## **Key insights regarding the 2024 General Elections:**

- 1.BJP Domination: The Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) retains a significant number of seats, thus reaffirming its grasp on Indian politics.
- 2.Congress Performance: The Indian National Congress (INC) has done better than in previous elections and won many seats to stay as the main opposition party.
- 3.Regional Parties' Influence: Regional parties like Telugu Desam Party (TDP) from Andhra Pradesh or Biju Janata Dal (BJD) from Odisha have remained strong in their states thereby playing a crucial role in the politics of these places.
- 4.New Entrants: Parties such as Voice of the People Party (VOTPP) or Zoram People's Movement (ZPM) have marked themselves by winning seats thus implying that voters are moving towards new political entities.
- 5.Independent Candidates: Independent candidates have secured several seats indicating that some constituencies prefer individual candidates rather than parties.
- 6.Low Performing Parties: Few smaller parties including Communist Party of India (CPI), Rashtriya Lok Dal (RLD), were able to secure only some few numbers of seats,
- 7.Notable Wins in Jammu and Kashmir: In constituencies like Baramulla, candidates from Jammu & Kashmir National Conference (JKNC) and independent candidates received significant votes, indicating a competitive political environment in the region.
- 8.Electoral Participation: The voter turnout and the number of votes counted reflect a high level of electoral participation, demonstrating a robust democratic engagement among the populace.
- 9. Margin of Victory: In many constituencies, the margin of victory between the leading candidates was substantial, showing clear voter preferences and decisive outcomes in those areas.
- 10.State-Wise Trends: The election results show distinct state-wise trends, with different parties dominating in different regions, underlining the diverse political landscape of India.

