



V & C Patel English School
Yearly examination

Std: IX
Subject: Social Studies

Max. Marks: 80
Date: 10-3-2018
Time: 3hrs

General Instructions:

- (i) The question paper has 27 questions in all. All questions are **compulsory**.
- (ii) Questions from serial number 1 to 7 are very short answer type questions. Each question carries 1 mark.
- (iii) Questions from serial number 8 to 18 are 3 marks questions. Answer of these questions should not exceed **80 words** each.
- (iv) Questions from serial number 19 to 25 are 5 marks questions. Answer of these questions should not exceed **100 words** each.
- (v) Question number 26 is map question from History of 3 marks.
- (vi) Question number 27 is map question of 2 marks from Geography.

1. When and where Napoleon Bonaparte was finally defeated?

Or

Who were mockingly called 'November Criminal'?

2. Where was the World's first cricket club formed?

Or

Java was famous for which product?

3. What is two party system?

4. How will you define climate?

5. What do you mean by the term 'vulnerability to poverty'?

6. Which country occupied Indonesia during the Second World War?

7. Who were known as amateurs?

8. Describe any three important points of Hitler's foreign policy.

Or

What was the condition in France before the revolution?

9. The Sun rises two hours earlier in Arunachal Pradesh as compared to Gujarat in the west, but watches show the same time. How does this happen?

Or

Justify the naming of Indian Ocean after Indian oceans.

10. Write any three reforms undertaken by Allende after forming the Government.

11. Why is education unemployment, a peculiarity problem in India?

12. What changes occurred in cricket during the nineteenth century?

13. Write a note on National Population Policy.

14. A teacher was making preparation for mock parliament. She called two students to put as leaders of two political parties. She gave them an option each one could choose to have a majority in the mock Lok Sabha or in the mock Rajya Sabha. If this choice given to you, which one would you choose and why?

15. A natural calamity like drought may affect the infrastructure but definitely will leave its toll on 'food security'. Justify by a suitable example.

16. Examine the main causes for banning for the shifting cultivation by the European forest.

17. Distinguish between Tropical Deciduous forest and Tropical evergreen forest.

18. Mention any three features of Right against Exploitation.

19. What landmark decisions were taken by the National Assembly led by the third estate on the 4th August 1789?

Or

Give any five causes that led to subsistence crises in France.

Or

Why did Nazism become popular in Germany by 1930? Explain.

20. Give any five characteristics of the Ganga river system.

Or

Distinguish between Himalayan rivers and Peninsular rivers.

21. Pakistan should not be called a democratic country under Parvez Musharraf. Why?

22. How have advances in technology especially in television technology affected the development of contemporary cricket?

Or

How did Forest Act mean severe hardship for villagers across the country? Explain.

23. "The Government of India has initiated PDS to distribute food grains to the poor at subsidised rates."

You have been visited a nearby government ration shop in your locality. There you met man people complaining about the dealer. You have decided to write a letter to the concerned authority about this. Which major points you focus in your letter?

24. Analyses the challenges for free and fair election.

Or

Why there is a need for political institution? Explain

25. State the condition of the prisoners according to the report of Amnesty International in Gauntanmo Bay.

Or

"poverty is a curse on humanity" justify the statement.

26. Three points A, B and C are shown in the given map of France. Identify these points with the help of following information and write their names on the lines marked on the map.

I. A fortress prison by the people of France in 1789.

II. A poart of France related to the slave trade.

III. The region not affected by the Great Fear

27. On the outline of India, label the following.

I. Bird sanctuary – Ranganathittu

II. National park – Simlipal

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