

Half Yearly Examination - 2025**STD: 10****Social Science****Marks : 100****Time : 3.00 Hr****14×1=14****I. Choose the correct answer.**

1. To which country did the first Secretary General of League of Nations belong?
a) Britain b) France c) Dutch d) USA
2. Which president of the USA pursued "Good Neighbour" policy towards Latin America?
a) Franklin.D Roosevelt b) Truman c) Woodrow Wilson d) Eisenhower
3. When was the Warsaw pack dissolved?
a) 1979 b) 1989 c) 1990 d) 1991
4. In which session of the Indian National Congress was Non - Cooperation approved?
a) Bombay b) Madras c) Calcutta d) Lucknow
5. Who was the first President of the Madras Mahajana Sabha?
a) T. M.Nair b) P.Rangaiah c) G. Subramaniam d) G. A. Natesan
6. The Park Strait and Gulf of Mannar separates India from ---
a) Goa b) West Bengal c) Sri Lanka d) Maldives
7. Which Crop is called as "Golden Fibre" in India?
a) cotton b) Wheat c) Jute d) Tobacco
8. The National Remote Sensing Centre (NRSC) is located at ---
a) Bengaluru b) Chennai c) Delhi d) Hyderabad
9. The highest peak in Tamil Nadu is ---
a) Anaimudi b) Doddabetta c) Mahendragiri d) Servarayan
10. The district with largest mangrove forest cover in Tamil Nadu is ---
a) Ramanathapuram b) Nagapattinam c) Cuddalore d) Theni
11. The Chief Justice and other judges of the Supreme Court are appointed by ---
a) The President b) AttorneyGeneral c) The Governor d) The Prime Minister
12. The State Council of ministers is headed by -----
a) The Chief Minister b) The Governor c) The Speaker d) The Prime Minister
13. India signed the Dunkel proposal in ---
a) 1984 b) 1976 c) 1950 d) 1994
14. "The Detroit of Asia" is ---
a) Tuticorin b) Coimbatore c) Chennai d) Madurai

II. Answer any 10 questions. (Q No.28 is compulsory).**10×2=20**

15. Name the countries in the Triple entente.
16. How did Great Depression impact on the Indian agriculture?
17. What was Marshall Plan?
18. Describe the Jallianwala Bagh Massacre.
19. What is the contribution of Annie Besant to India's freedom struggle?
20. State the west flowing rivers of India.
21. State any two characteristics of black cotton soil.
22. Name the Seasons of agriculture in India?
23. What is communication? What are its types?
24. Name the tributaries of river Thamirabarani.
25. What are the qualifications for the appointment of Governor?
26. What do you know about Kaladan Multi - Model Transit Transport? **10-TNJ-SS EM -1**

27. Write the types of globalisation.
28. Name some of the information technology specific special Economic Zone.

III. Answer any 10 question. (Q. No.42 is compulsory.)

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29. Fill in the blanks.
- In the battle of Tannenberg — suffered heavy losses.
 - Bill cannot be introduced in the Parliament without President's approval.
 - is known as the Land of thunderbolt.
 - is an important indicator of Nutrition deficiency.
 - Hundred of leather and tannery facilities are located around — district in Tamil Nadu.
30. Access the structure and the activities of the UN.
31. Attempt an essay of the heroic fight Veerapandya Kattabomman conducted against the east Indian Company.
32. a) Distinguish between:
- Western Coastal Plains and Eastern Coastal Plains.
 - Print Media and Electronic Media
- b) Give reason:
- mountains or cooler than the Plains.
33. Estimate Periyar E.V. R's decisive contribution to the social transformation of Tamil Nadu.
34. Write about Southwest Monsoon.
35. Write about the distribution of cotton textile industries in India?
36. Write about the plantain farming of Tamil Nadu.
37. Point out the Fundamental Rights.
38. Discuss the basic determinants of India's foreign policy.
39. Briefly explain various terms associated with measuring of National income.
40. What is black money? Write the causes of black money.
41. Draw a Time line for the following Write any five important events between 1910 to 1940 in the time line.
42. Mark the following places on the outline map of India.
- (i) Kashmir ii) Calcutta iii) Lahore iv) Vedaranyam v) Champaran

IV. Answer the following questions:

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43. Write an essay on this role played by the 19th Century reformers towards the cause of women
(OR)

Discuss the causes of the Revolt of 1857?

44. Mark the following places on the given outline map of India.

- Kanyakumari
- Gulf of Kutch
- Northern Sarkar
- Godavari
- Desert soil
- Sugarcane growing area
- Coal mining Centre
- Any International Airport

(OR)

Mark the following places on the given outline map of Tamilnadu.

- Tidal forest
- Vedanthangal
- Cape Comorin
- Pamban Island
- Kanyakumari
- Gulf of Mannar
- Mettur Dam
- Cauveri Delta Region

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