

"The Role of UN in Keeping Peace"

Outline

1- Introduction

2- The Founding objectives of the United Nations and its contemporary role and operational framework

- Peace keeping
- international treaties
- sustainable development

3- How does the UN play its role as a peace-keeping organization in the world?

a- Maintains International peace and security by preventing wars
Case: Cuban Missile Crisis (1962)

b- Conflict resolution by using the tools of diplomacy and mediation
Case: UN's role in Sudan Crisis (2019) - preventing a full-scale civil war

c- Harmonizing the actions of nations by attaining common goals
Case: Efforts for Climate Change - COPs

d- Promoting social progress and better standards of life

Case: UN SDGs (2015-2030).

e- Supporting Refugee Protection for humanitarian assistance

Case: Rohingya Crisis (2017 - present)
provision of aid to over a million refugees
via UNHCR

4. How UN fails to maintain peace in the world at present?

a- Inability to prevent wars across the world
Case: Israel Palestine, Ukraine Russia wars.

b. It's actions fail to combat terrorism (the biggest social evil)

Case study of Pakistan- terrorism in KP and Balochistan

c. Security Council Paralysis due to Veto power of PS, leads to deadlock, hindering decisive action

Case: Syrian Civil War (2011)

d. Unable to resolve disputes among nations
Case: Kashmir - a political flashpoint b/w India and Pakistan

e. Failure of nuclear ^{non-}proliferation treaties
Case: North Korea — openly defying international norms and resolutions. developed nuclear weapons.

5. The Need for Reforms ~~in~~ within the United Nations to effectively mitigate global crises:

a. Reforming the UN Security Council to limit the veto power of the P5, promoting collective decision-making and ensuring equal representation for the Global South.

b. Boost Funding for peacekeeping and humanitarian assistance missions and development

c. Strengthening accountability mechanisms by imposing sanctions and audits of member states

d. Following 'The Elders' perspective of Kofi Annan — elders comprising of bureaucrats who served in UN: they would act as think tank.

6- Conclusion

