

Std. 9

Time : 3 hrs.

14-9-2015

Summative Assessment I in SOCIAL STUDIES

M. Marks : 90

General instructions:

1. The question paper has 30 questions in all. All questions are compulsory.
2. The question paper contains four sections. **Questions belonging to a section are to be answered together.**
3. Marks are indicated against each question.
4. Questions carrying 1 mark should be answered in brief.
5. Questions carrying 3 marks should be answered in a maximum of 80 words each.
6. Questions carrying 5 marks should be answered in a maximum of 120 words each.
7. Tie the maps **within** the answer sheet.
8. Leave the first page of the answer sheet blank.

SECTION - A

1. Who were the "Sans-culottes"? (1)
2. Write a few lines to show what you know about: - (1x3=3)
a) Kulaks b) The Duma c) The April Thesis
3. Explain the term Subsistence Crisis. (3)
4. What was Centralised Planning? (3)
5. Write a brief note on the October Revolution. What were the results of the October Revolution of 1917? ($1\frac{1}{2} + 3\frac{1}{2} = 5$)
6. What was the condition of women during the 'Old Regime'? What did the Revolutionary Government do to improve the condition of Women? ($2\frac{1}{2} + 2\frac{1}{2} = 5$)
7. Locate and label the following on the outline Map of France:- (3)
a) Bastille b) Bordeaux c) Nantes

SECTION - B

8. Define Referendum. (1)
9. Name the order that empowered Gen. Musharraf to dismiss national and provincial assemblies. (1)
10. What is preamble? (1)

16. Name the southernmost point of the Indian union and when did it get submerged under the sea water? ($\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = 1$)
17. Write the latitudinal extent of India. Why is the difference between the duration of day and night felt in Kashmir but hardly so in Kanyakumari?

(1+2=3)
18. Explain the division of the northern plain from west to east. (3)
19. Lakes are of great value to human beings. Justify (any three points) (3)
20. Write any five features of the central highlands. (5)
21. Give a detailed account of the Ganga river system. (5)
22. Locate and label the following features on the given political map of India. (3)
 - a) Satpura range
 - b) Eastern GhatsIdentify the following on the same political map of India
 - c) River that arises in the Amarkantak hills in Madhya Pradesh

23. Define the term working capital? (1)
24. What do you mean by human capital? (1)

25. What is multiple cropping? (1)
26. Explain the demerits of Green revolution. (any three) (3)
27. Why are women employed in low paid work? (3)
28. What is the role of education in human capital formation? (3)
29. How do medium and large farmers obtain capital for farming? How is the situation different for small farmers? (5)
30. What is the difference between disguised unemployment and seasonal unemployment? How can we remove the problem of unemployment in India? (5)

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