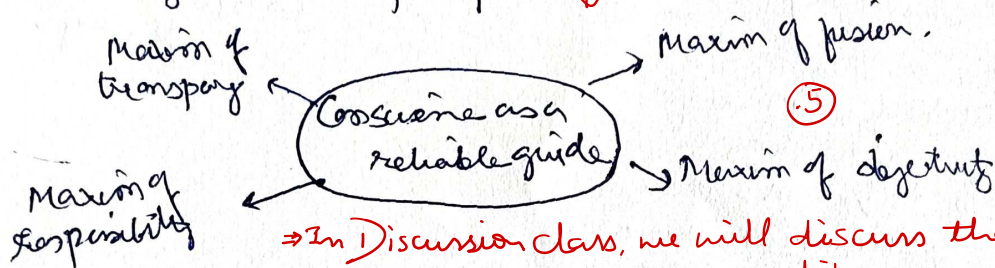


Ques Is conscience a more reliable guide when compared to laws, rules & regulations in context of ethical decision making? Discuss. [50W]

→ Conscience is a inner voice that guides an individual in distinguishing right from wrong based on moral reasoning & ethical principle. $\updownarrow$ weak transition



⇒ In Discussion class, we will discuss the inner and outer phenomenon of morality. This question's context is based on that!

① acting as a litmus test in guiding correct choices of action. (normative ethics)

② upholds integrity & probity in public administration.

Ex - Ashok Chandra Commitment to anti-corruption activities. $\rightarrow$ not proven evidence / Go with proven evidences.

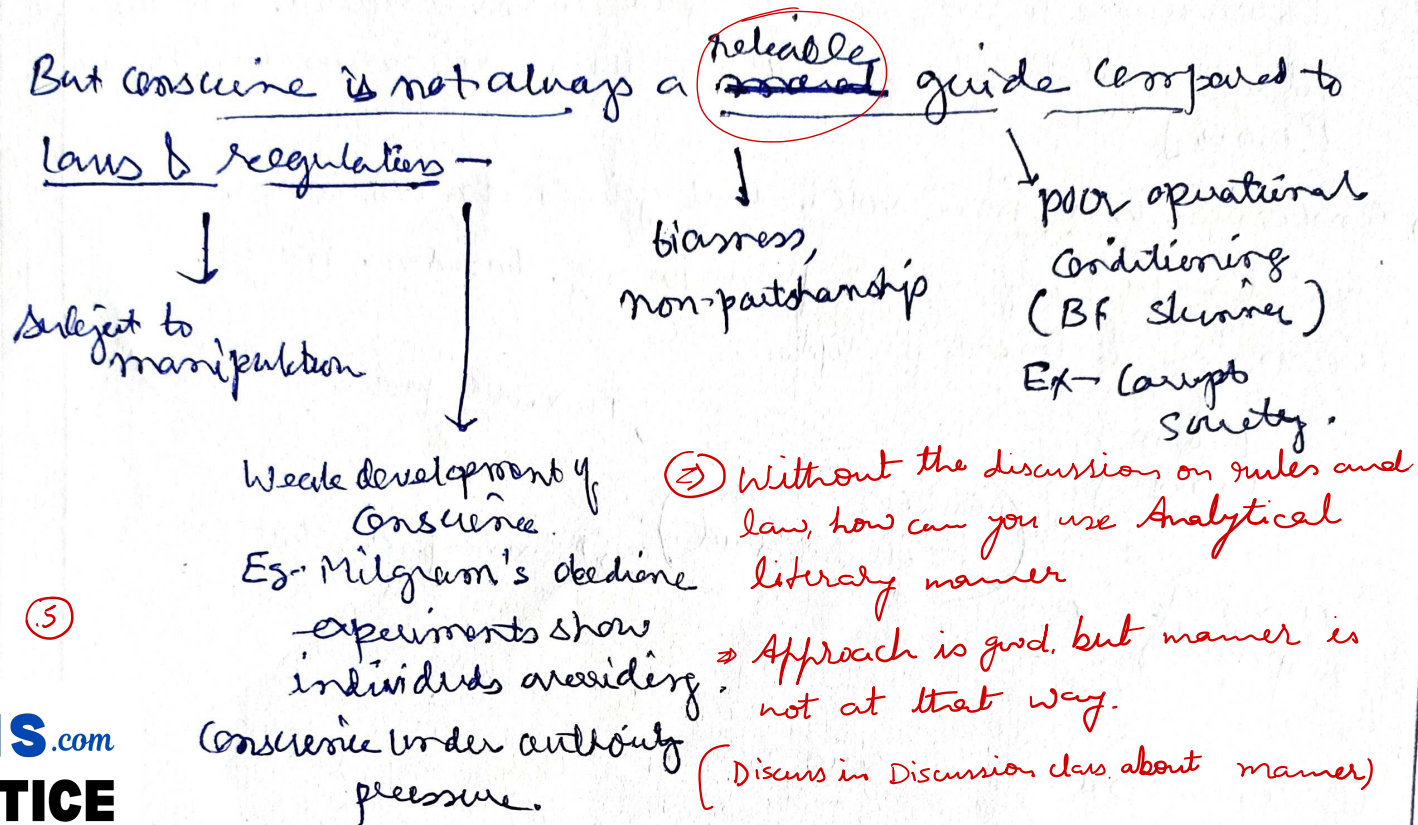
③ Maintains public trust & confidence.

Ex - TATA's rejection to enter into Tobacco industry.

④ Fosters a nation with strong conscience as stated by JS Mill. This one is right manner of writing supported evidence is authentic and proven.

"Future of a state depends on people comprising it".

⑤ Acting as a moral compass in grey areas.



Mk Gandhi rightly said, "There is a higher court of justice & that is court of conscience." So a symbiotic relationship, where

① laws set baseline & Conscience raises the bar, leads to ethical decision making. The reference is contextual.

→ Writing approach is marks oriented, but manner and interpretation should improve. (4/10)

③ In Ethics, maximum Questions are Subjective in nature, so try authenticate resources to prove claims.

Ques Attitude is an important component that goes as input in element of human. How to build a suitable attitude needed for a public servant?

Attitude can be defined as "people's assessment or judgment, either in a pos or neg way, towards an individual, object or events." -5

Attitude
as an
important
components

→ helps in quite decision making.

→ help us to social adjustment

Ex - latest fashion trends.

→ brings along Compassion & sympathy.

Ex - the pos attitude towards weaker sections

→ makes one able to identify event or thing is beneficial or harmful. ①

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As attitude is vulnerable to change & manipulation.

So, building a suitable attitude needed for a public servant.

① Instrumental learning - influenced by consequences of one behaviour.

*don't use
symbolic manner of writing.*

+ve consequence leads to the attitude

② Observant learning - learning from peers to maintain unwavering attitude ~~to~~ against corruption

Ex - Mangirath Sharguwan (Toll Officer) fight against food adulteration.

③ Reinforced & Recognition - encourages public servant to keep up attitude

④ Strong Conscience - ethical decision making even in adversities.

⑤ Transpiration from great leaders. Ex - Swami Vivekananda (Character building), Daniel Goleman (EQ).

⑦ Maintaining political neutrality (2.5)

(An ~~essa~~ essential feature among public servants as stated by Cabinet Secretary on Civil Service days)

① As Winston Churchill said, "Attitude is a little thing that makes a big difference". Thus, instilling a suitable attitude among civil servants is central to building ethical intⁿ & public trust.

→ If possible, so mention the degree of the personality. For example:
Former Prime Minister of Britain, Winston Churchill.....

→ Conclusion is in right manner.

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Ques What is the difference between 'moral reasoning' and 'moral intuition'? Illustrate with examples.

Moral reasoning refers to making decision in a conscious, deliberate & in a fact-based approach whereas moral intuition refers to immediate judgment in an unconscious, emotions-based approach.

conscious
↓ ↓ ↓
facts investigator Reasoning.

emotions
↓ ↓ ↓
unconscious fast-paced.

1

Aspect

Moral Reasoning

Moral Intuition

Nature

conscious, fact based.

unconscious, emotion based

E.g.

largely involved

less involved.

Process

Involves rational thinking

Arises spontaneously based on emotions.

Example

Mukesh Ambani business ideas on conscious & rational basis lead to sustainable business model.

Spontaneous moral

Example 1

Civil servant not killing a rapist on public demand shows moral reasoning.

'Nayak' of hero killing a rapist/sexist on public demand shows moral intuition.

Example 2

Gandhi's suspension of DM after Khushi Chawa incident underlines the deliberate rational thinking.

Arbitrary killing of Jews in a gas chamber shows lack of conscious approach of moral intuition.

Both moral reasoning & intuition play vital roles in ethical decision making. An ethical person should balance both - acting swiftly when needed but ~~pay~~ pausing to reflect the ~~correct~~ correct choices of decision. (5)

2/10

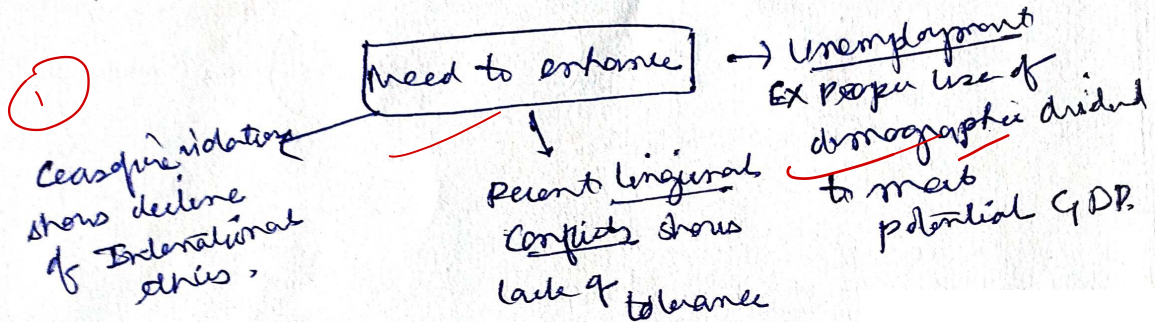
- (5) The question has three instruction words -
- difference between
 - illustrate
 - with examples
- ↳ Answer writing manner and approach do not follow any instruction properly.

⇒ Lack of content and its interpretation.

Write this
Answer again
in proper manner.

Ques Discuss the role of ethics in enhancing following three major components of CNP viz human capital, soft power (cultural & policies) & social harmony. (?)

CNP, "mobilizing & utilizing the resources of country to meet national objectives".



Role of ethics

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① Human Capital

- Ethical values like integrity, honesty fosters morally right workforce.
- values like empathy & compassion teamwork & innovation.
- Development of attitude & aptitude to rectify & correct mistakes.
- Development of EQ, IQ. (1.5)

② Soft Power

- Ahimsa (non-violence), tolerance, acceptance (Refugee policy) highlights international goodwill. (1)
- Ethical values like justice & integrity curbs red-tapism, enhancing global appeal & strong diplomacy.
- Expanding Buddhist circuit, "land of Buddha, not Yuddha", fosters international peace.

DO not have a clear perspective of soft power

① Social harmony

(.5)

→ values like mutual respect, tolerance & acceptance can
end regional conflicts & improve co-operative federalism

Thus, ethical values forms bedrock of a truly empowered
nation.

(4/10)

⇒ It was not a hard question. But lack of content
you didn't score well.

⇒ Work on content.

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Ques In context of work environment, differentiate 4w 'coercion' & 'undue influence' with suitable examples. [150w]

Coercion refers to using physical force ^{or} threats, whereas undue influence refers to misuse of position, power & authority to manipulate others in a desired way. (1)

Coercion + Undue Influence $\neq$ Toxic work environment
Can write more than one Dimension

Aspect	Coercion	Undue Influence
Nature At individual level	Using physical force or threats Ex - kidnapping, torture	Misuse of position & authority Ex - Blackmailing
Fatality	Physically fatal (1.5)	Emotionally fatal
Emotions	Usually less involved	purely a game of emotions
Example at social level.	"Lynda Raj" in Society. It's not a authentic claim or evidence of claim	"Caste politics" - undue influence (1)
Example at international level.	Russia invasion of Ukraine - Coercion. Discuss in Answer Discussion class. claim or justified	USA - Ukraine critical commercial deal - undue influence (1)

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Coercion & undue influence both violate the kanon ethics of means. to get work done in a manipulative way - leading to unjust work environment. (5)

→ If your Answer is claiming (4/10) to any point, then give/write argument in that claim.