

Very Short Answer Type Questions [1 Mark]

Question 1.

What is known as the supreme law of the country?

Answer:

The constitution of the country is known as the supreme law of the country.

Question 2.

What does constitution include?

Answer:

The constitution includes the rights of citizens, the powers of the government and how the government should function.

Question 3.

Who was Nelson Mandela? ‘

Answer:

Nelson Mandela was the leader of African National Congress (ANC). He was imprisoned for 28 years in South Africa's most dreaded prison called Robben Island.

Question 4.

Why was Nelson Mandela imprisoned?

Answer:

He was imprisoned for opposing the apartheid regime.

Question 5.

What does 'apartheid' mean?

Answer:

Apartheid was the policy of racial discrimination and ill-treatment of the blacks by the white regime of South Africa based on the colour of their skin.

Question 6.

Who were called the blacks in south Africa?

Answer:

The natives of South Africa are black in colour, they make up for about three-fourth of the population and are called blacks. .

Question 7.

Which group of people in South Africa were classified as coloured?

Answer:

People of mixed races were classified as 'coloured'.

Question 8.

For whom was apartheid system particularly oppressive?

Answer:

Apartheid system was oppressive for the blacks. They were forbidden from living in white areas.

Question 9.

With what condition blacks were permitted to work in white areas?

Answer:

If they had a permit than only blacks were permitted to work in white areas.

Question 10.

What does segregation mean in South Africa?

Answer:

Segregation means a practice when trains, buses, taxis, hotels, hospitals, schools and colleges, libraries, cinema halls, theatres, beaches, swimming pools were all separate for white.

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