

V10SS

Virudhunagar District  
Common Second Mid Term Test - 2023

## Standard 10

### SOCIAL SCIENCE

Time: 1.30 Hrs.

Marks: 50

#### I. Choose the correct answer:

6×1=6

- 1) Who was the commander-in-chief responsible for the new military regulations in Vellore fort?
  - a) Col.Fancourt
  - b) Major Armstrong
  - c) Sir John Cradock
  - d) Colonel Agnew
- 2) Which among the following was declared as Independence Day?
  - a) 26th January 1930
  - b) 26th December 1929
  - c) 16th June 1946
  - d) 15th January 1947
- 3) Who was the first President of the Madras Mahajana Sabha?
  - a) T.M. Nair
  - b) P. Rangaiah
  - c) G. Subramaniam
  - d) G.A. Natesan
- 4) The highest peak in TamilNadu is \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Anaimudi
  - b) Doddabetta
  - c) Mahendragiri
  - d) Servarayan
- 5) The delta which is known as Granary of South India is \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) Cauvery delta
  - b) Mahanadi delta
  - c) Godavari delta
  - d) Krishna delta
- 6) How many countries share its border with India?
  - a) 5
  - b) 6
  - c) 7
  - d) 8

#### II. Fill in the blanks:

4×1=4

- 7) W.C. Bannerjee was elected the President of Indian National Congress in the year \_\_\_\_\_.
- 8) Agriculture of TamilNadu constitutes \_\_\_\_\_ % of its economy.
- 9) \_\_\_\_\_ is a small Himalayan Kingdom.
- 10) The Goods and Services Tax act came into effect on \_\_\_\_\_.

#### III. Answer any 6 questions. Question No. 20 is compulsory:

6×2=12

- 11) What were the duties of the Palayakkarars?
- 12) Highlight the objectives of Home Rule movement.
- 13) Describe the Jallianwalabagh Massacre.
- 14) Name the territories annexed by the British under the Doctrine of Lapse.
- 15) What is Teri?
- 16) Name the major islands of TamilNadu.
- 17) Name the important multipurpose projects of TamilNadu.
- 18) What is foreign policy?
- 19) Write short note on Goods and Services Tax.
- 20) List out the member countries of SAARC.

Kindly send me your answer keys to us - [padasalai.net@gmail.com](mailto:padasalai.net@gmail.com)

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2×5=10

**IV. Write in detail: [Any 2 questions]**

- 21) Critically examine the Civil Disobedience Movement as the typical example of Gandhian Movement.
- 22) **A) Distinguish between the following:**
- i) Thamirabarani and Cauvery
  - ii) Surface water and Ground water
- B) Give reason:**
- Farmers switch over from inorganic to organic farming.
- 23) Write a detailed note on Non-alignment.
- 24) Explain some direct and indirect taxes.

5×1=5

**V. Time Line:**

- 25) Mention the major Events of Indian National Movement from the year 1910 - 1930.

1×8=8

**VI. Answer the following questions:**

- 26) Describe the role of TamilNadu in the Civil Disobedience Movement.
- (OR)
- 27) Write about the plantation farming of TamilNadu.

5×1=5

**VII. Mark the following places on the TamilNadu outline map:**

- 28) i) Western Ghats  
ii) Cauvery delta  
iii) Mettur dam  
iv) Vadamthangal  
v) Kodiyakarai