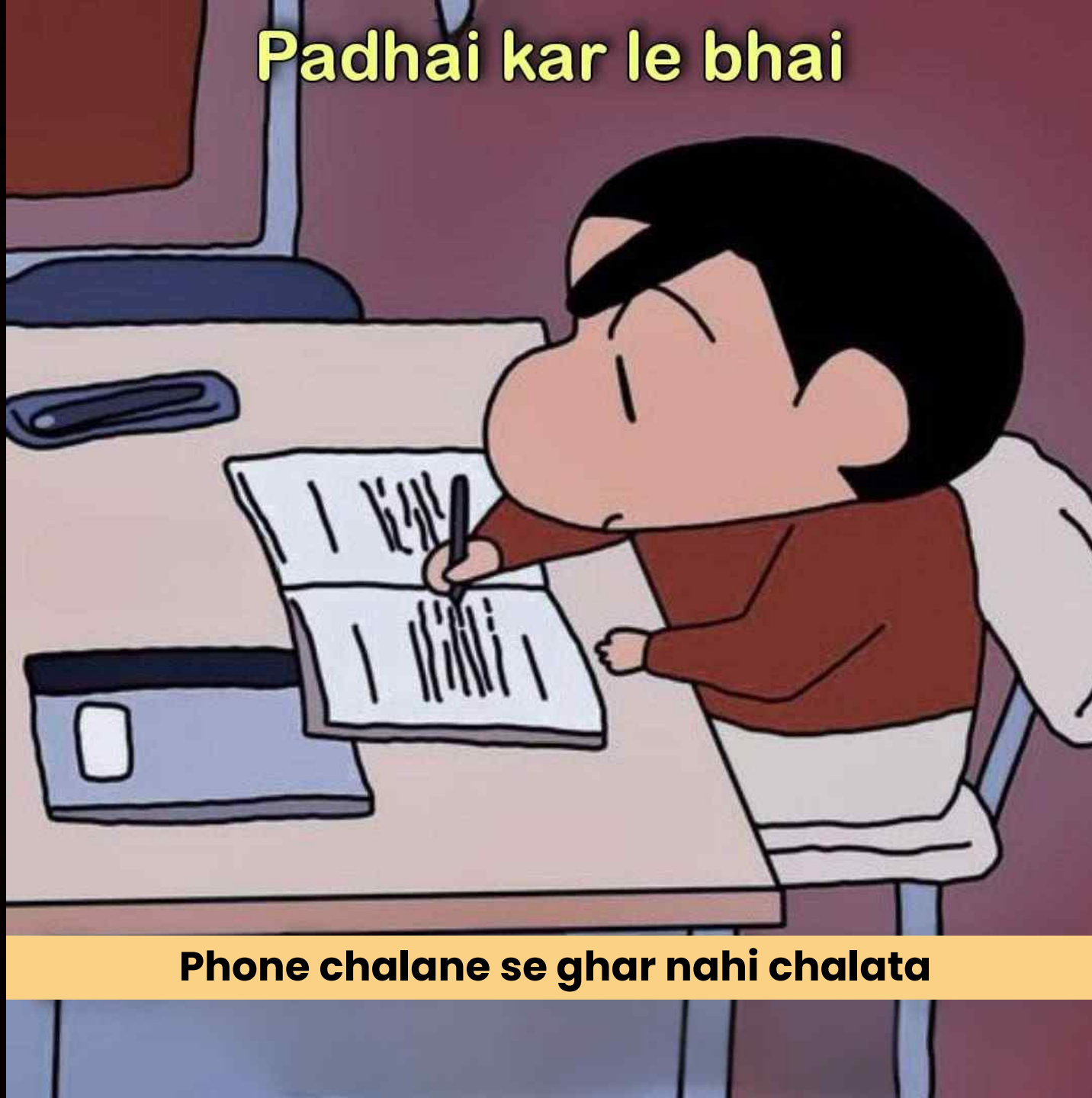
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Padhai kar le bhai



Phone chalane se ghar nahi chalata



- **What does democracy do?**
- **What outcomes can we reasonably expect of democracy?**
- **Does democracy fulfil these expectations in real life?**

A man in a white shirt is gesturing with his hands while speaking. In the background, another man in a white shirt is reading a book. The scene is set outdoors in front of a light-colored building with a wooden door and a decorative archway.

Mai...merko sab ata hai...
Mai expert hu



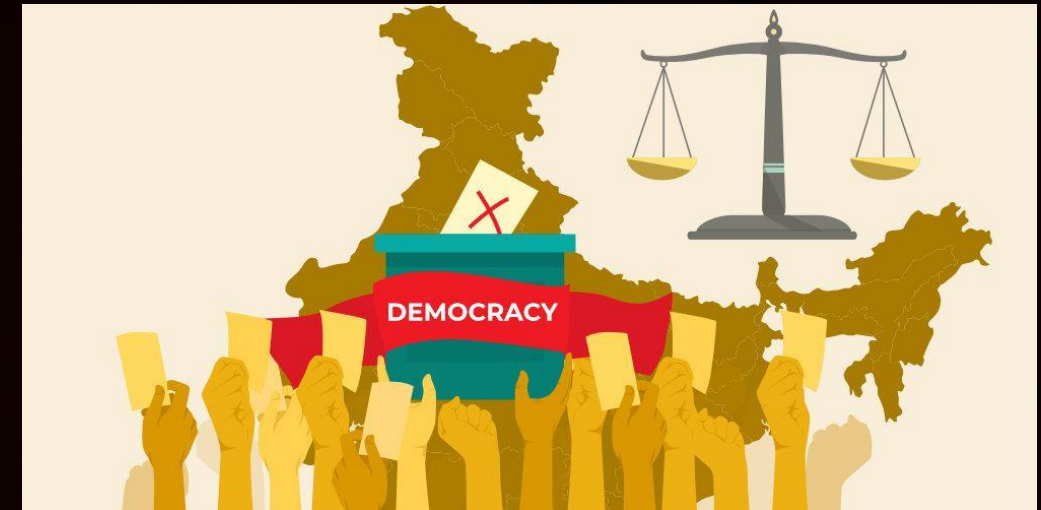
How Do We Assess Democracy's Outcomes?

First understand why we are doing it.

Democracy is a better when compared to other alternative.

Because:

- **Promotes equality among citizens;**
- **Enhances the dignity of the individual;**
- **Improves the quality of decision making;**
- **Provides a method to resolve conflicts;**
- **Allows room to correct mistakes.**





How Do We Assess Democracy's Outcomes?

First understand why we are doing it.

Are these expectations realised under democracies?

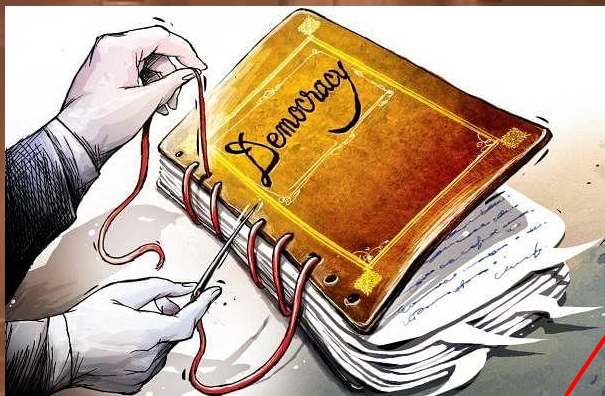
So there is a Dilemma:

- Democracy is seen to be **good in principle**, but felt to be **not so good in its practice**.

This dilemma invites us to think hard about the outcomes of democracy.

- Do we prefer **democracy only for moral reasons?**
- Or are there some **prudential reasons** to support democracy too?





Ki Democratic
government
accountable,
legitimate, responsive
hai ya nahi?

① - ②



Accountable, Responsive & Legitimate Government

Accountable

Allows citizen to participate in decision making, follows norms and procedure before arriving to a decision.

Responsive

When it responds to the demands of the public and considers it very much part of the government.

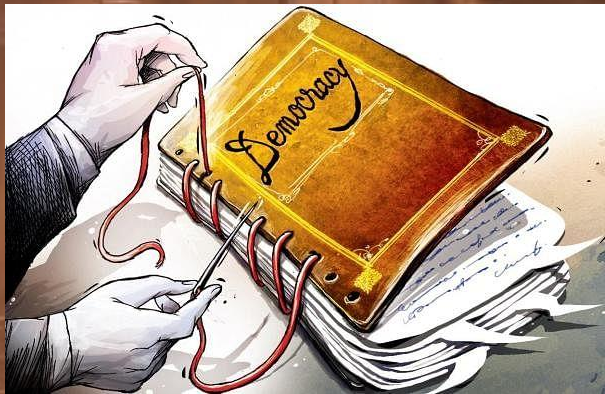
Legitimate

It is elected by citizens and enjoys the confidence and trust of the citizens.

Transfer

Is the democratic government efficient?

Comparing Democratic and Non-Democratic.



**Ki Democratic
government me logo
ki arathavyavastha or
desh ka vikas hota hai
ya nahi?**

② - ①



Economic Growth and Development

Expectation v/s Reality.

Expectation: If democracy is a good government then there should also be developments.

Reality:

(1950-2000)

Dictatorship ↑

Democracy ↓

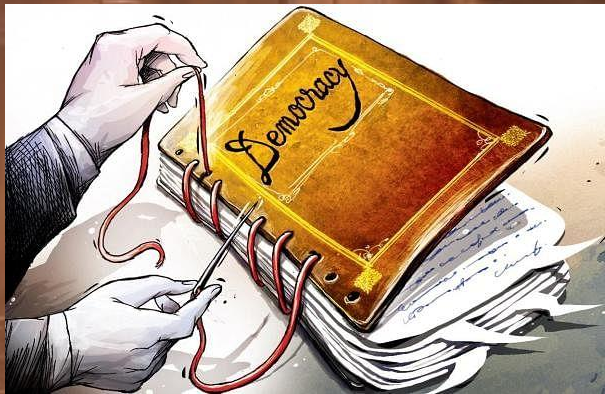
Then why do we accept democracy over dictatorship?

- Economic development depends on several factors: country's population size, global situation, cooperation from other countries, economic priorities adopted by the country.
- Better to prefer democracy as it has several other positive outcomes.

(1950-2000)
Dictatorship Democ.
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1,20,000, 1,15,000

**Ki Democratic
government me logo
ko Gareebi khatam
hoti hai ya nahi?**



③ - ①



Reduction of Inequality and Poverty

Expectation v/s Reality.

Expectation : Reduction of economic disparity.

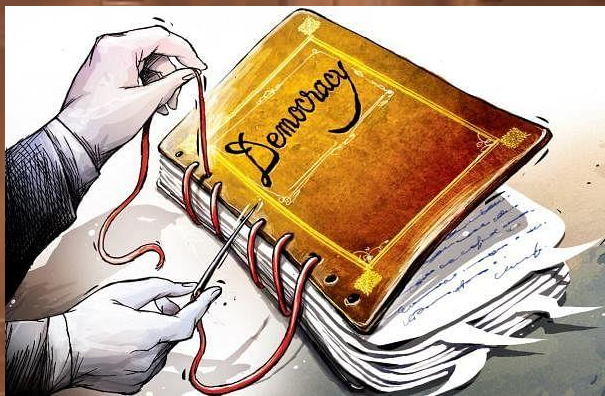
Reality : Political Equality ✓ Economic Equality ✗

also
Then why do we choose democracy:

Because,

Democracy at least gives equal opportunity to everyone in order to grow and do whatever they are interested in, which is perhaps not possible in non democratic regimes.





**Ki Democratic
government me tarah
tarah ke log ek sath
shanti se reh pate hai
ya nahi**

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Accommodation of Social Diversity



Do democracies lead to peaceful and harmonious life among citizens?

YES,

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- **Belgium has successfully negotiated differences among ethnic populations.**
- **Democracies usually develop a procedure to conduct their competition.**
- **This reduces the possibility of these tensions becoming explosive or violent.**

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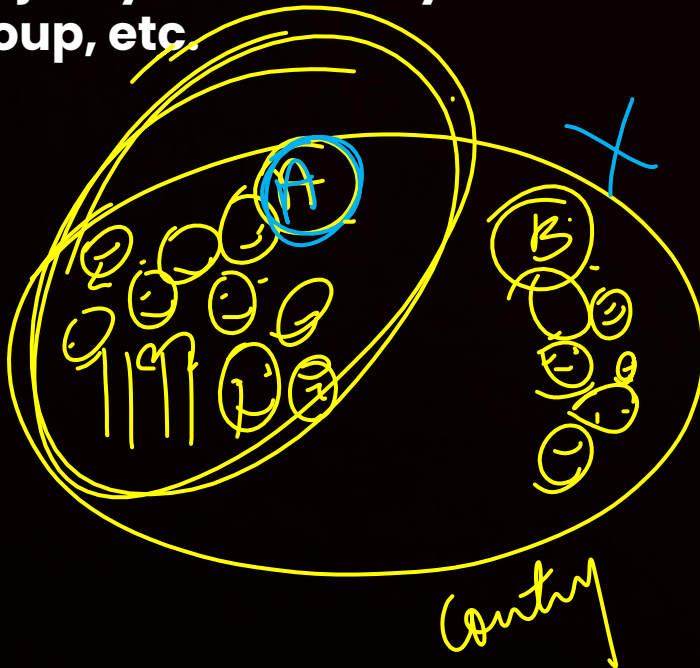




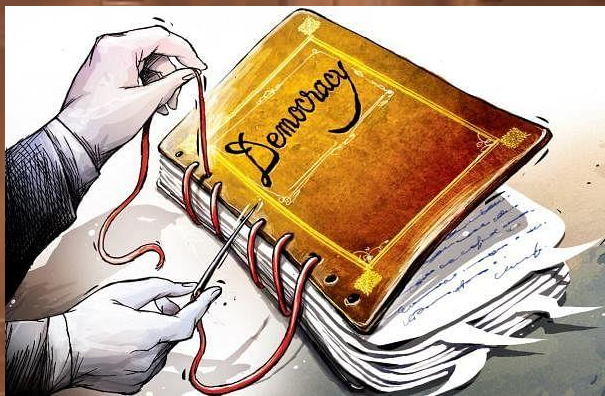
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Democracy must fulfil two conditions in order to achieve this outcome. *justify*

- It is necessary to understand that democracy is not simply rule by majority opinion.
- It is also necessary that rule by majority does not become rule by majority community in terms of religion or race or linguistic group, etc.



Vote 6 Yes
= 4 No



**Ki Democratic
government me logo
ko freedom or dignity
mehsoos hoti hai ya
nahi??**





Dignity and Freedom of the Citizens



Democracy stands much superior to any other form of government in promoting dignity and freedom of the individual.

Societies, built on basis of subordination and domination, not a simple matter to recognize that all individuals are equal.

- **Case of dignity of women, historically male dominated societies, although it may take time but democracy is handling it with care.**
- **Same is true for caste inequalities.**





PYQs



2. Which one of the following is not true about a democratic government?

- (a) Democratic government is a legitimate government.
- (b) Democratic government is a responsive government.
- (c) Democratic government is the people's own Government.
- (d) ✓ It does not allow room to correct mistakes. ✗

→ 2022-23

28. 'Democracy accommodates social diversities.' Support the statement with examples.

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PYQs



Which one of the following is the most popular form of government in the contemporary world ?

- (A) Dictatorship
- (B) Monarchy
- (C) Military Rule
- ☒ (D) Democracy

— 20/22



PYQs



9. (a) "Democracy is a better form of government than any other alternative." Analyse the statement. 5

OR

- (b) Analyse the reasons for the overwhelming support for the idea of democracy all over the world. 5

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32. 'Democratic system is better than any other form of governments.'
Support the statement with examples. 5

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PYQs



“Democracies do not appear to be very successful in reducing economic inequalities.” Justify the statement.

OR

“Democracy is a better form of government than any other form of government.” Justify the statement.

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PYQs



“Democracies do not appear to be very successful in reducing economic inequalities.” Justify the statement.

OR

“Democracy is a better form of government than any other form of government.” Justify the statement.

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PYQs



“Democracy stands much superior to any other form of government in promoting dignity and freedom of the individual.” Justify this statement.

OR

“Democracies lead to peaceful and harmonious life among citizens.” Justify this statement.

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Thank
You

Keep Fighting Warriors...

