

DEVAMATHA CMI PUBLIC SCHOOL
MID TERM EXAMINATION 2017-2018

Std. IX**SOCIAL SCIENCE**

Time : 3 h.
Marks : 80

General Instructions :

1. Answer to questions carrying 1 mark should be in one word or in one sentence.
2. Answer to questions carrying 3 or 4 marks should not exceed 60-80 words each.
3. Maps should be securely tied in the middle of the answer scripts.
4. Attempt all parts of a question together.

Part A - History (20 marks)

I Answer the following questions :

1. Define : Petrogard Soviet. (1)
2. Mention two great leaders of India, who responded to the ideas of revolutionary France. (1)
3. State 3 demands of Lenin's April Thesis. (3)
4. Napoleon saw his role as a moderniser of Europe. Do You agree with this statement ?
Why ? (3)
5. What are the impacts of Russian Revolution on the world ? (5)
6. The Social, Political and Economic condition prevailed in the ancient French Society led to great revolution. Explain. (5)
7. On the outline map of France provided, locate (a) Paris (b) Bordeaux. (2)

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Part B - Geography (20 marks)

I Answer the following questions :

8. Write the Eastern and Western most longitude in degrees. ($\frac{1}{2} \times 2 = 1$)
9. Name the highest peaks situated in India. ($\frac{1}{2} \times 2 = 1$)
10. How does a trellis pattern develop ? (1)
11. "Lakes are of great value to human beings." Analyse the statement. ($\frac{1}{2} \times 6 = 3$)
12. Distinguish between Panjab Himalaya and Kumaon Himalaya. ($1\frac{1}{2} + 1\frac{1}{2} = 3$)
13. Illustrate the Western Coastal Plains of India, (1x3=3)
14. Briefly explain the course of Ganga-Brahmaputra River System ($2\frac{1}{2} + 2\frac{1}{2} = 5$)
15. On the given outline map of India locate the following :
 - a) Standard Meridian of India
 - b) Highest peak in Eastern Ghats
 - c) River originates in Amarkantak. (1x1=3)

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Part C - Economics (20 marks)

I Answer the following questions :

1. List out the factors affecting the quality of population . (1)
2. Unemployment leads to wastage of manpower resource. Justify the statment with suitable arguments. (3)
3. Mention the characteristics of traditional methods of farming ? How are HYV seeds different from traditional ones ? (3)
4. A variety of inputs are required at every stage during production. Explain (3)
5. Explain the non-farming activities in the village of Palampur. (5)
6. What is Unemployment ? Which type of Unemployment is found in India ? suggest solutions. (5)

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Part D - Politics (20 marks)

I Answer the following questions :

7. What are constinent Assembly Debates ! identify the purpose of it ? (1)
8. What is the most common form of democracyin the modern world ? Explain any two reasons for it . (3)
9. Discribe any three major features of Communist Party rule in China. (3)
10. Why do we need a Constitution in democracy ? Explain the reason. (3)
11. Though democracy is considered to be the best form of government, it is not an ideal for of government. Give five arguements to support the statment. (5)
12. Explain the election laws regarding campaigning ? (5)

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