

1 Democratic Politics II
Power Sharing**Grade - 10**

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Time : 20 minutes

Marks : / 20**Answer the following questions in brief :****4 Marks**

1. The Mayor of Merchtem, a town near Brussels in Belgium, has defended a ban on speaking French in the town's schools. He said that the ban would help all non-Dutch speakers integrate in this Flemish town. Do you think that this measure is in keeping with the spirit of Belgium's power sharing arrangements? Give your reasons in about 50 words.

2. Give three reasons for the civil war in Sri Lanka.

Answer the following questions in detail :**16 Marks**

1. Bring out the main features of the Belgian model of governance.

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2. What could ethnic problem lead to in Belgium and Sri Lanka?

3. Describe the different forms of power-sharing in modern democracies. Give an example of each of these.

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