

26/9/22 Discuss the significance of India's role in initiating the reforms  
Q5-2 in global multilateral institutions

The 77<sup>th</sup> UN General Assembly concluded just after the Shanghai Co-operation Organisation summit. India is seen as a major reformer in the multilateral arena.

(India and reforms in multilateral institutions)

① The UN Security Council reforms has been high priority post pandemic as UN was a pensive player during covid. India had launched vaccine maitri to some people.

Recently WS-Vikrant was inducted into the Navy realising the blue water policy criteria. We had also contributed 1 million soldiers to the UN Peace Keeping force.

② China's hegemony can be controlled since the permanent seat is given with a veto. China's growing dominance in Indian ocean and capture of institutions such as the UNHRC over

report on Uighurs calls attention.

- ③ Ministerial level meetings with G4 and L69 can develop states with deeper ties that can prevent wars like Russia Ukraine which the UNSC couldn't.
- ④ WTO reforms has been our fight as the Dispute settlement body is still not elected and India stressed for the continuation of special and differentiated treatment.
- ⑤ IMF reforms the quota allocation is skewed towards such countries. India ~~wants~~ to steer the quota reforms towards BRICS. The President of IMF and World Bank who are elected among Europe and USA also needs a revamp.

India with leadership role in G20 and an important player in trilaterals and multilaterals such as BRICS, SCO, IBSA context as a facilitator of reforms.