



**V & C Patel English School**  
**Half Yearly Exam**

**Max.Marks:80**

**Date: 15/09/2017**

**Time: 3hrs.**

**Std.: VI**

**Subject: Social Science**

**Instructions :**

- a. The question paper has 29 questions in all. All questions are compulsory.
- b. Questions number 1 is Multiple Choice questions (MCQ) of half (1/2) marks each. Every question is provided with 4 alternatives
- c. Questions from serial number 2 to 4 are One (1) marks questions each.
- d. Question from Serial Number 5 to 16 are Two (2) marks questions each.
- e. Question from Serial Number 17 to 23 are Three (3) marks questions each.
- f. Question from Serial Number 24 to 26 are Four (4) marks questions each.
- g. Question number 27 is Map pointing of 5 marks from History only. After completion, attached the map inside your answer book.
- h. Question from Serial Number 28 and 29 are Six (6) marks questions each.

**1. Tick the correct answers.**

**(1/2 X 6 = 3)**

a. The site of Burzahom is situated in

- i) Kashmir ii) Bihar iii) Rajasthan iv) Madhya Pradesh

b. Bhimbhetka is located in the present day

- i) Uttar Pradesh ii) Andhra Pradesh iii) Madhya Pradesh iv) Kerala

c. The great bath has been discovered in

- i) Lothal ii) Harappa iii) Mohenjodaro iv) Kalibangan

d. The Ashvamedha was the sacrifice of

- i) Horse ii) cow iii) bull iv) Goat

e. People who gathered their food are called

- i) Hunter ii) Skilled gatherers iii) Farmers iv) Merchants

f. Stone tools of the Mesolithic period called

- i) Palaeolithic ii) Neolithic iii) Microliths iv) Factory-sites

2. Name two sites that had fire alters.  
3. Name the first domesticated animal .  
4. What is the alloy of tin and copper called?

(1 X 3 = 3)

5. List two ways in which the lives of the farmers and herders is different from that of hunter gatherers.  
6. What was the use of plough?  
7. What are tribes?  
8. What is domestication?  
9. What are mortars and pestles used for?  
10. What are raw materials ?  
11. What do you know about habitation cum factory site?  
12. What are the three components of map?  
13. What is circle of illumination?  
14. Which place is used as a standard for time all over the World ?  
15. Name two essential features of a democratic government.

(2 X 12 = 24)

**16. Write true or false.**

- i). Pluto was declared a dwarf planet in August 2006.  
ii). The Earth rotates from East to West  
iii). Season changes due to the change in the position of the Earth around the Sun.  
iv). Political map shows the natural features of the Earth.

17. What could have been the possible reasons behind the end of the harappan civilization? (3 x 7 = 21)

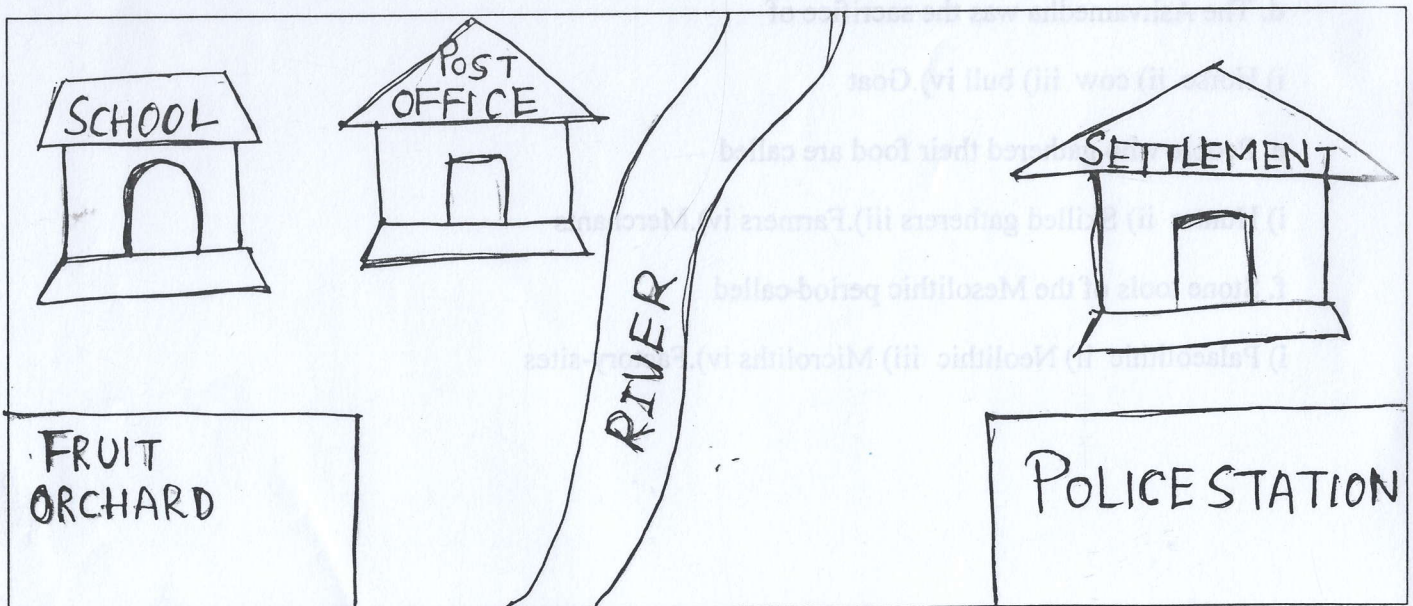
18. Write a short note on - The cites of Dholavira and Lothal  
Or  
The beginning of agriculture

19. Do you think that it is important for all persons be treated equally? Why?

20. Define the term prejudice with example.

21. Explain unity and diversity.

22. Study the given sketch and answer the questions given below.



i). The direction of the police station from school .

ii). In which direction is the fruit orchard situated from the settlement?

iii). The direction of river from post office.

23 . There is a general tendency in our society to value and care for the boy child more than the girl child. In this context what steps is our government taking to provide special provisions for the girl child? (any three steps)

24. Define the following term.

(4 X 3 = 12)

i).Satellite, ii).Standard time, iii). Equinox, iv). Orbital plane,

25. Write short notes on--- i).Summer solstice. ii).the moon.

26. .What are heat zones ? Explain with diagram

-27. On the given map mark the following sites.

(5 X 1 =5)

i). A Neolithic site ,ii). A place where tools were made of lime stone , iii). A palaeolithic sites ,

iv). Mehrgarh , v). Burzahom

28. Define the following terms

(6 X 2 =12)

i). Apartheid

iv).Stereotype

ii). The constitution

v).Inequality

iii). .Monarchy

vi). Elections

29. Differentiate between-----i). Inequality and discrimination

ii). samir ek and samir do