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Ans. The government promotes justice among girls by providing special provisions such as waiving or lowering fees for girls in government schools or colleges.

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Ans. Today, South Africa is a democratic country in which people of all races are considered equal. There is no more discrimination on the basis of skin colour. So, in today's South Africa Maya enjoy equal status in the society.

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Ans. Dr Ambedkar, and many others like him, realised that such practices must not continue and that justice can only be achieved when people are treated equally.

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Ans. No, practice of untouchability did not support the idea that people are equal because these groups of people were denied education, transport or medical facilities and even the chance to offer prayers.