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## QUARTERLY EXAMINATION - 2024

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SOCIAL SCIENCE

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Time : 3.00 Hrs

MARKS : 100

## PART- I

I Choose the correct answer.

14 x 1 = 14

- Which country emerged as the strongest in East Asia towards the close of nineteenth century?  
a) China      b) Japan      c) Korea      d) Mongolia
- Where did the US drop its first atomic bomb?  
a) Kavashaki      b) Tokyo      c) Hiroshima      d) Nagasaki
- The United States and European allies formed ..... to resist any Soviet aggression in Europe.  
a) SEATO      b) NATO      c) SENTO      d) Warsaw Pact
- In which year was Sati abolished?  
a) 1827      b) 1829      c) 1826      d) 1927
- Whose voice was Rast Goftar?  
a) Parsi Movement      b) Aligarh Movement  
c) Ramakrishna Mission      d) Dravida Mahajana Sabha
- The Palk Strait and Gulf of Mannar separates India from .....  
a) Goa      b) West Bengal      c) Srilanka      d) Maldives
- ..... is a line joining the place of equal rainfall  
a) Isohyets      b) Isobar      c) Isotherm      d) Latitudes
- ..... is not a part of the world network biosphere reserves of UNESCO.  
a) Nilgiri      b) Agasthiyamalai      c) Great Nicobar      d) Kachch
- Which crop is called as "Golden Fibre" in India  
a) Cotton      b) Wheat      c) Jute      d) Tobacco
- The city which is called as the Manchester of South India is  
a) Chennai      b) Salem      c) Madurai      d) Coimbatore
- Choose the correct statement.  
i) Total members of the Rajya Sabha is 250  
ii) The 12 nominated members shall be chosen by the President from amongst persons experience in the field of literature, science, art and social services  
iii) The members of the Rajya Sabha should not be less than 30 years of age.  
iv) The members of the Rajya Sabha are directly elected by the peoples.  
a) ii & iv are correct      b) iii & iv are correct  
c) i & iv are correct      d) i, ii & iii are correct
- Which one of the following states does not possess a bicameral legislature?  
a) Andhra Pradesh      b) Telangana      c) Tamilnadu      d) Uttar Pradesh
- Who granted the English "Golden Fireman" in 1632  
a) Jahangir      b) Sultan of Golconda      c) Akbar      d) Aurangzeb
- ..... is the only state in India to adopt Universal PDS  
a) Kerala      b) Andhra Pradesh      c) Tamilnadu      d) Karnataka

## PART - II

II Answer any 10 questions. (Q.No. 28 is compulsory).

10 x 2 = 20

- How do you assess the importance of Sino - Japanese war?
- Define "Dollar Imperialism"?
- Who were the three prominent dictators of the post World War I?
- Write a note on Mao's Long March.

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19. List the social evils eradicated by Brahma Samaj.
20. State the west flowing rivers of India.
21. Name the four distinct seasons of India.
22. State any two characteristics of black cotton soil?
23. Define the resource and state its types?
24. What is communication? What are its types?
25. How is President of India elected?
26. What are qualifications for the appointment of Governor?
27. Write any two positive impact of Globalization?
28. Write names of some nutrition programmes in Tamilnadu.

### PART - III

**III Answer any 10 questions. Q.No. 42 is compulsory.**

10 x 5 = 50

29. **Fill in the blanks.**

- i) The secret state police in Nazi Germany was known as .....
- ii) ..... was known as the "Father of Modern China".
- iii) The National Remote Sensing Centre (NRSC) is located at.....
- iv) ..... was elected as the temporary President of the constituent assembly.
- v) ..... is the primary sector in India.

30. Estimate the work done by the league of Nations.

31. Analyse the effect of the World War II.

32. Discuss the circumstances that led to the Reform movements of 19th century.

33. **(A) Distinguish between :-**

- (i) Weather and Climate.
- (ii) Internal trade and International trade.

**(B) Give reasons.**

1) Agriculture is the backbone of India.

34. Give an account on the major Peninsular rivers of India.

35. State any five types of soil in India and explain the characteristics and distribution of soil.

36. Describe the major challenges of Indian Industries.

37. Explain the salient features of the constitution of India.

38. What are the Duties and functions of Prime Minister of India?

39. Briefly explain various terms associated with measuring of National Income.

40. Elaborate the public distribution system.

41. Draw a time line for the following.

Write any five important world events between 1910 and 1940 in the Timeline.

42. Mark the following place on the out line map of the world.

- i) Germany ii) Italy iii) Japan iv) San Francisco v).China

### PART - IV

**IV Answer the following questions.**

2 x 8 = 16

43. a) Trace the circumstances that led to the rise of Hitler in Germany. (OR)

b) Write an essay on the role played by the 19<sup>th</sup> century reformers towards the cause of woman.

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

44. a) i) Thar Desert ii) Deccan Plateau, iii) Mountain Forest  
iv) Direction of South West Monsoon Wind v) Areas of cultivation of cotton  
vi) Andaman and Nicobar Island . vii) Major International Airport (any one)  
(viii) Rann of Kachch (OR)

**B) (i) K2 (ii) Malwa Plateau (iii) Western Ghats**

(iv) Palk Strait (v) Alluvial soil (vi) Kaveri River

(viii) any one Iron ore production centres) (viii) Paradeep

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