



# POLITICAL SCIENCE

## BOOKS - FULL MARKS POLITICAL SCIENCE (HINGLISH)

### DEVELOPMENT

#### Ncert Textbook Questions Solved

1. What do you understand by the term development? Would all sections of society

benefit from such a definition of development?



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2. Discuss some of the social and ecological costs of the kind of development which has been pursued in most countries.



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3. What are some of the new claims for rights which the process of development . has

generated?



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4. What would be the advantages of democracy over other forms of government for ensuring that decisions regarding development are made to promote the common good?



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5. In your view, how successful have popular struggles been in making the state responsive to the social and environmental costs of development? Discuss with examples.



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## Additional Question With Answers | Very Short Answer Type Questions

1. The concept of development has undergone many changes over the years. In the initial

years the focus was on catching up with the west in terms ..... growth and Modernisation of societies.



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2. Developing countries adopted goals like faster economic growth through ..... Modernisation of agriculture and extending and modernising education



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3. In India, a series of ..... Plans for development were made starting from the 1950s.



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4. Identify the dam against the construction of which Narmada Bachao Andolan was started.



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5. Identify the gases. The ice in the Arctic and Antarctic is melting because of increased emission into the atmosphere.



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6. Select the correct option. The concept of development gained importance after the second half of the .. century.

A. sixteenth

B. seventeenth

C. eighteenth

D. twentieth

**Answer: D**



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7. Select the correct option. The Asian and African countries argued that the reason why they were backward was because under colonial rule their resources had been used .



A. for the benefit of the underprivileged

B. for their own benefit

C. not for their own benefit

D. not for the world

**Answer: C**



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**8.** Select the correct option. With independence, the African countries could

reorganize their resources in the best possible manner to serve Socrates

- A. The british
- B. their national interests
- C. their colonial government
- D. the masters

**Answer: B**



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**9.** Correct and rewrite the statement. The concept of development gained importance after the second half of the 18th century. This was the time when a large number of countries in Asia and Europe gained political independence.



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**10.** Correct and rewrite the statement. In the 1990s when most countries of Asia and Africa

had achieved independence from colonial rule, the least urgent task in front of them was to solve the pressing problems of poverty, malnourishment, unemployment, illiteracy and the lack of basic amenities.



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**11.** Correct and rewrite the statement Africa is still suffering from the enormous debts which it ran up by borrowings from the neighbouring countries.



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**12.** Identify the country — Ogoni region where crude oil was explored in 1950s



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**13.** Identify the leader – led a non violent struggle with the launch of the Movement for the Survival of the Ogoni People (MOSOP) in 1990.



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**14. What is development?**



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**15. How can we define development in a broader sense?**



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**16. Define development in a narrower sense.**



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17. What is underdevelopment?



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18. What is democratic participation?



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**Additional Question With Answers | Very Short Answer Type Questions**

1. How can you define development?



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2. Give the definition of development given by Riggs?



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3. How can we say that different models of development adopted on different nations have been the subject of debate and criticism?



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## Additional Question With Answers Iii Short Answer Type Questions

1. What is the welfare model in crisis?



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2. What is modernisation?



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3. What are the alternative concepts of development?



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4. What are the characteristics of development?



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5. The process of development also have an affect on life style of people'. Justify.



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6. You are an environmentalist. Being in that position find any four environmental problems. Support your answer with appropriate arguments.



## Additional Question With Answers Iv Long Answer Type Questions

1. Just imagine that a hidden treasure is found in your backyard. How will you feel if the treasure is taken away little by little by authorities in the name of development? This development is not reflected in your standard of living or even in facilities for the colony you stay in. Further, your house as a site for the

treasure is constantly vandalised by people who claim to use the treasure for development. Isn't it gross injustice for the people in whose house the treasure has been unearthed?

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recognised as an author, journalist and television producer in the 1980s. In his work, he observed and reacted to the exploitation around him as the oil and gas industry took riches from beneath the feet of the poor Ogoni farmers, and in return left the land polluted and the people disenfranchised. Saro-Wiwa led a non-violent struggle with the launch of the Movement for the Survival of the Ogoni People (MOSOP) in 1990 -- an open, grassroots community-based political movement. The movement was so effective, that by 1993 the oil companies had to pull out

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Who was ken Saro-Wiwa?



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Mention some great activities of Ken Saro-Wiwa?



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How was Ken Saro-Wiwa was framed and executed by authoritarian rulers of his country?



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What is the idea of development?



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What are the main concepts of political theory?



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What should be kept in mind while making choices regarding development?



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Trace the roots of environmentalism. How this concept has grown over the space?



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Discuss the role of environmentalism in the development of the country.



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## Additional Question With Answers V Long Answer Type Questions li

1. What is a sustainable development?

Elaborate.





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2. What measures can be adopted to maintain sustainable development?



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3. What are the strategies for maintenance of sustainable development?



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# Additional Question With Answers Vi Picture Based Questions

1. 

What does the cartoon represent?

What does the statement referred in cartoon imply?



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Resource Material I Very Short Answer Type Questions

1. What is market model?



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2. How can the goods of development be achieved?



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3. What does the welfare model of development accept and advocate?



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## Resource Material II Long Answer Type Questions

1. What do you mean by growth and development?



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2. Explain different models of development.



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