

ANNUAL EXAMINATION - 2023

STD - IX

SOCIAL SCIENCE

MARKS : 100

TIME : 3.00 Hrs

I. Choose the correct answer :

14 x 1 = 14

1. Sir Robert Bruce Foote, a geologist from England first discovered thetools at Pallavaram near Chennai.
a) Microlithic b) Paleolithic c) Mesolithic d) Neolithic
2. The Sumerian system of writing.....
a) Pictographic b) Hieroglyphic c) Sonogram d) Cuneiform
3. is the greek city - state which resisted the persians to the end.
a) Acropolis b) Sparta c) Athens d) Rome
4. Krishnadevaraya was a contemporary of.....
a) Babur b) Humayun c) Akbar d) Shershah
5. Assertion (A): Workers had rights to get holidays
Reason (R): There were laws to protect the workers
a) A is correct R is wrong b) Both A and R are wrong
c) Both A and R are correct d) A is correct R is not correct explanation of A
6. is the rigid outer layer of the earth
a) Core b) Mantle c) Crust d) inner core
7. The world's deepest sinkhole is china's xianozhai Tienkang at..... feet
a) 2172 b) 3172 c) 1742 d) 5172
8. The is the chief energy source of the earth.
a) Sun b) Moon c) Stars d) Clouds
9. GPS consists of a Constellation of Satellites.
a) 7 b) 24 c) 32 d) 64
10. Which of the following statement is untrue?
a) "Stop, Drop, Roll" is for Fire b) "Drop, Cover, Hold" is for an Earth Quake
c) "If Sea Water recedes back, run to higher places" is for Flood
d) "If Gunshots are heard, Drop to the ground and cover the head with hand" is for Riot.
11. Abraham Lincoln was the President of the.....
a) USA b) USSR c) UK d) India
12. "Apartheid" was followed by.....
a) South Africa b) Congo c) Nigeria d) Egypt
13. Which one of the following country is not a member of SAARC
a) India b) Pakistan c) China d) Bhutan
14. The Currency of Japan
a) Yen b) Dollar c) Mark d) Yuan

II. Answer any 10 of the following briefly (Q.No 28 is Compulsory)

10 x 2 = 20

15. State the Sallent features of the Ziggurats.
16. Highlight the main contribution of constantine.
17. The Great wall of China - Short note.
18. What is Sericulture?
19. Colonel pennycuick. Give a brief account.
20. Write a brief note on the varlous Spheres of the Earth.
21. Write short note on Lapserate.

22. What is hydrological cycle?
23. What do you mean by the term density of population?
24. What is Map?
25. Give Abraham Lincoln's definition for democracy.
26. What are the benefits of wearing helmet while driving?
27. Expand the following: 1) NNP 2) PCI
28. Give two examples for each food crop and non food crop.

III. Answer any 10 of the following. (Q.No 42 is Compulsory)

10 x 5 = 50

29. Fill in the blanks: i) are documents scripted on stones, copper plates, coins and rings.
ii) The Leader of National Assembly of France was..... iii) The Monsoons are.....
iv) National Voters day has been celebrated on..... v) The Nature of employment in india is.....

30. Match the following:

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| i) Pahupali | - | John kay |
| ii) Flying type | - | United Kingdom |
| iii) Air Erosion | - | Tallest Statue |
| iv) Two Party System | - | Wildlife Protection Act |
| v) 1972 | - | Mushroom Rock |

31. The developments in the fields of Agriculture; Pottery and Metal tools are considered a landmark in the life of megalithic period - substantiate - explain.
32. Examine the outcome of the geographical discoveries.
33. Give Reasons: i) Igneous rocks are also called Primary rocks or Mother rocks.
Distinguish: ii) Spring Tide and Neap Tide.
Give Reasons: iii) Map is the basic tool of geographer.
34. Describe the structure of the earth with its diagram.
35. How are clouds classified? Explain them.
36. Write a note on directions with relevant diagram.
37. Discuss merits and demerits of direct election.
38. Explain the "Kuda Olai Murai" and major challenges faced by the local self governments.
39. Mention any five environmental acts and their action.
40. Explain the detail about the role of RBI in the country.
41. Time Line 5 events: 1760 - 1790
42. On the outline map of India Mark the following:
i) Kashmir ii) Sind iii) Bengal iv) Devagiri v) Madurai

IV. Answer the following in essay *YouTube - Akwa Academy* **1 x 8 = 8**

43. i) Compare and Contrast the principles of Jainism and Buddhism (Or)
ii) "Taxation without Representation" Led to the outbreak of American war of Independence.
Explain with some Causes.

V. On the outline map of the world mark the following.

1 x 8 = 8

44. a) 1. Pacific Ocean 2. Artic Ocean 3. Equator 4. East Australian Current
5. Gulf Stream 6. Brazil Current 7. Africa 8. Mozambique Current

(Or)

- b) 1. Pacific Ring fire 2. One Earthquake Zone 3. One Active Valconoes
4. Himalayas 5. One Delta Region 6. One Hot Desert
7. One Cold Desert 8. Mid Atlantic Ridge.