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**X - Standard – Social Science**

Part - I

Choose the correct answer: (Write All the questions) (14x1=14)

1. What is the Battle of Marne remembered for \_\_\_\_\_  
a) air warfare b) trench warfare c) submarine warfare d) shipwarfare
2. When was the Charter of the UN signed \_\_\_\_\_  
a) June 26, 1942 b) June 26, 1945 c) January 1, 1942 d) January 1945
3. Who were driven out of their homeland during the process of creation of Zamins under Permanent Settlement \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Santhala b) Titu Mir c) Munda d) Shariatullah
4. Who was Rowlatt protests in Amritsar?  
a) Motilal Nehru b) Saifuddin Kitchlew c) Mohamed Ali d) Raj Kumar Shukla
5. i) Thirukkural was one of the earliest Tamil literary texts to be published in 1812.  
ii) Maraimalai Adigal collected and edited different palm leaf manuscript of the Tamil grammars and literature.  
iii) Robert Caldwell established the close affinity between the Dravidian languages in contrast with Sanskrit and also established the antiquity of Tamil.  
iv) Thiru.Vi.Kalyanasundaram was an early pioneer in trade union movement.  
a) (i) and (ii) are correct  
b) (i) and (iii) are correct  
(iv) is correct  
(ii) and (iii) are correct.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ is a part of the world network biosphere reserves of UNESCO.  
a) Nilgiris b) Agasthiyamalai c) Great Nicobar d) Kachch
7. Coal India Limited is an Indian state-controlled coal mining company headquartered in \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Kolkata and Mumbai b) Kolkata and West Bengal c) Kolkata and Odisha d) Mumbai and Pune
8. A major hydro – electric power project of Tamilnadu is \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Mettur b) Papanasam c) Sathanur d) Thungabhadra
9. **Assertion (A):** Tamil Nadu does not receive much rainfall from southwest monsoon.  
**Reason (R):** It is situated in the rain shadow area of the Western Ghats  
a) Both (A) and (R) are true and (R) explains (A).  
b) Both (A) and (R) are true but (R) does not explain (A)  
c) (A) is true but, (R) is false  
d) (R) is true but, (A) is false.
10. The length of Golden Quadrilateral super highways in India is  
a) 5846 km b) 5942 km c) 5630 km d) 5800 km

11. What is minimum age laid down for a candidate to seek election to the Lok Sabha?  
a) 18 years b) 21 years c) 25 years d) 30 years
12. Match the following and choose the correct answer form the code given below.
- |                                   |               |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|
| i) Salma Dam                      | - Bangladesh  |
| ii) Farakka accord                | - Nepal       |
| iii) Chukha hydroelectric project | - Afghanistan |
| iv) Sharda River project          | - Bhutan      |
- a) 3 1 4 2    b) 3 1 2 4    c) 3 4 1 2    d) 4 3 2 1
13. FCI purchases \_\_\_\_\_  
a) Wheat and rice    b) Jute and Cotton    c) wheat and millets    d) Rice and Millets
14. Pick out odd one  
a) Ranipet    b) Dharmapuri    c) Ambur    d) Vaniyambadi

### Part – II

Answer any 10 questions. Question No.28 is Compulsory.

15. What do you know of the White Terror in Indo – China?  
16. What was the significance of the Battle of Kalakadu?  
17. Why did Gandhi withdraw the Non-Cooperation Movement?  
18. Write a note on Tamil Renaissance.  
19. Give the importance of IST.  
20. Write a brief note on the categories of fisheries in India?  
21. Define Roadways and State its types.  
22. What is Human Geography?  
23. During cyclone, how does the Meteorological department warn the fishermen?  
24. List out the fundamental rights guaranteed by Indian Constitution?  
25. Explain India's nuclear policy.  
26. What are the factors affecting the purchasing power and explain them.  
27. What are the problems of industrialization currently in Tamilnadu?  
28. Write a note on Berlin Wall.

### Part – III

Answer any 10 questions. Question No.42 is Compulsory.

29. Fill in the blanks:  
(i) \_\_\_\_\_ is the device used to find out the enemy aircraft from a distance.  
(ii) The Rebellion of Maruthu Brothers was categorized in the British records as the \_\_\_\_\_  
(iii) The riverine Island of Srirangam is located between \_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ branches of cauvery.  
(iv) GDP is the indicator of \_\_\_\_\_ economy.  
(v) \_\_\_\_\_ is an innovator of new ideas and business processes.
30. Discuss the main causes of the First World War.  
31. Assess the structure and the activities of the UNO.  
32. Discuss the reasons behind the Partition of Bengal.

33. State any five types of soil in India and explain the characteristics and distribution of soil.
34. Explain the divisions of Northern Mountains and its importance to India.
35. Bring out the mineral distribution in Tamilnadu.
- 36.(a) Distinguish between  
(i) Marine Fishing and Inland Fishing  
(ii) Tropical Evergreen Forest and Deciduous Forest.  
(b) West flowing rivers do not form deltas.
37. Mention the difference between Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy.
38. Write a details note on Non -Alignment.
39. Write about the composition of GDP in India.
40. Explain the role of Entrepreneur?
41. Draw a time line for the following  
Write any five important events between 1030 and 1950
42. Mark the following places on the Map of India.  
(i) Delhi (ii) Gwalior (iii) Jhansi (iv) Banaras (v) Barrackpore.
43. Write an essay on the role played by the 19<sup>th</sup> century reformers towards the cause of Women.

(OR)

Examine the factors that led to the transformation of Gandhi into a mass leader.

- 44.(a) Mark the following places on the given outline map of India.  
(i) Mt. Everest (ii) Gulf of Kumbhat (iii) Thar desert (iv) Malabar coast (v) Alluvial Soil Region (vi) Mountain Forest (vii) Brahmaputra (viii) North East Monsoon Wind.
- (OR)
- (b) Mark the following places on the given outline map of Tamilnadu  
(i) Kanyakumari (ii) Cauvery (iii) Servarayan Hills (iv) Bay of Bengal (v) Palk Strait (vi) One region of automobile industry (vii) Chennai (viii) Bird Sanctuary.

All the Best

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