

ANNUAL EXAMINATION - 2024

9 - STD

Social Science

Time : 3.00 Hrs



Marks : 100

I. Choose the correct answer.

14 x 1 = 14

1. The Earliest signs to denote words through pictures
a) Calligraphy b) picto graphic c) Indeo graphic d) stratigraphic
2. The name of the script used in the Sangam Age
a) English b) Devanagari c) Tamil - Brahmi d) Granta
3. Find the correct statement.
i) The French had occupied Java and Sumatra in 1640.
ii) The Dutch began their conquest of the English settlements by capturing Malacca.
iii) Berlin conference met to decide all issues connected with the Congo River Basin.
iv) The possessions of Sultan of Zanzibar were divided into French and German spheres of influence
a) i is correct b) i & ii are correct c) iii is correct d) iv is correct.
4. Who invented the sewing machine?
a) Elias Howe b) Eli - Whitney c) Samuel Crompton d) Humphrey Davy
5. is seen in the lower course of the river.
a) Rapids b) Alluvial fan c) Delta d) Gorges
6. The coldest biome on Earth is
a) Tundra b) Taiga c) Desert d) Oceans
7. The statistical study of human population is
a) Demography b) Morphology c) Etymology d) Seismography
8. When you happen to see a fire break out you will make a call to
a) 114 b) 112 c) 115 d) 118
9. Abraham Lincoln was the president of the
a) USA b) UK c) USSR d) India
10. According to the UNO a child is a person who has not completed the age of
a) 12 b) 14 c) 16 d) 18
11. The 73rd and 74th constitutional Amendment Act was enacted during the year in
a) 1992 b) 1995 c) 1997 d) 1990
12. is the state with highest installed solar capacity in India.
a) Tamil Nadu b) West Bengal c) Kerala d) Andhra Pradesh
13. Tertiary sector include is
a) Transport b) Insurance c) Banking d) all of these
14. has recorded the maximum number of Emigrants.
a) Ramanathapuram b) Coimbatore c) Chennai d) Vellore

II Answer any 10 questions. Question No. 28 is compulsory. 10 x 2 = 20

15. Write a note on the impact of pastoralism on the prehistoric people in Tamilnadu.
16. Highlight the main contribution of constantine.
17. What were the factors which facilitated urbanization?
18. Explain the composition of three Estates of France.
19. Write a brief note on the various spheres of the Earth.
20. Mention the factors that affect the climate?
21. What is hydrological cycle?
22. Give Abraham Lincoln's definition for Democracy.
23. What are the fundamental rights?
24. Which colour in the signal means stop?
25. What is Solar Power?
26. Give two example for each food crop and non-food crops.
27. Enlist the reasons for migration.
28. What are the components of a map?

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III Answer any 10 questions. Question No. 42 compulsory. 10 x 5 = 50**29. Fill in the blanks.**

- i) was the original name of Japan.
- ii) In 1453 Constantinople was captured by
- iii) Magma is found in the
- iv) is known as the father of local Government.
- v) Tamilnadu receives rainfall all from the monsoon.

30. a) Distinguish between :

- i) Weather and climate. ii) Primary activities and secondary activities.

b) Give reason : Biosphere provides a stable ecosystem.

31. Indicate how the industries and crafts of the Sangam age contribute to their Economy.
32. Examine the outcome of the geographical discoveries.
33. Discuss the Economic impact of British rule in India.
34. Describe the structure of the Earth.
35. Write a paragraph on the functions of an ecosystem.
36. Write three sentences about what to do during fire.
37. Write about the merits of unitary form of Government.
38. Explain in detail : The road safety rules.
39. Explain in detail about the role of RBI in the country.
40. Discuss the pattern of migration.
41. Draw a time line for any five important events between 1780 to 1800.
42. Mark the following places on the given outline map of India.
 i) Kashmir ii) Delhi iii) Bengal iv) Ahmedabad v) Madurai

IV Answer the following questions.**2 x 8 = 16**

43. a) Compare and contrast the principles of Jainism and Buddhism. (OR)
 b) What were the effect of industrial revolution of England on India?
44. a) Mark the following places on the given outline map of world.
 1) Asia 2) North America 3) Southern ocean 4) Benguela current
 5) Gulf stream 6) Sahara Desert 7) Egypt civilisation 8) Himalaya Range
 (OR) b) 1) Europe 2) Alaska current 3) Artic Ocean 4) Indus civilisation
 5) Japan 6) Pacific Ring of fire 7) West Greenland 8) Mongolia