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SOCIAL SCIENCE
CLASS -VI

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks-80

General Instructions:

1. All questions are compulsory.
2. There are 39 questions in total.

- 1 A person who is trained to do only one kind of work, is known as a _____ 1
 A) Specialist c) Faience
 b) Trader d) Designer
- 2 Name the head of the district responsible for collecting revenue? 1
- 3 Complete the table 1
- | Landforms | Features |
|-----------|----------------------------------|
| a) _____ | i) An elevated flat land |
| b) _____ | ii) Large stretches of flat land |
- 4 Match Column I with Column II 1
- | <u>Column I</u> | <u>Column II</u> |
|--------------------------------|------------------|
| a) Horse sacrifice | i) Brahmins |
| b) Expected to study the vedas | ii) Kshatriyas |
| c) Expected to fight battles | iii) Sangha |
| d) Organisation or association | iv) Ashvamedha |
- 5 Measuring land and keeping land records is the main work of the _____ 1
- 6 The Himalayas and the Alps are examples of _____ type of mountains. 1
- 7 Who was the founder of Buddhism? 1

- 8 Which organisation takes care of street lights, garbage collection, water supply in cities? 1
- A) Panchs c) Chairman
b) Councillor d) Municipal Corporation

- 9 Complete the table 1

Features representing	Type of Maps
i) Natural features such as mountains, plateaus, plains, rivers, oceans etc.	a) _____
ii) Different countries and states of the world with their boundaries.	b) _____

- 10 Match Column I with Column II 1

Column I

- a) Ashvaghosha
b) Muvendar
c) Bodhisattvas
d) Lords of the dakshinapatha

Column II

- i) Mahayana Buddhism
ii) Buddhacharita
iii) Satavahana rulers
iv) Cholas, cheras and pandyas

- 11 Who is a municipal councillor? 1

- 12 A compass is used 1

- a) To show symbols
b) To find the main direction
c) To measure height
d) To measure distance

- 13 _____ wrote Harshavardhana's biography, Harshacharita in Sanskrit. 1

- 14 Match the Column I with Column II 1

Column I

- a) Sell things that are prepared at home
b) They are employed when the employer gets large orders
c) Gets a regular salary every month
d) Each floor have different types of clothes

Column II

- i) Casual workers
ii) Vendors
iii) Showroom
iv) Permanent workers

- 15 The southernmost Himalayas are known as 1
 a) Shiwaliks
 b) Himadri
 c) Himachal
 d) Middle Himalaya
- 16 _____ is recognised as the author of the Sanskrit Ramayana. 1
- 17 Which type of worker gets the medical facilities for their family along 1
 with regular salary?
- 18 Complete the table 1
- | Name of the state | In terms of area |
|-------------------|-------------------------|
| a) _____ | Largest state of India |
| b) _____ | Smallest state in India |
- 19 Match column I with column II 1
- | <u>Column I</u> (Season) | <u>Column II</u> (Months) |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| a) Winter | i) October and November |
| b) Summer | ii) June to September |
| c) Rainy | iii) March to May |
| d) Autumn | iv) December to February |
- 20 Complete the table 1
- | Type of vegetation | Features |
|--------------------|---|
| a) _____ | Also called monsoon forests |
| b) _____ | Occur in areas which receive heavy rainfall |
- 21 Explain how empires are different from kingdoms? 2
- 22 List two things that the work of a patwari includes. 2
- 23 Why are mountains thinly populated? 2
- 24 Write the difference between Municipal Corporation and Municipal 2
 Council?
- 25 What are the four cardinal directions? 2
- 26 Write the difference between evergreen forest and deciduous forest? 2
- 27 What were the main teachings of Lord Buddha? 3
- 28 What is a map? Write the difference between small scale map and large 3
 scale map.
- 29 What are the major beliefs of bhakti? 3
- 30 How are forests useful to us? 3
- 31 What are the working conditions of the factory workers? 3
- 32 Write about the work of the tehsildar. 4
- 33 What are the components of maps? Explain them. 4

- 34 Write a short note on Northern Indian plains. 4
- 35 What are the reasons for declining of wildlife? What are the steps taken to conserve them? 4

36 **Read the Case Study given below and answer the questions that follow :**

Writing books on science - This was also the time when Aryabhata, a mathematician and astronomer, wrote a book in Sanskrit known as the Aryabhatiyam. He stated that day and night were caused by the rotation of the earth on its axis, even though it seems as if the sun is rising and setting everyday. He developed a scientific explanation for eclipses as well. He also found a way of calculating the circumference of a circle, which is nearly as accurate as the formula we use today. Varahamihira, Brahmagupta and Bhaskaracharya were some other mathematicians and astronomers who made several discoveries.

- i What is the name of the book written by Aryabhata? 1
- ii Who developed a scientific explanation for eclipses? 1
- iii Name the other mathematicians and astronomers who made several discoveries. 1
- iv What did Aryabhata stated regarding the occurrence of day and night? 1

37 **Read the Case Study given below and answer the questions that follows:**

Mountain - A mountain is any natural elevation of the earth surface. The mountains may have a small summit and a broad base. It is considerably higher than the surrounding area. Some mountains are even higher than the clouds. As you go higher, the climate becomes colder. In some mountains, there are permanently frozen rivers of ice. They are called glaciers. There are some mountains you cannot see as they are under the sea. Because of harsh climate, less people live in the mountain areas. Since the slopes are steep, less land is available for farming. Mountains may be arranged in a line known as range. Many mountain systems consist of a series of parallel ranges extending over hundreds of kilometres. The Himalayas, the Alps and the Andes are mountain ranges of Asia, Europe and South America, respectively. Mountains vary in their heights and shape.

- i What is a range? 1
- ii What are glaciers? 1
- iii What is a mountain? 1
- iv Give two examples of mountain ranges. 1

- 38 Draw the following conventional symbols. 4
- i) River
 - ii) Temple
 - iii) Post office
 - iv) Trees
- 39 What do you mean by prashasti? What do we know about Samudragupta 5
from his prashasti?

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