

15. What does the term communalism denote?

Ans Communalism denotes a belief which is based on the idea ~~on~~ <sup>that</sup> the religion on the basis of social community and people who

Follow different religion cannot  
belong to the same community.

10. Examine the relationship between religion and politics.

Ans ① Gandhiji used to say that religion can never be separated from politics. What he meant by religion was not any particular religion like Hinduism or Islam but moral values that inform all religions. He believed that politics must be guided by ethics drawn from religion.

2. Human rights groups in our country have argued that most of the victims of communal riots in our country are people from religious minorities.

3. Women's movement has argued that "Family Laws" of all religions discriminate against women.

★ All the instances involve a relationship between religion and politics.

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