



DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL

SAIL TOWNSHIP, RANCHI

HALF YEARLY EXAMINATION (2017-18)

Class:-X
Time- 3 Hrs.

Subject:- Social Science
M.M- 80

1. What are Ballads? [1]
2. What is referred to as Guild? [1]
3. Name the important beverage crop introduced by the British in India. [1]
4. Name any two subjects given in the Union List. [$\frac{1}{2}+\frac{1}{2}=1$]
5. What is meant by Per Capita Income? [1]
6. Why primary sector is also called the agriculture and related sector? [1]
7. In which sector government owns most of the assets and provide basic services? [1]
8. Why did the port of Surat and Hugli decline by the end of the 18th century? [3]
9. Mention three strategies adopted by the printers and publishers to sell their books. [3]
10. Why is resource planning essential in India? Explain with three reasons. [$3 \times 1 = 3$]
11. Compare the advantages and disadvantages of multi-purpose river projects.
Give three points of each. [$1\frac{1}{2} + 1\frac{1}{2} = 3$]
12. Why is India called a secular state? [3]
13. What are the reasons for the great change in the caste system? [3]
14. State three points of difference between the Federal form of government and the Unitary form of government. [3]
15. "Development for one may be the destruction for the other". Support the statement with an example. [3]
16. "Money cannot buy all the goods and services that one needs to live well".
Support the statement with three suitable examples. [$3 \times 1 = 3$]
17. Suggest any three ways and means to create more employment in rural areas. [$3 \times 1 = 3$]
18. What are the main causes of rising importance of tertiary sector in India?
Give three points. [$3 \times 1 = 3$]
19. Why did some industrialists in the 19th century Europe prefer hand labour to machines? [5]
20. What was the impact of the Print Revolution? [5]
21. Describe any five important features of the black soil. [$5 \times 1 = 5$]
22. Which is the staple food crop of a majority of the people in India? In which regions it is grown? Explain any two geographical conditions for the same. [$1+2+2=5$]
23. Explain the moral reasons of power sharing. [5]

24. Explain any five features of Federalism. [5]
25. Compare the employment conditions prevailing in the organised and unorganised sectors. Give five points of each. [2½+ 2½=5]
26. Locate and label the following on the given political map of India. [1+1=2]
- (a) Place where Jallianwala Bagh tragedy occurred
- (b) Place where Indigo Satyagraha occurred
27. (a) Two features A and B are marked on the given political outline map of India. Identify these features with the help of the following information and write their correct names on the lines marked on the map. [2x1=2]
- (A) Type of soil
- (B) A major sugarcane - producing state
- (b) On the same political outline map of India, locate and label the following item: [1]
- (i) Hirakud Dam