

# Indian Constitution PDF 2020 - Important Articles of the Indian Constitution!

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Important Articles of the Constitution of India have always been a crucial part of GK and Current Affairs. Questions related to articles and amendments are regularly asked in competitive exams like SSC, Banking, Railways, etc. Therefore, you should be familiar with important articles and information related to it. To help you get detailed information related to Articles of the Indian Constitution we are sharing the following article. Very few of us are aware that at the time the Indian Constitution was commenced, there were 395 articles. These articles were divided into 22 parts and 8 schedules. Indian Constitution is already the longest Constitution in the world. It has now grown to 448 articles in 25 parts, 12 schedules with 5 appendices, and 102 amendments. To get precise information read the article to know about the Important Articles of the Constitution of India, and its schedules here.

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## What do Important Articles of the Indian Constitution Deal With?

The Chief architect of the Constitution of India was Dr. B.R. Ambedkar. It was adopted by the Constituent Assembly on 26<sup>th</sup> November 1949 and came into force on 26<sup>th</sup> January 1950. The information below covers the parts of the Constitution, important articles of the constitution of India, and schedules of the Constitution of India. Carefully go through the information below and note the subjects and articles allotted for them.

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#### Importance of Fundamental Rights

Fundamental Rights are one part or section of the Constitution of India. This section provides rights to the people. Fundamental rights are considered to be the basic rights of the people of India. These are irrespective of religion, caste, gender, or creed. In India, there are 6 fundamental rights as the property right was omitted from the list of fundamental rights. It includes –

- Right to Equality Article 14 to 18
- Right to Freedom Article 19 to 22
- Right against Exploitation Article 23 to 24
- Right to Religion Article 25 to 28
- Right to Education and Culture Article 25 to 28

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# **Directive Principles**

Directive Principles comprise Economic, Social, and Political guidelines or Principles for a State. These principles signify that any particular state will encourage the welfare of people by giving them basic provisions such as food, shelter, and clothing. Directive principles include article 36 to article 51.

The Directive Principles mirror the reconstruction program declared by Gandhiji during the National Movement. Basically, these principles reflect the beliefs of liberalism. To fulfill his dream, some ideas were incorporated in Directive Principles to manage the state through article 36 to article 51.

### Some Important Articles of the Indian Constitution

Let us now look at some of the important articles of the Constitution of India and what they deal with.

ARTICLE	DEALS WITH
1	Union Name and its Territory
3	New States Formation, Alteration/Change of Boundaries, etc.
13	Laws conflicting with or in deprecation of the Fundamental Rights
14	Equality ahead of Law (generally called as Right to Equality)
15	Banning Discrimination (on the grounds of race, caste, religion, sex, or birthplace)
16	Equality in case of Public Employment
17	Abolition of Untouchability
18	Abolition of Titles
19	Preservation of Rights to Freedom (popularly known as Right to Freedom)

19(1)(a)	Liberty of Speech & Expression
19(1)(b)	Right to Peacefully Assemble
19(1)(c)	Liberty to form Association
19(1)(d)	Liberty to Move Freely through India
19(1)(e)	Freedom of Settle & Reside
19(1)(f)	Omitted
19(1)(g)	Liberty to Practice any Occupation, Profession, Business or Trade
21	Right to Personal Liberty and Life
21(1)(a)	Right to Education
23	Barring of Human Trafficking and Forced Labor
24	Prohibition of Child Labor
25	Freedom to Practice & Freely Propagate Religion

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106	Salaries and Allowances of Parliament Members
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