



Standard 8 SOCIAL SCIENCE

Marks: 50

5×1=5

Time: 1.30 Hrs.

I. Choose the correct answer:

- 1) In which year the New Education Policy was introduced in India?
a) 1992 b) 2009 c) 1986 d) 1968
- 2) The woolen and leather factories become prominent in _____.
a) Bombay b) Ahmadabad c) Kanpur d) Dacca
- 3) The Word Tsunami is derived from _____ language.
a) Hindi b) French c) Japanese d) German
- 4) In 1995 women from all over the world gathered at _____.
a) Beijing b) Newyork c) Delhi d) None
- 5) Road safety week is celebrated in the month of _____ every year.
a) December b) January c) March d) May

II. Fill In the blanks:

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- 6) The word 'veda' means _____.
- 7) _____ was the integral part in the life of the people.
- 8) _____ rightly regarded as the Father of Local Self Government in India.
- 9) Raw material based perspective Cotton Textile Industry is a _____ Industry.
- 10) Atlas mountain is located in _____ continent.

III. Match the following:

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| 11) Sarafoji | - | Private sector |
| 12) Bombay | - | Flightless bird |
| 13) Bajaj | - | Saraswathi Mahal |
| 14) Ostrich | - | 1098 |
| 15) Child helpline | - | Seven island |

IV. Answer the following in one or two sentences: (any 10)

10×2=20

- 16) Write a short note on Taxila.
- 17) Write about the drain theory.
- 18) Name the inventions which made the production of textiles on large scale.
- 19) What are the major types of hazards?
- 20) Name the factors responsible for the location of industries.
- 21) Why Africa is called a "Mother continent"?
- 22) What do you know about '1098 child line'?
- 23) Distinguish between Hazards and Disasters.
- 24) Draw traffic lights signals and indicates the meaning.
- 25) Name the three presidency cities.
- 26) Why road safety is very important to us?
- 27) Name the five primary categories of human rights.

V. Answer the following in detail: (Any three)

3×5=15

- 28) What were the sources of education in ancient India?
- 29) Write in detail about the plantation of industries.
- 30) Elaborately discuss the effects water pollution.
- 31) What are the measures taken by the government to protect the children?
- 32) What are the preventive measures of road accidents?