

KENDRIYA VIDYALAYA KHAMMAM
FORMATIVE ASSESSMENT –I (2015-16)

CLASS: VIII

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 is MCQ. Each question carries *one mark*.
4. Questions from Sl.No. 7 to 11 are *THREE mark* questions. Answers of these questions should not exceed 80 words each.
5. Questions from Sl.No. 12 to 14 are *FIVE mark* questions. Answers of these questions should not exceed 120 words each.
6. Question No. 15 is a *Map* question of FOUR marks. After completion attach the map inside your answer book.

1. Who wrote the book "The History of British India"? 1m
 - a) Jawaharlal Nehru
 - b) Mahatma Gandhi
 - c) James Mill
 - d) Sarojini Naidu
2. The first Governor General of India was _____ 1m
 - a) Robert Clive
 - b) Warren Hasting
 - c) Cornwallis
 - d) Munro
3. Resources which get exhausted and cannot be renewed is called as 1m
 - a) Renewable Resources
 - b) Physical Resources
 - c) Non-renewable Resources
 - d) Replenishable Resources
4. Which one of the following is a human made resource? 1m
 - a) Spring water
 - b) Medicines to treat cancer
 - c) Tropical forest
 - d) Mountains
5. Indian constitution was adopted and enforced on 1m
 - a) 26th November 1949
 - b) 26th November 1946
 - c) 15th August 1947
 - d) 26th January 1950
6. Our constitution is written by 1m
 - a) Srikrishna Committee
 - b) Simon Commission
 - c) Drafting Committee
 - d) None of the above
7. Why did the British preserve official documents? 3m
8. What is sustainable development? 3m
9. Why are resources distributed unequally over the Earth? 3m
10. What is the importance of the '**right against exploitation**'? 3m
11. Give a list of Fundamental Rights. 3m
12. Explain the system of '**Subsidiary Alliance**'. 5m

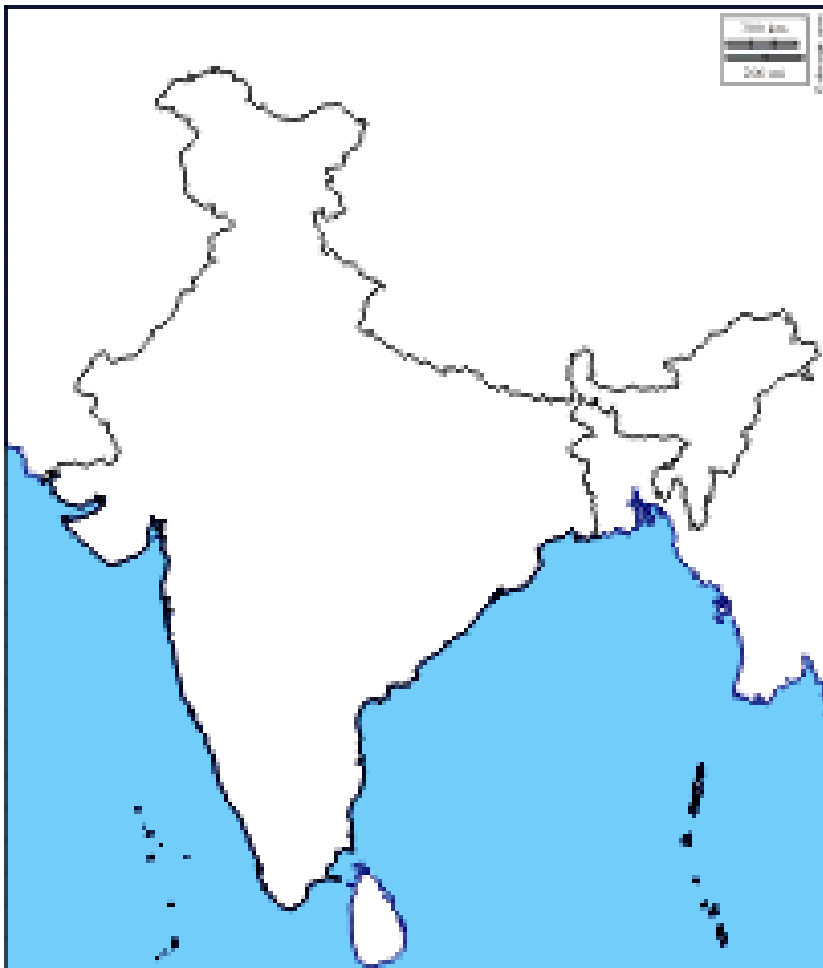
13. Answer the following briefly:

- i). Why are human resource important? 3m
- ii). Differentiate between Potential and Actual resources 2m

14. Explain briefly about the four features of the Indian Constitution. 5m

15. Map-pointing: (Choose the correct answer & point on the **India Outline map**) 4m

- i) The first major victory of the Company by Robert Clive in 1757 **(Buxar / Plassey)**
- ii) Tipu Sultan was the ruler of **(Mysore / Hyderabad)**
- iii) A city developed on the banks of Hugli river. **(Bombay / Calcutta)**
- iv) One of the presidencies of the Company in the South India. **(Madras / Awadh)**



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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	How, When & Where; From Trade to Territory (HISTORY)	2	1	1	4	8	14
2	Resources (GEOGRAPHY)	2	2	1		5	13
3	The Indian Constitution (CIVICS)	2	2	1		5	13
TOTAL		6	5	3	4	18	40

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