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QUARTERLY EXAMINATION - 2024

8 STD. SOCIAL SCIENCE



Time : 3.00 Hrs

Marks : 100

I Choose the correct answer.

14 x 1 = 14

1. Sir William Hawkins belonged to _____.
(a) Portugal (b) Spain (c) England (d) France
 2. Who was the first Indian state to join the subsidiary Alliance?
(a) Awadh (b) Hyderabad (c) Udaipur (d) Gwalior
 3. The Bardoli Satyagraha was led by whom?
(a) Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel (b) Mahatma Gandhi
(c) Digambar Biswas (d) Keshab Chandra Roy
 4. The Palayakkar system was instituted in _____.
(a) 1519 (b) 1520 (c) 1529 (d) 1530
 5. Find out the odd one.
(a) Kattabomman (b) Oomaithurai (c) Sevathaiah (d) Tipu Sultan
 6. Which one of the following is the most widespread most and productive category of soil _____.
(a) Alluvial soil (b) Black soil (c) Red soil (d) Mountain soil
 7. The earth receives energy from _____.
(a) current (b) electro-magnetic radiation (c) waves (d) heat
 8. The process in which the water moves between the oceans, atmosphere and land is called _____.
(a) River Cycle (b) Hydrological Cycle (c) Rock Cycle (d) Life Cycle
 9. The migration in search of fertile agricultural land is _____ migration.
(a) Rural to Rural (b) Rural to Urban (c) Urban to Rural (d) Urban to Urban
 10. The Governor of a state is appointed by _____.
(a) President (b) Vice President (c) Prime Minister (d) Chief Minister
 11. Choose the correct statement:
The State Legislative Assembly participates in the election of _____.
(i) President (ii) Vice President (iii) Rajya Sabha members
(iv) Members of the Legislative Council of the State
(a) i, ii & iii are correct (b) i & iii are correct
(c) i, iii & iv are correct (d) i, ii, iii & iv are correct
 12. Assertion (A): When Pondicherry becomes the part of India in 1962, the people lived there became Indian citizens.
Reason (R): It was done by one of the provisions of the Act of 1955 - by incorporation of Territory.
(a) R is the correct explanation of A (b) R is not the correct explanation of A
(c) A is wrong but R is correct (d) Both A and R is wrong
 13. Right to freedom of religion is related to _____.
(a) Judiciary (b) Parliament (c) Directive principles of State Policy (d) Fundamental rights
 14. 'Money is what money does' stated by _____.
(a) Sir John Hicks (b) Walker (c) Scitovsky (d) Robertson
- II Match the followings.**
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|--------------------------|---|----------------|
| 15. i) St. Louis Fort | - | At the surface |
| ii) Ryotwari System | - | Divine faith |
| iii) Infiltration | - | Pondicherry |
| iv) Widow Remarriage Act | - | Tax evaders |
| v) Din-i-Illahi | - | Madras |
| vi) Black money | - | 1856 |

6 x 1 = 6

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III Fill in the blanks.

16. The treaty of Alinagar was signed in 1757. 5 x 1 = 5
 17. Anna Marudhu was called as 'lion of Sivagangai'.
 18. The degree of water vapour present in the atmosphere is known as Humidity.
 19. Our Indian constitution provides for only Single citizenship.
 20. Online banking is also known as Net Banking. 5 x 1 = 5

IV True / False.

21. Ananda Rangam was a translator served under British. False
 22. Warren Hastings introduced quinquennial (five-yearly) land settlement. True
 23. The atmosphere is a layer of gases surrounding the earth. True
 24. Slums are generally found in cities. True
 25. The Governor nominates two members of the Anglo- Indian Community to Legislative Assembly. False

V Distinguish.

26. Metamorphic rock and Sedimentary rock 5 x 2 = 10
 27. Soil conservation and Soil erosion
 28. Weather and Climate
 29. Absolute humidity and Relative humidity
 30. Permanent winds and Seasonal winds.

VI Give reasons.

31. Chemical sedimentary rocks are found in the beds of reservoirs. 5 x 1 = 5
 32. Temperature decreases with increase in altitude.
 33. Mountain climbers carry oxygen cylinders while ascending peaks.
 34. Infiltration of water is low in the region of non - porous soil.
 35. Fresh water is less on the earth.

VII Give short answers (Any 10 Questions).

36. Write about the importance of Coins. 10 x 2 = 20
 37. Mention the causes for the Battle of Buxar.
 38. Bring out the effects of the Mahalwari settlement.
 39. What was the part of Velu Nachiyar in the Palayakkarrar revolt?
 40. How are igneous rocks formed?
 41. What is meant by 'Atmospheric pressure'?
 42. Write a short note on Aquifer.
 43. Define 'Migration'.
 44. How is the Chief Minister appointed?
 45. What are the Rights that a citizen can enjoy in our country?
 46. Name some of the Indians who contributed to spread of secularism.
 47. What are the recent forms of money?

VIII Answer the following questions in detail.

48. Describe the policy adopted by Lord Dalhousie to expand the British Empire in India. 4 x 5 = 20
 (OR) What do you know about the Puli Thevar?
 49. Explain the process of soil formation. (OR)
 Discuss the problems of urbanisation.
 50. On what grounds that the citizenship of a person is cancelled? (OR)
 Why we need secular education?
 51. Write about the evolution of Money. (OR)
 Explain the types of bank Deposits.

IX Mark the following places in an India out line map.

- (i) Delhi (ii) Jhansi (iii) Champaran (iv) Barrackpore (v) Bombay 10 x 1 = 10
 (vi) Calicut (vii) Pulicat (viii) Pondicherry (ix) Tranquebar (x) Indian Ocean

X Mark the following places in a World map.

- (i) India (ii) Europe (iii) Atlantic Ocean (iv) Arctic circle (v) Torrid zone 5 x 1 = 5