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FORMATIVE ASSESSMENT –I (2016-17)

CLASS: X : SOCIAL SCIENCE

TIME: 1.30 Hours

MARKS: 40

General Instructions:

1. The question paper has **15** questions in all.
2. Marks are indicated against each question.
3. Questions from Sl.No. **1** to 6 are **MCQ**. Each question carries **one mark**.
4. Question from Sl.No. 7 to **11** are **three mark** question. Answer of these questions should not exceed 80 words each.
5. Question from Sl.No. **12** to **14** are **five mark** question. Answer of these questions should not exceed 120 words each.
6. Question No. **15** is a **Map** question of **three** marks from Geography. After completion attach the map inside your answer book.

1. A form of government which literally means “rule by the people” 1m
 - a) Monarchy
 - b) Autocracy
 - c) Democracy
 - d) None of the above
2. 59 per cent of Belgium people lives in Flemish region and speaks _____ 1m
 - a) Dutch
 - b) French
 - c) German
 - d) English
3. Development should take place without damaging the environment and development in the present should not compromise with the needs of the future generations is called as 1m
 - a) National Resource
 - b) International Resource
 - c) Sustainable Economic Development
 - d) Faster Economic Development
4. Which one of the following soil is the best for cotton cultivation? 1m
 - a) Red soil
 - b) Black Soil
 - c) Laterite soil
 - d) Alluvial soil
5. What are the subjects belongs to Union List 1m
 - a) Forests & Education
 - b) Banking & Defence
 - c) Police & Agriculture
 - d) Marriages & Communication
6. Power shared by two or more political parties 1m
 - a) Community Government
 - b) Coalition Government
 - c) Separation of Powers
 - d) Federal Government
7. Distinguish between renewable and non-renewable resources. 3m
8. Why power sharing is desirable? Give one reason. 3m
9. What are the different forms of power sharing in modern democracies?
Give an example of each of these. 3m

10. What is federalism? 3m
11. What is the main difference between a federal form of government and a unitary one? 3m
12. State one prudential reason and one moral reason for power sharing. 5m
13. What type of soil is found in the river deltas of the eastern coast? Give three main features of this type of soil. 5m
14. What are the key features of federalism? Explain briefly. 5m
15. On a **Outline map of India** mark major soil types given below 4m
- a) Alluvial soil
 - b) Red and Yellow soil
 - c) Black soil
 - d) Arid soil



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1	Power Sharing (POLITICAL SCI.)	2	2	1		5	13
2	Resources and Development (GEOGRAPHY)	2	1	1	1	5	14
4	Federalism (Political Sci.)	2	2	1		5	13
TOTAL		6	5	3	1	15	40