

CLASS : 10

Part - I

Marks : 100

(Marks : 14)

14X1=14

Note : (i) Answer all the 14 questions

(ii) Choose the most suitable answer from the given four alternatives and write the option code with the corresponding answer

1. Who said "imperialism is the highest stage of capitalism"?
a) Lenin b) Marx c) Sun Yat-sen d) Mao Tsetung
2. To which country did the first Secretary General of League of Nations belong?
a) Britain b) France c) Dutch d) USA
3. Choose the correct statement
Assertion: A new wave of economic nationalism which expressed itself in protectionism affected the world trade.
Reason: This was because the USA was not willing to provide economic aid to the debtor countries.
a) Both A and R are correct b) A is right but R is not the correct explanation
c) Both A and R are wrong d) R is right but it has no relevance to A
4. In which party did Mussolini join?
a) Fascist Party b) Nazist Party c) Communist Party d) Labour Party
5. A landmass bounded by sea on three sides is referred to as _____.
a. Coast b. Island c. Peninsula d. Strait
6. Which is the capital of Andaman and Nicobar Islands?
a) Kavaratti b) Pondicherry c) Port Blair d) Diu and Daman
7. _____ is a line joining the places of equal rainfall.
a) Isohyets b) Isobar c) Isotherm d) Latitudes
8. Pick the odd one out
a) Khadar b) Bhangar c) Alluvial soil d) Black soil
9. Find the odd one out.
(a) Right to Equality (b) Right against Exploitation
(c) Right to Property (d) Cultural and Educational Rights
10. We borrowed the Fundamental Duties from the
(a) American Constitution (b) Canadian Constitution
(c) Russian Constitution (d) Irish Constitution
11. Who among the following decides whether a Bill is a Money Bill or not?
a) The President b) Attorney General
c) Parliamentary Affairs Minister d) Speaker of Lok Sabha
12. First Women President of India
a) Sarojini Naidu b) Fathima Beevi c) *Pratibha Patil* d) Indira Gandhi
13. Primary sector consist of
a) Agriculture b) Automobiles c) Trade d) Banking
14. Which one sector is highest employment in the GDP.
a) Agricultural sector b) Industrial sector c) Service sector d) None of the above.

PART-II

(Marks : 20)

10X2=20

Answer any 10 questions. Question No. 28 is compulsory.

15. What do you know of trench warfare?
16. Name the countries in the Triple Entente.
17. List out any two causes for the failure of the League of Nations .
18. Discuss the importance of Ottawa Economic Summit.
19. How did Great Depression impact on the Indian Agriculture?
20. Give the importance of IST.
21. Write a brief note on the island group of Lakshadweep.
22. Write a short note on 'Monsoon wind'?
23. Name the areas which receive heavy rainfall.
24. What is Writ ?
25. Write short note: Money Bill.
26. Define National Income .
27. What is Per capita Income?
28. Write the latitudinal and longitudinal extend of India.

PART - III

(Marks : 50))

10X5=50

Answer any 10 questions. Question No. 42 is compulsory,

29. Fill in the blanks:

- i). Japan entered into an alliance with England in the year -----
- ii). The founder of the Social Democratic Party was -----
- iii). The highest peak in South India is -----
- iv). _____ was elected as the temporary President of the Constituent Assembly.
- v). Secondary sector otherwise called as _____.

30. a) Distinguish between:

- i). Weather and Climate
- ii). Western Ghats and Eastern Ghats.

b) Give reason: Western Coastal plain is narrow.

31. Discuss the main causes of the First World War.
32. Highlight the provisions of the Treaty of Versailles relating to Germany .
33. Explain the divisions of Northern Mountains and its importance to India .
34. Write about South West Monsoon .
35. Explain the salient features of the Constitution of India .
36. Mention the differences between Fundamental Rights and Directive Principles of State Policy .
37. Describe the Executive and Judicial powers of the President of India .
Executive Powers :
38. Critically examine the Powers and Functions of the Parliament.
39. Briefly explain various terms associated with measuring of National Income.
40. Write about the composition of GDP in India .

Note: Blind Candidates have to write only notes for the questions related to Time Line

41. Draw time line for the following: Write any five important events between 1920 - 1940.

42. **Mark the following places on the India map.**

- i) Great Britain
- ii) Italy
- iii) Turkey
- iv) Morocco
- v) Greece

PART-IV

(Marks : 16)

2X8 = 16

Answer both questions:

43. A). i) Estimate the work done by the League of Nations .

ii) Attempt a narrative account of how the process of decolonization happened in India during the inter-war period (1919-39).

OR

B). Write an account of Versailles Treaty and criticism of the peace settlement.

Note: Blind Candidates have to write only notes for the questions related to Map

44. **Mark the following places on the given outline map of India:**

- i) ARAVALLI RANGE
- ii) LAKSHADWEEP
- iii) Mt.EVEREST
- iv) CHILKA LAKE
- v) DECCAN PLATEAU
- vi) THAR DESERT
- vii) WESTERN COASTAL PLAIN
- viii) DIRECTION OF NORTH EAST MONSOON

(OR)

i) MAWSYNRAM

ii) GULF OF MANNAR

iii) MALWA PLATEAU

iv) MALABAR COAST

v) THE AREA RECEIVING LESSTHAN50CM OF RAIN FALL

vi) KARA KORAM RANGE

vii) K2

viii) ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS