

Class : 8Register
Number**FIRST MID TERM TEST - 2024**

Time Allowed : 1.30 Hours]

SOCIAL SCIENCE

[Max. Marks : 50

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5x1=5

I. Choose the correct Answer.

1. Tranquebar on the Tamil Nadu Coast was a trade centre of the -----
 (a) The Portuguese (b) The British (c) The French (d) The Danish
2. The Battle of Plassey was fought in -----
 (a) 1757 (b) 1764 (c) 1765 (d) 1775
3. The Top layer of Soil is called as
 (a) Organic layer or Lumas (b) Top Soil
 (c) Sub Soil (d) Bed Rock
4. The Earth receives energy from -----
 (a) Current (b) Electro Magnetic Radiation
 (c) Waves (d) Heat
5. The State Council ministers is headed by
 (a) The Governor (b) Chief Minister
 (c) Speaker (d) Home Minister

II. Fill in the blanks

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6. The main cause for the Second Carnatic War was -----
7. Indigo Revolt took place in -----
8. Scientific Study of Rocks is called -----
9. Mist is denser than -----
10. All have right and 28 responsibility Citizens.

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III. Match the following.

11. Isobar - 62 age
 12. Plutonic Rocks - Nominal head
 13. Beaufort Scale - Equal atmospheric Pressure
 14. High Court Judge - HMS Beagle
 15. Governor - Diorite

IV. Answers the questions (any seven)

7x2=14

16. Write about the Importance of Coins?
 17. Write a short note on Black Hole Tragedy.
 18. What were the salient features of the Ryotwari System?
 19. Define : Rock.
 20. What are "Isolines"?
 21. Define "Hydrological Cycle".
 22. Write a short note on Aquifer.
 23. Name the two houses of the State Legislature.
 24. How is the Chief Minister appointed?
 25. Name the types of Citizens.

V. Distinguish between:

1x4=4

26. Metamorphic rock and Sedimentary rocks.
 27. Weather and Climate

VI. Answer in brief: (any three)

3x4=12

28. How did the Portuguese establish their Trading centres in India?
 29. Discuss the Merits and Demerits of the Permanent Settlement.
 30. Classify and Explain the Soil.
 31. Discuss the Powers and Functions of the Chief Minister.
 32. On What grounds that the Citizenship of a person is cancelled?

VII. Map work:

5x1=5

33. On the River map of India mark the following trading centers of the Europeans.

- i) Pondicherry ii) Surat iii) Transquebar
 iv) Mysore v) Bengal

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