Social Science
Class-IX
Summative Assessment - I
September - 2012

Time: 3 Hours
Max.marks:90

Instructions

1. The Question paper has 31 questions in all. All questions are compulsory.
2. Marks are indicated against each question
3. Questions from serial no. 1 to 10 are Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs) of 1 mark each. Every MCQs is provided with 4 alternatives. Write the correct alternative in your answer book
4. Questions from sl.no. 11 to 22 are 3 mark questions. Answer of these questions should not exceed 80 words each.
5. Questions from Sl.No. 23 to 30 are 5 mark questions. Answer of these questions should not exceed 120 words each.
6. Question no. 31 is a map question of 4 mark from Geography only. After completion, attach the map inside your answer book
1. Name the battle which sealed the fate of France in 1815
   a) Battle of Waterloo  
   b) Battle of Moscow  
   c) Battle of Britain  
   d) Battle of Buxar

2. Which family was ruling in France when the French Revolution took place?
   a) The Tudor dynasty  
   b) The Habsburgs  
   c) The Bourbon dynasty  
   d) The Czar Family

3. Uttarakhand, Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, West Bengal and Sikkim have common frontiers with
   a) China  
   b) Nepal  
   c) Bhutan  
   d) Myanmar

4. Which city is situated at the confluence of the Yamuna and Ganga
   a) Allahabad  
   b) Kolkata  
   c) Benaras  
   d) Kanpur
5. The President of the World Bank has always been a citizen of
a) USA b) United Kingdom
   c) Japan d) France

6. Who was the leader of the Solidarity Movement in Poland
   a) Michelle Bachelet b) Salvador Allende
   c) Lech Walesa d) Pinochet

7. Name the National Leader who tried to draft the Constitution of India as far back as 1928
   a) Pandit Motilal Nehru b) Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru
   c) Lala Lajpat Rai d) Dr. Rajendra Prasad

8. Which is the most abundant factor of Production in India
   a) Land b) Capital
   c) Labour d) Tools
9. Manufacturing comes under the 
   a) Primary Sector  
   b) Secondary Sector 
   c) Tertiary Sector 
   d) Economic Sector

10. Unemployment is an indicator of 
    a) A Depressed economy 
    b) Progressive growth 
    c) Productivity 
    d) Illiteracy

11. Why did the Kerensky govt. become unpopular? Give three reasons 
    कन्सकी सरकार की अलोकप्रियता के किन्हीं तीन कारणों को बताएँ | 

OR

Discuss the importance of the Battle of Stalingrad in the World War II 

द्वितीय विश्व युद्ध में स्टालिनग्राद की लड़ाई के महत्व को स्पष्ट करें ।
12. What were the main objectives of the Russian Revolutionaries?  
रूसी क्रांतिकारियों के मुख्य उद्देश्य क्या थे?

OR

Discuss in detail any three main causes which led to the rise and popularity of Nazism in Germany

जर्मनी में नालीसाबूद के उद्धार तथा लोकप्रियता के किन्हीं तीन कारणों के बारे में चर्चा कीजिए।

13. Reason out why the difference between the duration of day and night is hardly felt at Kanyakumari but it is not so in Kashmir (Give any three reasons)  
कण्याकुमारी में दिन रात की अवधि में अंतर नहीं है पर काश्मीर में है ि क्यों?

(किन्हीं तीन कारण वताईए)

14. Why are the Shiwaliks prone to landslides?  
शिवालिक खेती में अक्षर भूस्वलन होने का किन्हीं तीन कारण वताईए।

15. Distinguish between the Northern Plains and coastal Plains. Any three differences  
उत्तरी मैदान तथा तटीय मैदान में अंतर स्पष्ट करें। (किन्हीं तीन अंतरों को वताईए)

16. Why are the rivers important for the country's economy? Mention any three reasons  
किसी देश की अर्थव्यवस्था के लिए नदियों महत्त्वपूर्ण क्यों हैं? किन्हीं तीन कारणों को वताईए।

17. Why is Sep. 11, 1973 considered to be a big day in the history of Chile?  
11 सितंबर 1973 चिले के इतिहास में क्यों महत्त्वपूर्ण हैं?

11 सितंबर 1973 चिले के इतिहास में क्यों महत्त्वपूर्ण हैं?
18. Democracy allows people to correct their own mistakes. Support the statement with three points.  

3x1=3

19. What is Constitution? Why do we need a Constitution?  

1+2=3

20. What are the different ways of increasing production on the same piece of land  

3x1=3

21. What are the two types of Economic Activities? State two characteristics of each?  

1+2=3

22. What are the reasons for educated unemployment in urban areas? Any three reasons?  

3x1=3

23. Draw up a list of the democratic rights we enjoy today whose origin could be traced to the French Revolution?  

5x1=5
24. Mention briefly the contributions of the following persons to the French Revolution? 5
   a) Rousseau
   b) Voltaire

25. Explain why Nazi Propaganda was effective in creating a hatred for the Jews? 5

OR

What were the Social, Economic and Political conditions of Russia before the Russian Revolution?

26. Write a short note on the 'Island groups of India' (five features of each one) 5

27. Give a brief account of five main features of democracy with examples of each one 5

28. Write a brief account of the Freedom Struggle of South Africa. How did the White minority and the Black majority agree to draw up a common Constitution for South Africa 2+3=5
दक्षिण अफ्रीका के स्वतंत्रता संघर्ष का संक्षेप में वर्णन कीजिए। बताएं किस प्रकार गोरे अल्पसंख्यक तथा अपवाद बहुसंख्यक द्वारा दक्षिण अफ्रीका के लिए एक साझा संविधान पर सहमति जातायी गई?

29 Explain any five measures taken by the Govt. Of India to improve the quality of education? 5

सरकार द्वारा शिक्षा के ग्लेश में सुधार हेतु उठाये गये किन्हीं पांच पावधानों का वर्णन करें।

30 Explain the various requirements of production? 5

उत्पादन के विभिन्न कारकों (आवश्यकताओं) का वर्णन करें।

31 1) Two features (1-2) are marked on the given political outline map of India. Identify these features with the help of following information and the write their correct names on the lines marked in the map 4

1) A Mountain Range
2) An important River of South India

दिए हुए भारत के राजनीतिक रेखा मानचित्र पर दो विशेषताएँ 1 और 2 पर चिह्नित की गई है। नीचे दी गई जानकारी की मदद से इन विशेषताओं की पहचान कीजिए और दिए गए मानचित्र पर चिह्नित रेखाओं पर उनके सही नाम लिखिए।

1 एक पर्वत श्रृंखला 2 दक्षिण भारत की प्रमुख नदी

31 2) Locate and label the following on the same political outline map of India

a) Kachenjunga b) Standard Meridian of India 2+2=4

निम्नलिखित को उपयुक्त संकेतों द्वारा उसी मानचित्र पर दर्शाइए।
Note: The following Question is for the visually impaired Candidates only, in lieu of map question No. 31

31  1) Which is the largest State of India in terms of Area

2) Anaimudi is in which Hill ranges

3) Name the highest Peak of the Himalayas in India

4) Which latitude passes through the middle of India