

CLASS X (2019-20)
SOCIAL SCIENCE (CODE 087)
SAMPLE PAPER-16

Time Allowed : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 80

General Instructions :

- (i) The question paper has 35 questions in all.
- (ii) Marks are indicated against each question.
- (iii) Questions from serial number **1** to **20** are objective type questions. Each question carries **one mark**. Answer them as instructed.
- (iv) Questions from serial number **21** to **28** are **3 marks** questions. Answer of these questions should not exceed **80 words** each.
- (v) Questions from serial number **29** to **34** are **5 marks** questions. Answer of these questions should not exceed **120 words** each.
- (vi) Question number **35** is a map question of **6 marks** with two parts-**35 a.** from History (2 marks) and **35 b.** from Geography (4 marks).

SECTION A

- Q1. Match the following items given in column A with those in column B. [1]

Column A		Column B	
(A)	Bankim Chandra Chattopadhyay	(1)	Depressed Classes Association
(B)	B.R Ambedkar	(2)	Famous image of Bharat Mata
(C)	Sir Mohannad Iqbal	(3)	President of the Muslim League
(D)	Abanindranath Tagore	(4)	Vande Matram

- Q2. The average income is called: [1]
- (a) per person per income (b) per capita income
(c) per house income (d) per national income

- Q3. The value of final goods already includes the value of all the goods. [1]

OR

The sector which has become the most important in terms of the total production in developed countries.

- Q4. Study the picture and answer the questions that follow: [1]



Which of the following aspect best signifies this image of Germania??

- A. It is the symbolic personification of Liberty and Reason.
- B. She became the symbol of the German nation.
- C. She represents austerity and asceticism.
- D. Both A and B

Q5. Which soil has best moisture holding capacity? [1]

Q6. Fill the blank in table with correct answer: [1]

Occupations	Sectors
Tailor	Tertiary
(A)- ?	Primary
Astronaut	(B) - ?

Q7. To protest against the salt tax, Gandhi ji undertook: [1]

- (a) Non-cooperation movement
- (b) Civil disobedience
- (c) Dandi March
- (d) Go back Simon

Q8. Who has the special powers in administering the Union Territories of India? [1]

OR

In which year did the Communist Party of India split into two parties?

Q9. Which sector does this following cartoon represents? [1]



- (a) Primary
- (b) Secondary
- (c) Tertiary
- (d) None

Q10. Rice is grown with the withdrawal of monsoon in different parts of India. It is a Rabi crop. State whether the statement is True or False. If false, correct the statement. [1]

Rice is grown with the onset of monsoon in different parts of India. It is a kharif crop.

OR

Rice, wheat and maize are important millets grown in India. State whether the statement is True or False. If false, correct the statement.

Jowar, bajra and ragi are the important millets grown in India.

Q11. is the deepest, land-locked and well-protected port of India [1]

OR

Sustainable development encourages more use of resources.

Q12. Which of the following state has the highest literacy rate? [1]

- (a) Haryana (b) Bihar
(c) Punjab (d) Kerala

Q13. Bank deposits are also called [1]

- (a) Collateral (b) Demand deposits
(c) Cheque (d) Currency

Q14. What is defined as the print revolution? [1]

Q15. Bhartiya Janta Party was formerly called [1]

Q16. Who is a person that refuses to accept established beliefs and practices? [1]

OR

In which 3 countries the earliest kind of print technology was developed? [1]

Q17. Which is not a characteristic of unorganized sector? [1]

- (a) Small and scattered units which are largely outside the control of the government
(b) There are rules and regulations but these are not followed
(c) Jobs here are high-paid and often not regular
(d) No provision for overtime, paid leave, holidays, leaves due to sickness

Q18. Arrange political parties according to their formation dates in increasing order: [1]

- (i) BSP
(ii) BJP
(iii) INC
(iv) CPI
(a) i—iv—iii—ii (b) iii—iv—i—ii
(c) iv—i—ii—iii (d) iii—iv—ii—i

Q19. In the question given below, there are two statements marked as Assertion (A) and Reason(R). Read the statements and chose the correct option:

Assertion (A) : Pakistan was ruled many times by army.

Reason (R) : Functional Challenge is one of the important challenges of democracy

Options:

- (a) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A.
(b) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A.
(c) A is correct but R is wrong.
(d) A is wrong but R is correct.

Q20. If in an area 10 percent of loans are taken from informal source and 90 percent are taken from formal source what will be that area called as: [1]

- (a) Urban Region (b) Semi urban
(c) Rural region (d) Rich country

SECTION - B

- Q21. Describe the impact of Rinderpest on people's livelihood and local economy in Africa in the 1890. [3]

OR

Describe three major problems faced by Indian cotton weavers in nineteenth century. [3]

- Q22. What are software technology parks? State any two points of significance of information technology industry in India [3]

OR

Mention any three features of arid soils.

- Q23. How is a federal government different from the unitary form of government? Why are federations preferred these days? [3]

- Q24. Do democracies lead to peaceful and harmonious life among citizens? Clarify. [3]

- Q25. Read the sources given below and answer the questions that follows: [1 + 1 + 1=3]

Source A: Wood block Printing

The technology of woodblock printing developed in China. the knowledge was brought to Italy by the Explorer Marco Polo on his return from China and after many years on explorations. it was only after italians begin publishing with wood blocks that the technology read to other parts of Europe.

Source B: Martin Luther King's View

Martin Lather King's initiation finally led to the questioning of the authority and ritual of the Roman Catholic Church at the beginning of the protestant reformation.

Source C: Women and Print

As a result of the spread of print culture in the 19th Century lives in feelings of women in India begin to be written in vivid and intense wigs. Many liberal husbands ans father's convinced by writings and reformers began educating their women folks

Source A: Wood block Printing

- 25 (1) When did the wood block printing Arrived in Europe? (1)

Source B: Martin Luther King's View

- 25 (2) Why Martin Luther king was in favour of print technology? (1)

Source C: Women and Print

- 25 (3) Why did Gandhi said the fight for Swaraj is a fight for liberty of press, speech and freedom of association? (1)

- Q26. Give any three features of Guttenberg's printing Press. [3]

OR

What was the Vernacular Press Act?

- Q27. How do banks mediate between those who have surplus money and those who need money? [3]

OR

Describe the bad effects of informal sources of credit on borrowers.

- Q28. Beside income, what can be the other attributes to compare economic development? [3]

SECTION - C

- Q29. Illustrate with examples that food offers many opportunities of long-distance cultural exchange. [5]

OR

Even before factories began to dot the landscape in England and Europe, there was large scale industrial production for an international market in the country side. Elucidate.

- Q30. Why are political parties necessary for a democracy? [5]
- Q31. What are Resources? Distinguish between renewable and non-renewable resources. Give examples. [5]
- Q32. India has one of the largest road networks in the world, aggregating to about 2.3 million km. at present On what basis roadways have taken an edge over railways? Explain. [5]

OR

The pace of change has been rapid in modern times and has impacted the ways of communication as well. In light of the given statement explain the role of a variety of means of communication that are used in India in the current times.

- Q33. Women face disadvantage, discrimination and oppression in various ways even today. Assess the statement by giving five suitable arguments. [5]
- Q34. Read the extract and answer the questions that follows: [5]

Natural resources are the things that exist freely in nature human beings use for survival These things include the water, land, fires animals, rocks, fossil fuels, and minerals inside the Earth. Human beings did not create natural resources. They have always been a part of the Earth. Wore humans depend

Most of the natural resources are connected to each other in some way. For example, water is a natural resource, and there was a limited supply then other resources such as animal and plants would be affected. Natural resources are consumed directly or indirectly. For example when animals eat plants they are consuming a natural resource directly. However, the many trees of rain forest act as climate control flood control and storm protection. The trees of a forest can also be used as raw materials for making houses, furniture, paper or other items.

Natural resources can be a solid liquid, or gas. They can also be organic coming from living things, or inorganic, coming from a non-living source. They can also be made out of metal or be non-metallic. All natural resources are also either renewable or non-renewable.

- (i) What are resources? (1)
- (ii) Why it has been considered natural resources to be connected to each other? (2)
- (iii) Give 10 examples of natural resources in various categories? (2)

MAP SKILL BASED QUESTION

- Q35. (a) Two places A and B have been marked on the given political outline map of India. Identify them with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them. $1 \times 2 = 2$
- A. The place of Civil Disobedience Movement
- B. The place where the Non-Cooperation Movement was called-off.
- (b) On the same outline map of India locate and label any four of the following with suitable symbols. $1 \times 4 = 4$
- (i) Surat - Cotton Textile Centre.
- (ii) Naraura - Nuclear Power Plant .
- (iii) New Mangalore - Seaport
- (iv) Gandhinagar - Software Technology Park
- (v) Hyderabad - Rajiv Gandhi International Airport.
- (vi) Srinagar - Software Technology Park



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