

**ANNUAL EXAMINATION - 2024****8 - STD****SOCIAL SCIENCE**

TIME: 2.30 Hrs

Marks : 100

**I. Choose the correct answer.****14 x 1 = 14**

1. In 1453 Constantinople was captured by .....
  - a. French
  - b. The Turks
  - c. The Dutch
  - d. The Britain
2. When did Hyder Ali crown on the throne of Mysore?
  - a. 1756
  - b. 1761
  - c. 1763
  - d. 1764
3. In which region was the Mahalwari system imposed?
  - a. Maharastra
  - b. Madras
  - c. Bengal
  - d. Punjab
4. Ancient towns are .....
  - a. Harappa and Mohenjodaro
  - b. Delhi and Hyderabad
  - c. Bombay and Calcutta
  - d. None of the above
5. Fossils are found in .....
  - a. Sedimentary rocks
  - b. Igenous rocks
  - c. Metamorphic rocks
  - d. Plutonic rocks
6. The percentage of fresh water on the earth is .....
  - a. 71%
  - b. 97.20%
  - c. 2.80%
  - d. 0.60%
7. War is one of the ..... causes of human migration
  - a. Demographic
  - b. Socio-cultural
  - c. Political
  - d. Economic
8. Actual distribution of population can be represented by .....
  - a. Lines
  - b. Shades
  - c. Dots
  - d. Contours
9. The Governor of a state is appointed by .....
  - a. President
  - b. Vice-president
  - c. Prime Minister
  - d. Chief Minister
10. The UNO declared 1979 as the International year of .....
  - a. Girl Child
  - b. Children
  - c. Women
  - d. None
11. Which of the following Islands belong to India?
  - a. Andaman and Maldives
  - b. Andaman and Lakshadweep Island
  - c. SriLanka and Maldives
  - d. Maldives and Lakshadweep Island
12. The highest and Final judicial tribunal of India is .....
  - a. President
  - b. Parliament
  - c. Supreme Court
  - d. Prime Minister
13. Which is the Bank Money?
  - a. Cheque
  - b. Draft
  - c. Credit and Debit cards
  - d. All the above
14. Mixed economy is the mixture of merits of both .....
  - a. Capitalism
  - b. Socialism
  - c. Capitalism and Socialism
  - d. none of the above

**II. Answer any ten of the following in one or two sentences.****10 x 2 = 20**

15. Write about the importance of coins.
16. What were the causes for the first Mysore war?
17. Write about the drain theory?
18. What is an urban area?
19. Name the prominent leaders who fought for the upliftment of women?
20. State the causes of the ecological or natural migration.
21. Define "hydrological cycle".
22. What is Quinary activity? Elucidate with an example.
23. What is a physical map?

24. How is the Chief Minister appointed?
25. What are the Rights that a citizen can enjoy in our country?
26. What are Human Rights?
27. Short note on E-Banking and E-Money.
28. What does the society want?

**PART - III**

**III. Answer in detail. (any 10)**

**10 x 5 = 50**

**29. Fill in the blanks.**

- i) ..... was called as 'lion' of Sivagangai.
- ii) Landslide is an example of ..... hazard.
- iii) The globe is the true representation of the .....
- iv) Human Rights are ..... rights.
- v) Electronic banking is also known as .....

**30. Match the following.**

- |                                  |   |                |
|----------------------------------|---|----------------|
| i) Jansi                         | - | At the surface |
| ii) University Grants Commission | - | Cyclone        |
| iii) Bombay                      | - | Lakshmi Bai    |
| iv) Low pressure                 | - | Seven Island   |
| v) Infiltration                  | - | 1956           |

**31. State True or False**

- i) Ryotwari system was introduced by Thomas Munro
- ii) Raja Ram Mohan Ray was the pioneer of Indian Social reform movement.
- iii) Mist is not the tiny droplets of water hanging in the air
- iv) Human Rights and Civil Rights are the same
- v) NCC cadats are given basic military training

**32. Distinguish between :**

- i) Metamorphic rock and Sedimentary rock
- ii) Agro based and marine based industries
- iii) **Give Reason :** Fresh water is less on the earth

33. Describe the policy adopted by Lord Dalhousie to expand the British empire in India

34. Describe the Colonial Urban development

35. Trace the role of women in freedom struggle.

36. Give an account on different layers of soil.

37. Write an essay on air pollution.

38. Classify and explain the industries based on the source of raw materials.

39. On what grounds that the Citizenship of a person is cancelled?

40. Write about Paramilitary Defence forces.

41. Write about the role of Judiciary.

42. Write the differences between Public and Private sector.

**PART - IV**

**43. Mark the following places on the outline map of India.**

**1 x 8 = 8**

- i) Delhi ii) Lucknow iii) Meerut iv) Jhansi v) Madurai vi) Chennai vii) Bombay viii) Cochin

**44. Mark the following places on the outline map of World.**

**1 x 8 = 8**

- i) Pacific Ocean ii) Indian Ocean iii) Equator iv) Africa v) Australia  
vi) India vii) Green Land viii) Japan