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Sample Question Paper 1

Social Science

Class X

Time : 3 hrs

MM: 80

General Instructions

- The question paper is divided into four sections - Section A, Section B, Section C and Section D.
- The question paper has **26** questions.
- All questions are **compulsory**.
- Marks are indicated against each question.
- Questions from serial number **1** to **7** are very short answer types questions. Each question carries **one mark**.
- Questions from serial number **8** to **18** are **3 marks** questions. Answer of these questions should not exceed **80 words** each.
- Questions from serial number **19** to **25** are **5 marks** questions. Answer of these questions should not exceed **100 words** each.
- Question number **26** is a map question of **5 marks** with two parts – **26A** from History (**2 marks**) and **26B** from Geography (**3 marks**).

Section A

1. Who wrote Hind Swaraj? (1 Mark)

OR

Why did french colonise Vietnam?

2. What was Agent orange? (1 Mark)

OR

What is Diamond sutra?

3. Which steel plant is located in Chattisgarh? (1 Mark)

OR

Which one of the following factors plays the most important role in the location of an industry in a particular region?

- (a) Raw material
(b) Market
(c) Least production cost
(d) Transport
4. What is a Coalition Government? (1 Mark)
5. Name the countries which have coming together federation and holding together federation (1 Mark)

OR

Which country is an example of coming together type of federation?

6. What is overlapping differences? (1 Mark)
7. Which constitutional bodies suggest reforms in political parties? (1 Mark)

Section B

8. Explain three features of 'Go East Movement' in Vietnam. (3 Marks)

OR

Describe infrastructural projects which were developed by the French colonisers in Vietnam.

9. Print media popularized the ideas of enlightenment thinkers - Explain. (3 Marks)

OR

What was the impact of Print culture on the poor people of India during the 19th century? Explain.

10. What are the uses of Manganese ore? (3 Marks)

OR

Explain any three problems faced by Iron and Steel Industry in India.

11. Explain any four merits of pipeline transport in India? (3 Marks)

12. Examine the significance of Decentralisation. (3 Marks)

OR

Describe any three provisions of amendment made in 'Indian Constitution' in 1992 for making 'Three-Tier' government more effective and powerful.

13. In what ways has the local government deepened our democracy? (3 Marks)

14. Differentiate between horizontal and vertical division of powers. (3 Marks)

15. What are the basis of communalism? (3 Marks)

16. Substitutes of cheap imports like chinese toys is unethical - Discuss. (3 Marks)

OR

What would happen if Government of India puts heavy tax on import of Chinese toys? Explain any three points.

17. Explain the process involved in the issuing of a cheque. (3 Marks)

OR

Why is modern currency accepted as a medium of exchange without any use of its own? Find out the reason

18. Explain any three advantages of globalisation. (3 Marks)

Section C

19. What were the characteristics of ancient cities? (5 Marks)

OR

Explain any five sources of entertainment in London.

OR

'Bombay was a Prime city of India.' Justify by giving examples.

20. How did Civil Disobedience Movement differ from Non-cooperation Movement? (5 Marks)

OR

How did Non-cooperation Movement affect the people economically?

21. Distinguish between Red soil and laterite soil. (5 Marks)

22. Multipurpose river projects are referred to as the temples of modern India-Elucidate. (5 Marks)
23. What are the various challenges faced by political parties? (5 Marks)
24. Differentiate between formal sector credit and informal sector credit. (5 Marks)

OR

What is the role of banks in India?

25. Explain any five rights of the consumer under the Consumer Protection Act, 1986. (5 Marks)

Section D

- 26 (A). Locate and label the following (2 Marks)

- A. A place where Jallianwala Bagh incident took place.
- B. Place where violence erupted during Non-cooperation movement leading to its withdrawal.

- 26 (B). Locate any three: (3 Marks)

- A. Place where Cotton Textile Industry is located.
- B. Place where Software Technology Park is located.
- C. Vijay Nager Iron and Steel Plant location.
- D. Kalpakkam Nuclear Power Station.
- E. Chavdhary Charan Singh Airport