

2/3/2026

English Essay (Essay outline) Test-1

Democracy in Pakistan: Hopes and

Hurdles:-

1- Introduction

Hook

Background

Thesis statement:

either keep the thesis statement generic or mention the crux of all the points.....

Democracy in Pakistan is facing numerous hurdles like weak political institutions, lack of democratic culture, polarized politics, deteriorated civil military relations and prevalent illiteracy, however recent electoral reforms, continuity of the democratic process, across the board accountability, independence of media and judiciary, increased literacy rate and public awareness give hope for true democracy.

I. Hurdles in the way of democracy in Pakistan

discuss the hopes first as per the statement.....

a. Political Hurdles

- i) Weak state institutions
- ii) Frequent military takeovers in the past
- iii) Strained civil military relations

merge the points.....

iv) Undemocratic political culture

b. Cultural and Social hurdles

- i) Social stratification and feudal society
- ii) Corrupt practices in political parties and system
- iii) illiteracy and low education

C. Financial and Economic hurdles

i) Electioneering - a very costly affair

ii) Corrupt electoral system

iii) Poor economic condition of the country

iv) Rampant corruption in society and Political parties.

d. Administrative Hurdles

i) Arm twisting of media, journalists and opposition

ii) Lack of political accountability

iii) Vindictive attitude by the ruling party - misuse of state machinery

II. Hopes for democracy in Pakistan

a. Continuity of the political system

i) Cordial civil military relations

ii) Peaceful transfer of power to elected representatives

iii) Continuity of the political process and timely elections

b. Increasing political awareness and vibrant media.

i) Pro-democracy media type

ii) Role of Trends and Hash Tags for Political awareness

iii) Digital democracy and role of social media for political participation

C. Democratically enlightened and pro-Constitution judiciary

i) Strong democratic stance by Lawyer community and bar associations

ii) Enlightened and pro-democracy judiciary

add more arguments in this part.....

Conclusion