

FIRST TERM EVALUATION - 2019
SOCIAL SCIENCE

Standard : X

Time : 2½ Hours

Total Score : 80

Instructions :

- Fifteen minute is cool off time.
- Read the questions and instructions carefully before writing the answers.
- While answering the questions, consider score and time.

Answer any seven questions from Qn. 1 to 8.**Each carries 2 scores (7x2 = 14)**

1. Identify the revolutions related to the following slogans.
 - A. No taxation without representation
 - B. Liberty, equality and fraternity
2. Based on aggressive nationalism Pan Slav movement was formed in the twentieth century. Name such other aggressive nationalist movements.
3. Friction is one of the factors that influences the speed and direction of wind. Mention the other factors.
4. 'Increase in production and progress of a country can be accelerated only if the human resource is developed to the maximum'. Write any two levels of human resource development.
5. Write the main objectives of the Right to Information Act.
6. What will be the time at Greenwich when it is 4 pm on Wednesday in India?
7. Identify the statements related to autumn season from the following.
 - The transition from summer to winter
 - The transition from winter to summer
 - Plants sprout and bloom
 - Trees shed their leaves.
8. After the disintegration of Soviet Union, America adopted several strategies to establish its dominance over the world. List out the strategies.

Answer any six questions from Qn. 9 to 15.

Each carries 3 scores (6x3 = 18)

9. What is Mercantilism? Write any two Mercantilist laws.
10. Elucidate the characteristic features of International Date Line.
11. Human resource development makes possible the development and use of advanced technology. What are the other advantages of human resource development?
12. Explain the structure of Indian Civil Service?
13. State the impacts caused by the economic depression of 1929 upon the world.
14. Mention the factors responsible for the formation of monsoon winds.
15. How do the system of Ombudsman is useful to the public?

Answer any nine questions from Qn. 16 to 25.

Each carries 4 scores (9x4 = 36)

16. Match the items in column 'A' with the appropriate items from column 'B'.

A	B
Yasser Arafat	Soviet Union
Gorbachev	Palestine Liberation Organization
Ahmed Sukarno	Gestapo
Adolf Hitler	Non-Aligned Movement

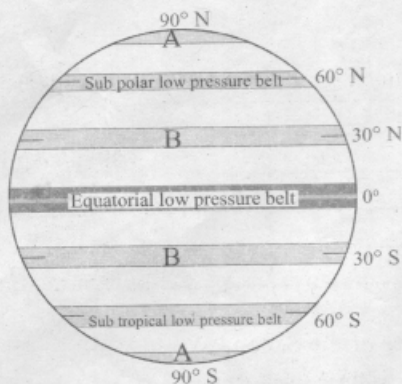
17. What are the consequences of the Second World War?
18. Describe 'Utharayanam' and 'Dakshinayanam'.
19. Compare the functions of Lokpal and Lokayuktha.
20. How did colonisation affect the life of the natives of Latin America?
21. Complete the table related to local winds.

Loo	(A).....
Foehn	(B).....
(C)	Sahara desert
(D)	Rocky mountains

22. (a) What is standard time?
 (b) Mention the longitude based on which the standard time of India is estimated.
 (c) What is the significance of standard time?
23. How does education help the development of a country?
24. Nazism is the German version of Fascism. Substantiate the statement.
25. Discuss the need for population studies?

Answer the questions 26 & 27.
Each carries 6 scores (2x6 = 12)

26. Answer the following questions related to Global Pressure Belts.



- i) Name the pressure belts marked as 'A' and 'B' in the diagram
- ii) Explain the formation of sub polar low pressure belt.
- iii) The equatorial low pressure belt was a nightmare for the ancient mariners. Why?

OR

Explain the following planetary winds based on hints.

- Trade winds
- Westerlies
- Polar easterlies

(Hints : Direction, Pressure belts)

27 Explain briefly the causes of the French Revolution

Hints :

- Autocratic rule
- Social inequalities
- Influence of thinkers

OR

Explain how China became a People's Republic.

Hints :

- The revolution under the leadership of Sun Yat Sen
- The rule of Chiang Kai-Shek
- The revolution led by Mao Zedong.