

V & C Patel English School Yearly Examination

Std.: VIII Subject: Social Science

Max.Marks: 80 Date: 14 /3/2018 Time: 3 hrs

Instructions :

- a. The question paper has 27 questions in all. All questions are compulsory.
- b. Questions from serial number 1 to 7 are One (1) marks questions each.
- c. Question from Serial Number 8 to 18 are Three (3) marks questions each.
- d. Question from Serial Number 19 to 25 are five (5) marks questions each. Question number 15 is value based question. Answer of this question should not exceed 80 words.
- e. Question no 27 is Map pointing from Geography only. After completion, attach the map inside your answer book.
- 1. Who was Mangal Pandey?
- 2. How are fundamental Rights important?
- 3. Define Nationalism ?
- 4. What is organic farming?
- 5. What are the fossil fuels?
- 6. What is smelting?
- 7. Why people are considered a resource?
- 8. What were the effects of the revolt of 1857 on india?
- 9. Why was the sword of Tipu Sultan very popular?
- 10. Write a short note on Tagore's "Abode of peace"?

11. Describe the role of the following organizations towards abolition of caste based discrimination .a. Brahma samaj, b. Prarthana samaj, c. Paramhans Mandali.

- 12. Why did Gandhiji choose to break the salt law?
- 13. What is a constitution ?What purposes does it serve ? .
- 14. Explain the different techniques used for mineral extraction.
- 15. Justify the statement briefly "climate plays a vital role in agriculture"?
- 16. Describe with examples the various Industries classified on the basis of ownership?
- 17. Explain briefly all the geographical factors affecting the distribution of population?

(1x7 = 7)

(3x11=33)

18. How did the first world war affect the economical conditions of India?.

19. How is Government formed in democracy? What are the qualifications and tenure of the judge of the Supreme court ? (5x7=35)

20. What guidelines have been laid by Supreme court for police during investigation.

21. Short note-----a). Features of Indian constitution. b).Quit india movement .

22. Explain why the conservation of minerals is necessary and how do we conserve minerals?

23. What are the factors that helped Ahmedabad to become a textile centre?

24. Write about the contribution of Ishwarchandra vidyasagar for the upliftment of women?

OR

Why were people dissatisfied with British rule in the 1870s and 1880s?

25. What do you know about coalition government ?What role do play opposition party in the Government?

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26. Draw the diagram of a biogas plant and label it.

27. Point out the following places on the outline map of the world.

a). a place of iron ore deposit in India

b). a place of copper deposit in Africa.

c). a place of coal deposit in South America