PODAR INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL (CBSE) MCQ

Grade: IX Topic: Ch 1 What is Democracy? Why Democracy?

Subject: Social Science Maximum Marks: 20

Question 1

a)	In a democracy, the final decision making power must rest i. With the government		[1]
	ii.	With the people	
b)	In Saudi Arabia,		[1]
	i. Women do not have the right to vote		
	ii.	Human rights organisations have been banned	
c)	In Zimbabwe, President Mugabe		[1]
	i.	Uses unfair practices in elections to win it	
	ii.	is just and fair in competing for the elections and is harassed by the opposition	
d)	Which of the following was issued in August 2002 to amend the Constitution of Pakistan?		[1]
	i.	Legal Framework Order	
	ii.	Legitimate Framework Order	
e)	Which of these is not a good argument in favour of democracy?		[1]
	i.	Democracy resolve conflict in better ways.	
	ii.	Democratic governments are more prosperous than others.	
f)	Why is democracy considered as a better form of government?		[1]
	i.	It is more accountable to its people	
	ii.	Democracy is less corrupted than other forms of	

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government.

- g) Which of the following parties of Zimbabwe led the struggle for independence?
- [3]

- i. ZANU-AF
- ii. ZANU-PF
- h) After how many years does Mexico hold elections for electing the President?
- [3]

- i. 6 years
- ii. 5 years
- i) Who appoints the President of China?

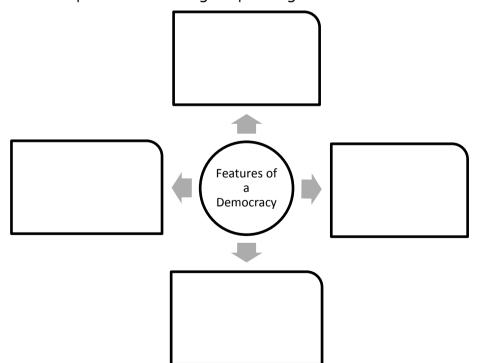
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- i. members of the National People's Congress
- ii. members of the Chinese Communist Party
- j) Which of the following communities find it difficult to vote in Estonia?
 - i. People of Chinese minority
 - ii. People of Russian minority

Question 2

(a) Complete the following Graphic organiser:



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(b) **Picture Study**

Check the picture on page 26 of the textbook. Do you think this cartoon could apply to China or Mexico? What does the crown of leaves on democracy signify?

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