

Department of Political Science
SIXTH SEMESTER (MAJOR)
ONE-LINER QUESTIONS & ANSWER ON INDIA'S FOREIGN POLICY

1. Who was the main architect of India's Non-Alignment Policy?

Ans: Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru.

2. Quad is a multi-lateral grouping between which countries?

Ans: India, US, Japan and Australia.

3. Which country is not a member of SAARC?

Ans: China.

4. The Act East Policy was launched during the tenure of which Prime Minister?

Ans: P. V. Narasimha Rao.

5. In which year was the Indo-US Nuclear deal signed?

Ans: 2008.

6. What is the main objective of NAM?

Ans: The main objective of NAM was to avoid military blocs.

7. Which policy guides India's engagement with Southeast Asian countries?

Ans: Look East Policy/ Act East Policy.

8. The Indo-Soviet Treaty of Peace, Friendship and Cooperation was signed in which year?

Ans: 1971.

9. Which Treaty covers water sharing agreement between India and Pakistan?

Ans: Indus Water Treaty.

10. What was the main objective of the Gujral Doctrine in India's foreign policy?

Ans: Non-reciprocity towards the neighbour.

11. In which year India became a member of G20?
Ans: 1999.
12. What is the core objective of SAGAR?
Ans: To foster a safe, secure, and stable maritime environment in the Indian Ocean Region.
13. Name the policy which promotes Peaceful Coexistence towards China?
Ans: Panchsheel.
14. Write one main objective of India's Neighbourhood First Policy.
Ans: Strengthen relations with neighbouring countries.
15. BrahMos has been developed by which two countries?
Ans: India & Russia.
16. When India-EU diplomatic relations was first established?
Ans: 1962.
17. What does BIMSTEC stand for?
Ans: Bay of Bengal Initiative for Multi-Sectoral Technical and Economic Cooperation.
18. Name any two countries with which India has signed Strategic Partnership Agreements?
Ans: US, Russia, France, Japan, Australia, and the UAE.
19. The Indus Waters Treaty signed between India and Pakistan in 1960 was mediated by which organization?
Ans: World Bank.
20. Line of Actual Control (LAC) is marked between which countries?
Ans: India & China.
21. Pokhran-II tests were conducted during the prime ministership of:
Ans- Atal Bihari Vajpayee.
22. Where did India conduct its first nuclear test?
Ans: Pokhran.
23. The Shimla Agreement (1972) was signed between which two countries?
Ans: India and Pakistan.

24. The Kargil conflict was fought between:

Ans: India and Pakistan.

25. Which regional organization connects India with Southeast Asia?

Ans: ASEAN.

26. When the European Union (EU) was formally established ?

Ans: 1993.

27. Which international organization is responsible for protecting refugees?

Ans: United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.

28. How many permanent members are there in UN Security Council?

Ans: Five.