

Time : 3 Hours.

Total Marks : 80

Part -1 (12 x1 = 12)

Select the correct answers to the following multiple-choice questions :-

1. In which state of India is Kaziranga, a wildlife reserve, located?

- 1 a) Bihar b) Madhya Pradesh c) Assam c) Meghalaya

2. Which is the largest country after India in terms of area?

- 1 a) Russia b) Argentina c) Algeria c) Kazakhstan

3. Which district of Punjab is called the land of white gold?

- 1 a) Patiala b) Moga c) Mansa c) Jalandhar

4. What is the amount spent in terms of money from the production of a good to its sale?

- a) Income b) Cost c) Saving c) Consumption

5. Agricultural economy is an example of which sector?

- 1 a) Primary b) Services c) Secondary c) None

6. Which of the following is an economic activity?

- a) Patriotism b) Teaching his daughter by a teacher c) Treating a patient by a doctor c) Social service

7. Bhai Lehna Ji was the first name of which Guru?

- 1 a) Guru Nanak Dev ji b) Guru Angad Dev ji c) Guru Amar Das ji c) Guru Ram Das ji

8. The area between Sutlej and Ghaggar river is called _____.

- 1 a) Majha b) Doaba c) Malwa c) Bangar

9. Who was the Sultan of Delhi at the time of Guru Nanak Dev Ji's birth?

- 1 a) Bahlol Lodhi b) Sikandar Lodhi c) Ibrahim Lodhi c) Daulat Khan Lodhi

10. Which of the following countries has veto power?

- a) Germany c) China b) India c) France

11. The office of President is provided for under Article _____ of our Constitution.

- a) 50 c) 52 b) 51 c) 53

12. Which of the following points in the Indian Constitution was taken from the country of South Africa?

- a) Fundamental duty b). the republic
c) Amendments to the Constitution c) Directive Principles of State Policy

Part-B

2. Very Short Questions:-

1. Which country is 5th in the world on the basis of area and population ?
2. What is literary meaning of word "Punjab"?
3. If you visit Gurushikhar, in which mountain range you shall be there?
4. Which is the main productive activity of the villages of India?
5. What are non-economic activities?
6. Name two natural resources.
7. Who was the last ruler of the Lodhi Dynasty?
8. What was the old name of Amritsar?
9. Who was the first Granthi of Harmandir Sahib ?
10. When was the Universal Adult Franchise given to the citizens of India?
11. Mention any two conditions essential for democracy.
12. How many members were there in the Constituent Assembly?

(12X1=12)

Part-C

This section has 8 sub-parts (questions). Each question carries 3 marks. Answer each question in about 30-50 words.

1. Name any six non- private universities of Punjab and their place of location.
2. Write a note of on the origin of Himalayas.
3. Why do we study Economics?
4. What do you mean by human resources?
5. Write a note on the Muslim society during the Lodhi period.
6. What was the immediate cause of Sri Guru Arjan Dev ji's martyrdom?
7. What is the meaning of 'Veto Power'? Give the names of countries having veto power.
8. Which is a republic country? (8X3=24)

Part-D

4. Question no. 4 has 8 sub-sections (questions). Each question carries 4 marks. Students have to do any four questions out of 8 questions. Answer each question in 80-100 words.

1. Give details of India's international trade.
2. Write a note on Gurdaspur-Pathankot Shiwaliks.
3. Explain the difference between economic and non- economic activities.
4. Distinguish between disguised unemployment and seasonal unemployment
5. Discuss the impact of foreign invasion on the people of Punjab.
6. What were impacts of Martyrdom of Guru Arjan Dev ji in Sikh religion? Discuss.
7. Explain in brief the main obstacles in the way of democracy.
8. Write the Preamble of Indian Constitution in the original form. (4X4=16)

Part-E

5. Source Based Questions :-

1. The Gangetic Plains are formed by the soil deposited by Ganga and its tributaries like Gandak, Yamuna, Ghagra, Kosi, Son, Chambal etc. These plains are 550 km. long and 380 km. broad. These are divided into three parts. Upper Ganga plains are known as Ganga -Yamuna Doab. These plains have been formed with the soil by Ganga, Yamuna, Ramganga, Sharda, Betwa, Gomati and Ghagra rivers. These include Bhabar and Terai plains. Middle Ganga Plains are found in Eastern Uttar Pradesh and Bihar. These plains are also called the Plains of Bihar or Mithila. These plains formed by soil deposited by Ghagra, Gandak, Son and Kosi rivers. The length of Lower Ganga Plain is 580 Km long and 200 kms broad. These plains have been formed by alluvium deposited by river Tista, Jaldhaka and Torsa. 2/3 Part of this plain is form Sundarban Delta, which is the largest delta of the world.

Read the above passage and answer the following questions :-

(4X1=4)

1. What is the other name of upper Ganga Plains?
2. By deposition of which rivers soil are Middle Ganga Plains formed ?

3. How long and broad is Lower Ganga Plain?

4. Which is the largest delta in the world?

2. During his Guruship from 1581 A.D. to 1606 A.D. (25 Years), Guru ji worked tirelessly for the growth and spread of Sikh religion. Guru ji started the construction of the Harmandir Sahib in the centre of the Amritsar Sarovar. Guru ji composed 2218 Shabads in 30 Ragas. By the compilation of Adi Granth Sahib ji, in bouli Guru ji provided a different religious scriptures to the Sikh community.

He himself dictated Adi Granth Sahib ji to Bhai Gurdas ji. The Adi Granth Sahib ji contains the hymns, shabads and Shalokas of the Gurus. It also includes the Bani of Hindu Saints, Sufi Saints, Bhattas and Gursikhs.

Finding scarcity of water in Wadali, Guru ji got dug a well which was worked by six Persian wheels (Rahatt). Guru ji appointed responsible Sikhs as Masands for collection of Daswandh and they also preached Sikh religion. In 1599 A.D. Guru ji got a Baoli constructed in Dabbi Bazaar at Lahore, which solved the problem of scarcity of water in area. Guru ji established new towns like Tarn Taran, Kartarpur and Hargobindpur for Sikhs.

Read the above passage and answer the following questions:-

(4X1=4)

1. How many Shabads did Sri Guru Arjan Dev ji compose?

2. When was Adi Granth Sahib Ji compiled by Sri Guru Arjan Dev Ji?

3. In which village did Guruji dig a well to meet the shortage of water?

4. Whose words have been given place in Adi Granth Sahib?

Part-F

6. (a) Show any four places in the map of India:

(4x1=4)

1. Tropic of Cancer

2. Guru Shikhar Peak

3. Malwa Plateau

4. Karakoram mountain range

5. Shipki-La pass

(b) Mark any four places in the map of Punjab before partition:-

1. Sutlej River

2. Ravi River

3. Indus River

4. Khyber Pass

5. Tochi pass