# welcome

### **Indian Polity**

# Salient Features of our Constitution

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### 1. Written Constitution

- \*Article 395
- Schedules 9

Lengthiest Constitution in the world

## 2. Rigid non Flexible

- Amended Constitution
- 93 Amendments

#### 3. Preamble

- Key to the Constitution
- **Essense of the Constitution**
- Sovereign, Socialist, Secular, Democratic and Republic country.

### 4. Secular

- It implies equality
- \* it treats all religion with equal respect

# 5. Parliamentary form of Country

❖ Lok Sabha – 545

543 Elected

2 Nominated

❖ Rajya Sabha – 250

238 State representation

12 Nominated by the President

Lower House, Upper House

### 6. Fundamental Rights

6 Fundamental Rights

### 7. Fundamental Duties

\* 10 Fundamental Duties, 1976, 42 Amendment.

# 8. Citizenship

Single Citizenship

### 9. Universal Adult Franchise

18 Years of age

# 10. Independent Judiciary

- Guardian of the Constitution
- \* Highest court Supreme Court.

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