

Class : 10Register
Number**COMMON HALF YEARLY EXAMINATION 2024 -25**

Time Allowed : 3.00 Hours]

SOCIAL SCIENCE

[Max. Marks : 100

14x1=14

I. Choose the correct answer.

PART - I

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1. Who said "imperialism is the highest stage of capitalism"?
(a) Lenin (b) Marx (c) Sun Yat-sen (d) Mao Tsetung
2. Where did the US drop its first atomic bomb?
(a) Kavashaki (b) Innoshima (c) Hiroshima (d) Nagasaki
3. Whose voice was Rast Goftar?
(a) Parsi Movement (b) Aligarh Movement
(c) Ramakrishna Mission (d) Dravida Mahajana Sabha
4. Who declared that "Land belongs to God" and collecting rent or tax on it was against divine law?
(a) Titu Mir (b) Sidhu (c) Dudu Mian (d) Shariatullah
5. _____ established a full - fledged printing press in 1709, at Tranquebar.
(a) Caldwell (b) F.W. Ellis (c) Ziegenbalg (d) Meenakshisundaram
6. A landmass bounded by sea on three sides is referred to as_____
(a) Coast (b) Island (c) Peninsula (d) Strait
7. _____ helps in quick ripening of mangoes along the coast of Kerala and Karnataka.
(a) Loo (b) Norwester (c) Mango showers (d) Jet stream
8. Which crop is called as "Golden Fibre" in India?
(a) Cotton (b) Wheat (c) Jute (d) Tobacco
9. The most abundant source of energy is
(a) Bio mass (b) Sun (c) Coal (d) Oil
10. The wettest place in Tamil Nadu.
(a) Kalakkadu (b) Hogenakkal (c) Chinnakallar (d) Killiyur
11. How many times has the Preamble to the Constitution of India amended?
(a) Once (b) Twice (c) Thrice (d) Never
12. Mc Mahon Line is a border between
(a) Burma and India (b) India and Nepal (c) India and China (d) India and Bhutan
13. _____ is the only state in India to adopt universal PDS.
(a) Kerala (b) Andhra Pradesh (c) Tamil Nadu (d) Karnataka
14. Income tax was introduced in india for the first time in the year _____.
(a) 1860 (b) 1870 (c) 1880 (d) 1850

PART - II

II. Give answer any 10 questions.(Question no is 28 Compulsory)

10x2=20

15. Define " Dollar Imperialism."
16. Write a note on Third World Countries..
17. Write a note on reforms of Ramalinga Adigal.
18. What are the duties of Palayakkarars?
19. Why was the Simon Commission boycotted?
20. Name the areas which receive heavy rainfall.
21. Name the different types of coal with their carbon content.
22. What is migration? State its types.
23. What is 'Teri'?

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24. What are the classical languages in India?
 25. List out the member countries of SAARC .
 26. What is Fair trade ?
 27. What is Entrepreneurship?
 28. Define - Equable climate

PART - III

III. Give answer any 10 questions.(Question no is 42 Compulsory)

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29. Fill in the blanks.

- i) Locarno Treaty was signed in the year -----
 ii) ----- was the first non- European language that went into print.
 iii) Sathanur dam is constructed across the river -----
 iv) ----- is known as the Land of thunderbolt.
 v) ----- is an important indicator of nutrition deficiency

30. Analyse the effects of World War – II.

31. Outbreak of the Vellore Revolt in 1806.

32. Estimate Periyar E.V.R's decisive contribution to the social transformation of Tamil Nadu.

33. (a) Distinguish between:

- i) Western Ghats and Eastern Ghats
 ii) Food Crops and Non – Food Crops

(b) Give Reason : Agriculture is the backbone of India.

34. Give and account on the major peninsular rivers.

35. What is Multipurpose projects and write about any two Multipurpose projects of India .

36. What is urbanization? Explain its problems..

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

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

39. What are the methods of calculating Gross Domestic Product? and explain

40. Write the structure of GST.

41. Time Line : Draw a Time Line between 1920 - 1940 and write any five important events .

42. Mark the following places on the India map .

- (i) Meerat (ii) Amristar (iii) Jansi (iv) Vedaranyam (v) Barackpoore

PART – IV

IV. Answer the following questions.

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43. (a) Examine the factors that led to the transformation of Gandhi into a mass leader.

(OR)

(b) Write an account on river Cauvery.

44. (a) Mark the following places on the India map .

- (i) Aravalli Range (ii) mt , K2 (iii) Coramantal Coastal
 (iv) High population density area (v) Chottanagpur Plateau (vi) Godavari river
 (vii) Lakhshadweeps (viii) Kanjanjunga (Biosphere)

(OR)

(b) Mark the following places on the Tamilnadu map .

- (i) Thamirabarani river (ii) Agasthiyar malai (iii) Dodda Betta
 (iv) The Textile capital of Tamil Nadu (v) Mettur Dam (vi) Thoothukudi
 (vii) Gulf of mannar (viii) Neyveli

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