



MODEL PAPER

SOCIAL STUDIES



Time : 3.15 Hrs

Max. Marks : 100

Instructions :

1. 15 minutes are allotted for reading the question paper in addition to 3:00 hours for writing the answers.
2. All answers should be written in the separate answer booklet.
3. There are four sections in the questions.
4. There is internal choice in Section - IV.
5. Write answers should be visible and legible.

SECTION - I

Note : 1. Answer all questions.

2. Each question carries 1 mark.

(12×1=12 Marks)

1. The peninsular plateau consists of three divisions.

a. Malwa plateau b. Chotanagpur plateau c. ?

Name the third division.

2. Which is the origin of Godavari ?

3. What is called "an environment's source function" ?

4. This is an improvement over GDP and per capita income.

(A) HDI

(B) RBI

(C) SBI

(D) HDA

5. Which of the following is the correct statement ?

Statement 1 : Service activities don't directly produce any good.

Statement 2 : Services are required in production and other services for people.

(A) Both the statements are correct

(B) Both the statements are wrong

(C) Both statements are correct and statement 2 is the correct explanation for 1

(D) Statement 1 is correct but statement 2 is wrong.

6. Expand DDT.

7. It is a commemoration of great tragedy, in which thousands of people lost their lives. The place it occurred is

Bhuz, Delhi, Bhopal

8. What is the meaning of the Chinese word "San" ?



9. Based on the relationship between the information in the first pair, complete the second pair.
Yuri Gagarin : Russia : : ? : India
10. Expand IAS.
11. Find out the wrongly matched pair and write it in your answer sheet.
(i) Versailles Treaty - 1919
(ii) USSR - 1925
(iii) British Women right to Vote - 1918
12. Who were the members of Triple Entente ?

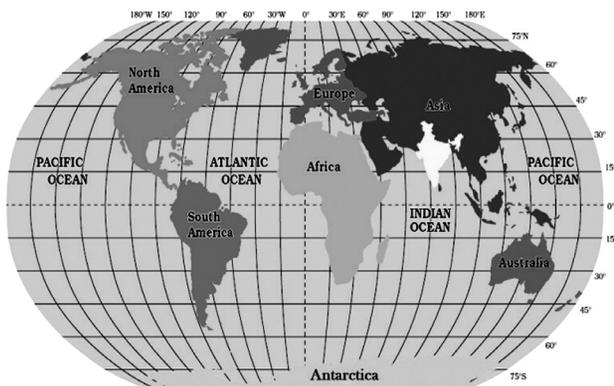
SECTION - II

Note : 1. Answer all questions.

2. Each question carries 2 Marks.

(8×2=16 Marks)

13. Look at the world map given and write a few lines about India's location with reference to the places marked on this map.



14. Why is the water polluted in the river basin of Tungabhadra ?
15. What is Globalisation ?
16. Define Census.
17. Write the features of Federal system.
18. What did the Congress expect before the World War-II ?
19. What was called the 'Zionist Movement' ?
20. Write about the Right to Information Act.

SECTION - III

Note : 1. Answer all questions.

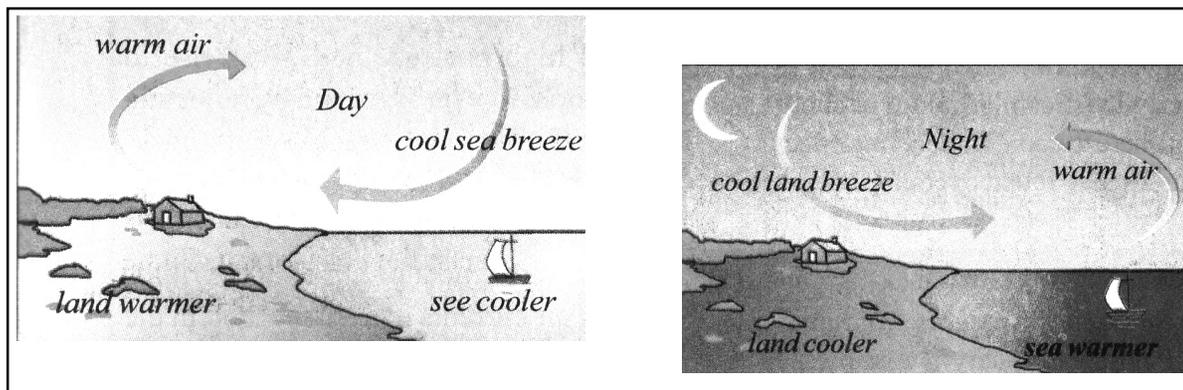
2. Each question carries 4 Marks.

(8×4=32 Marks)

21. What can be done so that migrants are able to get food, health and family care programmes ?
22. Today, why is there a need of expansion of non-farm activities in rural areas ?

23. "Labour is an essential item for production." Read the statement and interpret it.

24. Study the picture and answer the question.



How does this 'moderate' the temperature of such a place ?

25. Explain the supremacy of Supreme Court in India.

26. Prepare a pamphlet on the importance of Environment.

27. Why did the black Americans begin the Civil Rights Movements in 1960s ?

28. Write short notes on Tashkent agreement and Shimla agreement.

SECTION - IV

- Note :**
1. Answer all questions.
 2. Answer any one from internal choice of each question.
 3. Each question carries 8 Marks. (5×8=40 Marks)

29. Which are the major physiographic divisions of India ? Contrast the relief of the Himalayan region with that of the peninsular plateau.

(OR)

Delhi has grown in an unplanned manner. Do you agree with this statement ?

30. Some regions are extremely biased against women. How can we come out of gender discrimination ?

(OR)

Observe the given table and answer the following questions :

1. GDP	market value of all final goods and services produced
2. More than half of the workers	are in the agricultural sector but provide only one sixth of GDP
3. Industry and service sectors	provide three fourth of the GDP
4. Population of India in 2011 is 1.2 billion	460 billion people are workers out of 1.2 billion persons
5. India's GDP grew only by	5 per cent in 2012-13

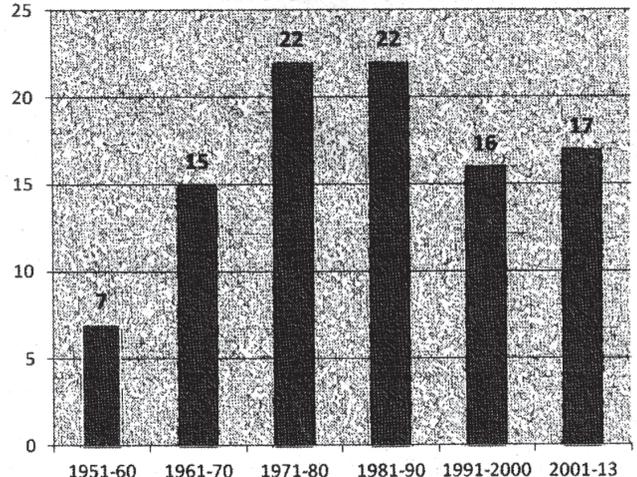
- a) India's GDP grew more than 10% in 2012 - 13. Is it True or False ?
- b) How many workers are there in India according to 2011 census ?
- c) What is GDP ?
- d) What is the contribution of industry and service sector to the GDP ?

31. In what ways was the Emergency period a set back to the Indian democracy ?

(OR)

Observe the Bar graph given below and answer the following questions.

- a) In which decade the most number of constitutional amendments took place ?
- b) How many more number of amendments took place in the decade 1971-80 when compared to 1961-70 ?
- c) How many amendments were made between 1950-2013 ?
- d) In which decade the lowest (least) amendments were made?



32. Why did West Asia become a center of tensions in the world ?

(OR)

Explain the Meira Paibi Movement.

33. Locate the following in the outline map of India.

- (a) The delta of River Ganges.
- (b) The strait separating India from Sri Lanka.
- (c) The place on three seas.
- (d) The Aaravalli range

(OR)

The usage to find a sea route to the East was there in Europe. Portugal was the leader, who sent a lot of expeditions. Some have reached upto Cape of Goodhope. Nobody dared to sail West, hence America was in dark. But the Europeans came to know about Egypt.

Locate the underlined places in the outline map of the world given.
