

**BHARATHIYAR MATRICULATION SCHOOL****Social Science Exam – 25.04.2020****Department of Social Science**

Full Portion Test

Time : 3hrs

Marks : 100

**Part-1****Note: (1) Answer all the 14 questions.****14X1=14****(2) Choose most suitable answer from the given four alternatives and write the option code with corresponding answer.**

1. What is the Battle of Marne remembered for?
  - a) air warfare
  - b) trench warfare
  - c) submarine warfare
  - d) ship warfare
2. When was North and South Vietnam united?
  - a) 1975
  - b) 1976
  - c) 1973
  - d) 1974
3. Who declared that "Land belongs to God" and collecting rent or tax on it was against divine law?
  - a) Titu Mir
  - b) Sidhu
  - c) Dudu Mian
  - d) Shariatullah
4. Where was the anti-Hindi Conference held?
  - a) Erode
  - b) Madras
  - c) Salem
  - d) Madurai
5. \_\_\_\_\_ was the official newspaper of the Self Respect Movement.
  - a) KudiArasu
  - b) Puratchi
  - c) Viduthalai
  - d) Paguththarivu
6. Which crop is called as "Golden Fibre" in India?
  - a) Cotton
  - b) Wheat
  - c) Jute
  - d) Tobacco
7. The famous Sindri Fertilizer Plant is located in
  - a) Jharkhand
  - b) Bihar
  - c) Rajasthan
  - d) Assam
8. Number of major and minor ports in Tamil Nadu are
  - a) 3 and 15
  - b) 4 and 15
  - c) 3 and 16
  - d) 4 and 15
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. \_\_\_\_\_ River is known as 'Sorrow of Bihar'.
  - a) Narmada
  - b) Godavari
  - c) Kosi
  - d) Damodar
11. Which of the following committees/commissions made recommendations about the Centre-State Relations?
  1. Sarkaria Commission
  2. Rajamannar Committee
  3. M.N.Venkatachaliah Commission

Select the correct answer from the codes given below

  - (a) 1, 2 & 3
  - (b) 1 & 2
  - (c) 1 & 3
  - (d) 2 & 3
12. With which country does India share its longest land border?
  - a) Bangladesh
  - b) Myanmar
  - c) Afghanistan
  - d) China
13. How many countries were membership in WTO at present?
  - a) 159
  - b) 164
  - c) 148
  - d) 128
14. \_\_\_\_\_ are an essential aspect of a nation's development.
  - a) agriculture
  - b) industry
  - c) railway
  - d) none of these

**Part - II****Note: Answer any 10 questions. Questions No:28 is compulsory.****10x2=20**

14. Name the Bretton Woods Twins.
15. Highlight the work done by Jyotiba Phule for the welfare of the poor and the marginalized.
16. Write a note on the Khilafat Movement.
17. What was the role of Mustafa Kemal Pasha?
18. Write a short note on 'Monsoon wind'.
19. State any two characteristics of black cotton soil.
21. Write a note on Pipeline network transport in India
22. Define : Disaster Risk Reduction.
23. What are the classical languages in India?
24. What is Money Bill?
25. List out the member countries of SAARC.
26. Define the value added approach with example.
27. What are the main reasons for the New Agricultural Policy?
28. Why are the south Indian rivers flow from West to East?

**PART - III****Answer any 10 questions. Question No.42 is compulsory.****10x5= 50****29. Fill in the blanks.**

- i) .....was the first country to achieve independence after World war II.
- ii) "Little Brindavan" picnic spot is in ..... district.
- iii) .....was the Chairman of drafting Committee of Indian Constitution.
- iv) The headquarters of SBI is located in .....
- v) ..... is an indigenous plant of Africa.

**30. Match the following.**

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|-------------------|---|-------------------|
| i) Emden          | - | Odanilai          |
| ii) Blitzkrieg    | - | Natesanar         |
| iii) Ayyavazhi    | - | lightning strike  |
| iv) Theerthagiri  | - | Madras            |
| v) Dravidian Home | - | Vaikunda Swamigal |

**31. Match the following.**

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|-------------------------------|---|----------------|
| i) Coromandal Coast           | - | Kanyakumari    |
| ii) Biodiversity hotspot      | - | 1960           |
| iii) Border Road Organisation | - | Tiruchirapalli |
| iv) Pothigai Hills            | - | Khadar         |
| v) Gypsum                     | - | The Himalayas  |

**32. a) Distinguish between:**

- (i) Alluvial Soil and Black Soil
- (ii) South West monsoon and North East monsoon

**b) Give reason**

The great Indian desert is called Marusthali

33. Analyse the effects of the World War II.
34. Discuss the reasons behind the partition of India.
35. Describe the forests of India.
36. Bring out the types and distribution of soils in Tamil Nadu.
37. Mention the differences between Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy.
38. Trace the reason for the formation of BRICS and write its objectives.
39. Write about the World Trade Organisation.
40. What is black money? Write the causes of black money.

**41. Draw a timeline for the following:**

Write any five important events between 1910 - 1930

**42. Mark the following places on the world map.**

- i) Turkey      ii) Italy      iii) Hawaii Island      iv) Egypt      v) Nagasaki

**PART - IV**

**Answer both questions.**

**2X4=8**

**43. a) Ho Chi Minh**

- i) Where was Ho Chi Minh born?
- ii) How did Ho Chi Minh become a popular Vietnam Nationalist?
- iii) What do you know of Ho Chi Minh's Revolutionary Youth Movement?
- iv) How was the League for Independence called in Indo-China?

**b) Non-Aligned Movement (NAM)**

- i) When and where was the first conference on Non-Aligned Movement held?
- ii) Who were the prominent personalities present in the first conference?
- iii) What were the objectives of NAM?
- iv) List out any two basic principles of Non-Alignment Movement enunciated in the Belgrade Conference

**43. c) Velunachiyar**

- i) Who was the military chief of Velunachiyar?
- ii) What were the martial arts in which she was trained?
- iii) Whom did she marry?
- iv) What was the name of her daughter?

**d) Indian National Congress**

- i) What were the techniques adopted by the Congress to get its grievances redressed?
- ii) What do you know of Lal-Bal-Pal triumvirate?
- iii) Where was the first session of Indian National Congress held?
- iv) How did the British respond to the Swadeshi Movement?

**44. Mark the following places on the given outline map of India.**

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|---------------------------------------|----------------------|
| i) Konkan Coast                       | ii) Godavari         |
| iii) Malwa Plateau                    | iv) Sunderbans       |
| v) State of highest literacy in India | vi) Gangetic plains  |
| vii) Delhi - Kolkata Railway route    | viii) Gulf of Mannar |

**[ OR ] Mark the following places on the given outline map of Tamil Nadu.**

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|----------------------------------|--|
| i) Javadi hills                  | ii) Chembambakkam lake                 |
| iii) Mullai Periyar Dam          | iv) Any one rubber growing area        |
| v) Any one international airport | vi) Trichy to Chennai National Highway |
| vii) Palar                       | viii) Nagapattinam                     |