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DWARKA INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL
CLASS VIII- Section _____
Social Science - Annual Examination
Sample paper
SESSION 2019-20

Name _____

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MM: 80
TIME: 3 hour

I. Answer the following questions based on your understanding: (10*1=10)

1. Who founded Brahma samaj?
2. What was the objective of SNDP founded by Sri Narayan Guru?
3. Name two educationist who believed in traditional Indian learning.
4. When did the world War I take place?
5. What is the other name of the Montagu Chelmsford reforms?
6. Which country is the leading producer of tea in the world?
7. Which plant develop from the stem cuttings of the old plant?
8. Which Indian Leader presented the First five-year plan?
9. Which document is known as the soul of democracy?
10. What do you mean by marginalisation?

II. Correct the following statements: (5*1=5)

1. Delhi is known as the Manchester of India.
2. Mahatma Gandhi founded Hithakarni Sabha.
3. Tea, coffee, rubber are examples of food crops.
4. Monarchy is the salient feature of Indian constitution.
5. Fundamental duties were included in the Indian constitution in 2000.

III. Answer the following in one word or sentence: (5*1=5)

1. What was Rowlatt Act?
2. Who were anglistists?
3. What conditions are ideal to grow sugarcane?
4. Who is a defence lawyer?
5. How many years, months and days did it take to frame the Indian Constitution?

IV. Give reasons for the following statements:

(5*2=10)

1. Iron and steel industry is called the backbone of India.
2. India is a densely populated nations of the world.
3. Many challenges were faced by the framers of the Constitution.
4. Everyone has the right to a fair trial when accused
5. Ship breaking industry is a hazardous industry.

V. Answer the following questions in 60 to 80 words:

(10*3=30)

1. Discuss the wood's despatch of 1854 with reference to the educational guidelines.
2. What was the condition in 19th century India with reference to the evils prevalent in the society?
3. Which viceroy partitioned Bengal? When? And Why?
4. Write a note on Quit India movement.
5. After independence many economic difficulties lay ahead. Explain
6. Discuss Population composition in brief.
7. Write down the factors that affect location of industries.
8. What is the importance of Article 22?
9. Who are often referred to as 'girijans' or 'vanvasis'? Discuss how their life has changed in past few years and why?
10. Write the steps taken by the government to safeguard the interest of the workers.

VI. Answer the following in 100 to 120 words:

(3*5=15)

1. Explain the following movements in brief:
 - a) Non Cooperation Movement
 - b) Civil Disobedience Movement
2. Discuss the features of industries classified on the basis of its size.
3. Discuss causes and consequences of Bhopal gas tragedy that took place in 1984.

VII. On the political map of India name and mark the places associated with the following incidents related to freedom movement:

(5*1=5)

1. Place from where Salt satyagraha started.
2. Place where Jallian wala bagh massacre took place
3. Place where demand for Purna Swaraj was raised
4. Place where satyagraha for mill workers took place
5. Place where INC was formed