



विद्या सर्वार्थ साधिका

ANANDALAYA
PERIODIC TEST-1
Class: VII

Subject: Social Science
Date : 20-07-2024

M.M: 40
Time: 1hr 30 min

General Instructions:

- 1) All Questions are compulsory.
- 2) Question numbers 1 to 10 carry 1 mark each. These are MCQs and objective type questions.
- 3) Question numbers 11 to 15 are short answer type questions which carry 3 mark each.
- 4) Question numbers 16 to 18 are long type questions. Every question carries 5 mark each.

SECTION-A

1. How are Map 1 of 1154 CE and Map 2 of 1720s different from each other? (1)
2. The document that lays down basic rules and regulations for people and the government is called as _____. (1)
(A) Rule book of India (B) Records book of India
(C) Constitution of India (D) Supreme Document of India
3. 'A boy who works as a shoeshine refuses to pick up a coin thrown at him'. Which ideal needs to be protected in the given statement? (1)
(A) Truth (B) Faithfulness (C) Dignity (D) Punctuality
4. Which one of the following is not a threat to the environment? (1)
(A) Growing plants (B) Industrialization (C) Deforestation (D) Urbanization
5. Mention one of the most important functions of Jati Panchayat. (1)
6. Define the term 'Pan regional'. (1)
7. Why is Universal Adult franchise an important aspect of democracy? (1)
8. Mention the name of the scheme introduced by the Tamil Nadu government for the school children. (1)
9. Name the two components of Environment. Give examples for each. (1)
10. Define Ecosystem. (1)

SECTION-B

11. "Why is our environment changing?" asked Iqbal. "It's all because of our needs". (3)
Read the above conversation and answer the following questions:
(a) Why do humans change their environment?
(b) Which are the human activities responsible for the change in the environment? (Any two points)
12. Explain the importance of Biosphere. (3)

- 13.. Look at the picture given below. Identify the activity the person is involved with. State the reasons for the increase in number and variety of textual records by 11th century. (3)



14. Explain the term 'foreigner' as used in the medieval times. (3)
15. Define the term equality. Mention the two ways in which Article 15 of the Indian Constitution addresses inequality. (3)

SECTION-C

16. a) 'The period of thousand years from 11th century saw many technological changes'. (5)
Support this statement by enlisting the changes that have occurred.
- b) Explain the new ideas that evolved in Hinduism as a part of religious development during the period of thousand years.
17. a) Write Dr Ambedkar's views on 'Self respect'. (5)
- b) Name the Act legislated that is related to the incident shown in the picture. Mention the important provisions made under this Act.



18. (a) Define the term 'Natural Environment'. (5)
- (b) How did the early humans adapt themselves with the natural environment?