

**National Institute of Open Schooling
Secondary Course- Social Science**

**Lesson 22: People's Participation in The Democratic Process
Worksheet – 22**

- Q.1 “We are lucky that we are living in a democratic country like India”. In context to the statement express your views.
- Q.2 “In a democratic process the people have the right to elect the representatives for running government at national and state levels.” Write the role of the citizens in the election process in your own words.
- Q.3 The public opinion or voice of the people effects the political system. If yes, write down the meaning of the public opinion and explain in your own words.
- Q.4 Public opinion plays an important role in a democratic system, please explain the statement with suitable examples.
- Q.5 There are several agencies who formulate the public opinion. In context to the statement explain the following:
a) Meaning and difference of Print and electronic media,
b) The effect of Political Parties & Legislatures on public opinion,
- Q.6 In India we celebrate the elections as festival of democracy; write down the importance of the elections in your words.
- Q.7 Write down the difference between direct and indirect elections in your words with examples.
- Q.8 The Election Commission is a constitutional body which works to strengthen the electoral process. if yes, please explain with suitable examples.
- Q.9 The Election Commission performs its role with the help of a group of officials; in reference to the statement answer the following:
a) The appointment process and role of Election Officials,
b) Meaning and responsibilities of a Returning Officer,
- Q.10 In India the process of election is a long process, in light to the statement write down the various stages of the electoral process in your own words.