

Making of Contemporary India

Assignment 2

Take up any of these themes from the Constituent Assembly Debates and describe the contours of the debate around it. Also, write about how this theme played out in the years after independence, both in the courts and in the country's social and political life. Keep your essay to about 1,500 words.

- Uniform Civil Code
- Federalism
- Fundamental Rights
- Citizenship
- Reservations
- Religion and State

Reading List:

- The Constitution Making Process:
https://www.constitutionofindia.net/constitution_making_process
- Paul R Brass: The Politics of India since Independence
- Granville Austin: The Indian Constitution – Cornerstone of a Nation
- NCERT Class IX Textbook on Indian Constitution