

MODEL QUESTION PAPER FOR CLASS X

SUBJECT: SOCIAL SCIENCE

CLASS: 10TH

TIME: 3 HRS

M. MARKS: 80

SECTION-A

1 Mark x 20 = 20 Marks

1. Do as directed:

i) When did German Unification take place?

- a) 1869 A.D b) 1871 A.D c) 1873 A.D d) 1875 A.D

ii) Which Indian city is associated with Jallaiwalla Bagh Tragedy?

- a) Agra b) Kanpur c) Amritsar d) Delhi

iii) Tea cultivation is an example of agriculture.

iv) The Congress split at Surat in:

- a) 1905 b) 1907 c) 1909 d) 1910

v) The Constitution of Jammu and Kashmir was adopted inyear.

vi) Which one of the following is not a Kharif Crop?

- a) Wheat b) Rice c) Maize d) None of these

vii)..... was the literary journal of Cultural Congress.

viii) When was the first Jute Mill established in India?

- a) 1854 b) 1914 c) 1855 d) None of these

ix) Democracy is based on the ideas of:

- a) Freedom b) Negotiation c) Deliberation d) Both a) and b)

(True/False)

x) SAIL is a public sector industry.

xi) What is the main problem in the present industrialization of India?

a) Rural b) Capital c) Transfer d) None of these

xii) Which country in South Asia never had a democratic government?

a) Bhutan b) India c) Sri Lanka d) Myanmar

xiii) What is the full form of SDRF?

xiv) The Jammu Region is also known as land of:

a) Temples b) Gompas c) Scenic beauty d) Chota Kashmir

xv) NDMA stands for.....

xvi) Which of the following is not a natural disaster?

a) Floods b) Earthquake c) Fire d) Landslide

xvii) administers the UT of Jammu and Kashmir.

xviii) MSME stands for.....

xix) How many states are there in India?

a) 27 b) 28 c) 29 d) 30

xx) Dal Lake is situated in.....

Section-B**3 Marks x 10=30 Marks**

2. Why Gandhiji decided to withdraw the Non-Cooperation Movement.
3. What is meant by Bretton Woods Agreement?

Or

Why did industrial production in India increase during the First World War?

4. Explain the consequences of Great Depression.

Or

Why did some industries in 19th century Europe prefer hand labour over machines?

5. What steps can be taken to control soil erosion in the hilly areas?
6. Describe the important features of rice cultivation.
7. Classify the following subjects under the union, state and concurrent lists:
Defence, Police, Agriculture, Atomic energy, Marriages, Banking, Trade
8. What are the various challenges faced by the political parties?
9. How employment potential in Jammu and Kashmir can be increased?
10. What should be the approach to help a fire burnt patient?
11. Mention different aspects of life in which women are discriminated in India.

SECTION-C**5 Marks x 5=25 Marks**

12. What steps did the French revolutionaries take to create a sense of collective identity among the French people?
13. Write in detail different types of soil found in India.
14. Define Minerals. What are various metallic and non-metallic minerals found in Jammu and Kashmir?
15. Discuss different forms of power sharing in modern democracies? Give an example of each of these.
16. Read the extract and answer the questions:

Print culture has popularized the ideas of enlightenment thinkers. The writings of these thinkers such as Thomas Paine, Voltaire and Rousseau were widely printed and read during the times. Collectively, their writings provided a critical commentary on tradition, superstition and despotism. They argued for the rule of reason rather than custom and demanded that everything

be judged through the application of reason and rationality. They attacked the sacred authority of the church and the despotic power of the state, thus eroding the legitimacy of a social order based on tradition. The writings of Voltaire and Rousseau were read widely: and those who read these books saw the world through new eyes, which were critical and rational.

Questions:

- (a) Discuss in brief the effectiveness of print culture.
- (b) Do you agree that scientific ideas were circulated through print, if yes, discuss.
- (c) To what extent did the print culture has paved the way for French revolution.

SECTION-D

5 Marks

(Map Based Question)

17.a) Indicate the following in a given outline map of India:

Port Kandla, North-South Corridor, Railway line from Delhi to Kolkata

b) On the outline map of the world shade and label any two non-federal countries.