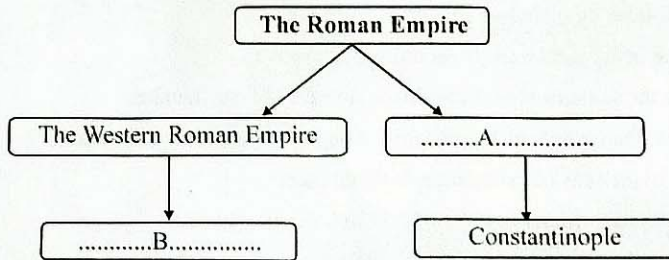Time : 2½ hrs
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INSTRUCTIONS

- First 15 minutes is cool off time.
- Read the questions and instructions carefully before writing the answers.
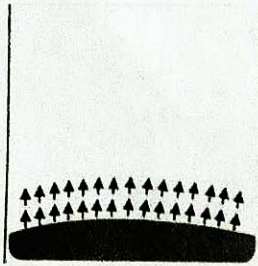- While answering the questions, consider score and time.

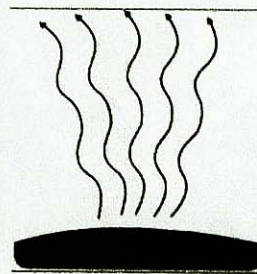**Answer any 7 from questions 1 to 8. Each carries 2 score.**   (7 × 2 = 14)

1. Complete the chart.

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                    The Roman Empire
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  The Western Roman Empire      ..........A..............
            |                           |
    ..........B.............        Constantinople
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2. What are lithospheric plates? Name the largest lithospheric plate.

3. Name the Italian cities that minted their own coins in the medieval world.

4. Write the names of any two civilizations that prevailed in medieval America.

5. Name the processes of heat transfer represented by the given pictures.

................A...................   ....B...................

6. Mention any two methods for estimating national income.

7. Complete the table related to the universities in medieval Europe.

Universities	Country
Cambridge	England
.........A..........	Turkey
Cordova	.........B...............

8. Fundamental Rights and their protection are very important in a democratic country. Substantiate this statement.

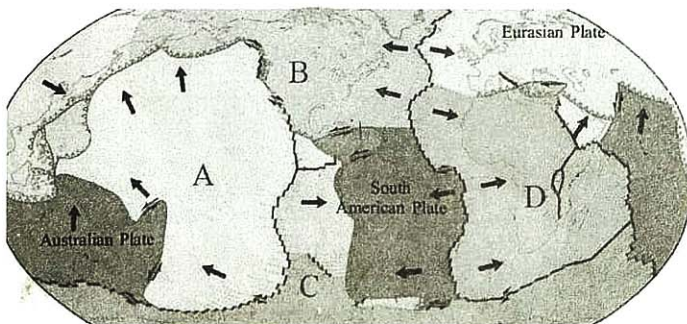**Answer any 6 from questions 9 to 15. Each carries 3 score.** (6 × 3 =18)

9. Explain the characteristics of the Code of Justinian.

10. Define:

    (a) Diurnal range of temperature.

    (b) Isotherms

    (c) Daily mean temperature.

11. Write the importance of Timbuktu, being the cultural centre of medieval Africa.

12. How are volcanoes useful to man?

13. Mention any three examples for the technological know - how acquainted by the Europeans through their Arab contact.

14. Answer the following questions related to earthquakes.

    (a) Name the instrument used to record seismic waves.

    (b) Mention the scale used to measure the intensity of earthquakes.

    (c) Name the deep points inside the earth from where earthquakes occur.

15. What are the objectives of calculating national income?

Answer any 9 from questions 16 to 25. Each carries 4 score. (9 × 4 = 36)

16. Classify and explain the clouds based on their form.

17. Write the features of the administrative system introduced by Genghis Khan.

18. Identify the Lithospheric plates marked as A, B, C & D in the given diagram.
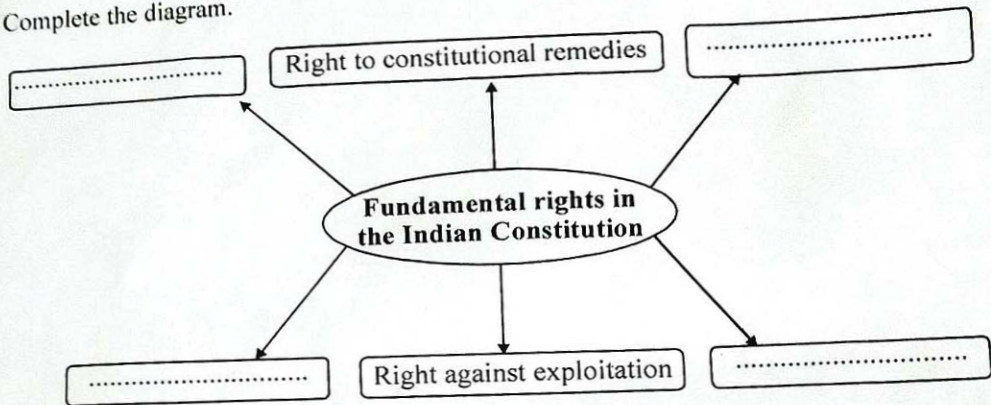

19. Compare orographic rain and convectional rain.

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

A	B
Rajatharangini	St. Augustine
City of God	Jayadeva
The Rubaiyyat	Kalhana
Geethagovindam	Omar Khayyam

21. Explain the factors influencing the distribution of atmospheric temperature.

22. List out the characteristics of the medieval European cities.

23. What are the measures to mitigate the impact of Tsunamis?

24. What are the causes that led to the decline of Feudalism?

25. Complete the diagram.

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Answer the questions 26 and 27. Each carries 6 score.   **(2 × 6 =12)**

26. (A)   The famous Emperor of the Frankish Empire was Charlemagne. Substantiate the statement

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Hints: Adnative refos

   ♦ Administrative reforms

   ♦ The Carolingian Renaissance

OR

(B)   The greatest speciality of the medieval socio-economic structure was the guilds.

Analyse the statement based on the given hints.

Hints:

   ♦ Factors that led to the formation of the guilds.

   ♦ Responsibilities of the guilds

27. (A)   Explain the different forms of condensation.

OR

(B)   What are the different types of plate margins? Explain.