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Prime Minister is the most important political institution in our country. There is no direct election for the post of the Prime Minister. The President appoints the leader of the party or the coalition of parties that commands a majority in the Lok Sabha, as Prime Minister. However, Prime Minister may be a member of any of house of Parliament.

### Powers of Prime Minister

The Prime Minister is the Head of the Government. He Chairs the Cabinet meetings. He coordinates the work of different Departments/Ministers. His decisions are final in case disagreements arise between Departments. All ministers work under his leadership. When the Prime Minister quits, the entire ministry quits. Thus, if the Cabinet is the most powerful institution in India, within the Cabinet it is the Prime Minister who is the most powerful.

### Prime Minister of India

Pt. Jawahar Lal Nehru (15 August 1947 to 27 May 1964)  
Sh. Gulzarilal Nanda (Acting 27 May 1964 to 9 June 1964)  
Sh. Lal Bahadur Shastri (9 June 1964 to 11 Jan. 1966)  
Sh. Gulzarilal Nanda (Acting 11 Jan. 1966 to 24 Jan. 1966)  
Smt. Indira Gandhi (24 Jan. 1966 to 24 March 1977)  
Sh. Morarji Desai (24 March 1977 to 28 July 1979)  
Sh. Charan Singh (28 July 1979 to 14 Jan. 1980)  
Smt. Indira Gandhi (14 Jan. 1980 to 31 Oct. 1984)  
Sh. Rajiv Gandhi (31 Oct. 1984 to 02 Dec. 1989)  
Sh. Vishwanath Pratap Singh (02 Dec. 1989 to 10 Nov. 1990)  
Sh. Chandra Shekhar (10 Nov. 1990 to 21 June 1991)  
Sh. P.V. Narasimha Rao (21 June 1991 to 16 May 1996)  
Sh. Atal Bihari Vajpayee (16 May 1996 to 1 June 1996)  
Sh. H.D. Deve Gowda (01 June 1996 to 21 April 1997)  
Sh. Inder Kumar Gujral (21 April 1997 to 19 March 1998)  
Sh. Atal Bihari Vajpayee (19 March 1998 to 22 May 2004)  
Sh. ManMohan Singh (22 May 2004 to 16 May 2014)  
Sh. Narendra Modi (16 May 2014 to Till Date)

Q.1 I was the only Female Prime Minister of Independent India till date. Guess my name.

Q.2 I served the nation as a Prime Minister for ten years while being the members of Rajya Sabha. Find out my name with the help of your family members.

Q.3 Suppose you were the current Prime Minister of India, and India is facing Corona virus pandemic. What steps would you have taken to stop this pandemic?

Q.4 Collect some more information about your favourite Prime Minister with the help of your family members and write an article on it.