



## Standard 10

Time: 3.00 Hrs.

## SOCIAL SCIENCE

Marks: 100

## PART - I

I. Choose the correct answer:  $14 \times 1 = 14$ 

- 1) To which country did the first secretary General of league of Nations belong?  
a) Britain      b) France      c) Dutch      d) USA
- 2) Who was the author of the book Satyarthprakash?  
a) Dayanand Saraswathi      b) Iyothee Thassar  
c) Annie Besant      d) Narayana Guru
- 3) Who was the commander-in-Chief responsible for the new military regulations?  
a) Col. Fancourt      b) Major Armstrong  
c) Sir. John Cradack      d) Colonel Agnew
- 4) Which among the following was declared as Independence Day?  
a) 26th January 1930      b) 26th December 1929  
c) 16th June 1946      d) 15th January 1947
- 5) \_\_\_\_\_ was established by the Justice party Government for the selection of Government officials.  
a) Staff Selection Board      b) Public Service Commission  
c) Provincial Staff Recruitment Board      d) Staff Selection Commission
- 6) \_\_\_\_\_ plains are formed by the older alluviums.  
a) Bhabar      b) Tarai      c) Bhangular      d) Khadar
- 7) The longest dam in the world is \_\_\_\_\_.  
a) Mettur Dam      b) Kosi Dam      c) Hirakud Dam      d) Bhakra Nangal Dam
- 8) The first Nuclear power station was commissioned in  
a) Gujarat      b) Rajasthan      c) Maharashtra      d) Tamil Nadu
- 9) Assertion (A) : Tamil Nadu does not receive much rainfall from Southwest monsoon.  
Reason (R) : It is situated in the rain shadow area of the Western Ghats.  
a) Both (A) and (R) are true and (R) explains (A).  
b) Both (A) and (R) are true but (R) does not explain (A).  
c) (A) is true but, (R) is false.      d) (R) is true but, (A) is false.
- 10) The constitutional head of the Union is  
a) The President      b) The Chief Justice  
c) The Prime Minister      d) Council of Ministers
- 11) Which one of the following states does not possess a bicameral legislature?  
a) Andhra Pradesh      b) Telangana      c) Tamil Nadu      d) Uttar Pradesh
- 12) How many countries state its border with India?  
a) 5      b) 6      c) 7      d) 8
- 13) GATT's first round held in  
a) Tokyo      b) Uruguay      c) Torquay      d) Geneva
- 14) 'The Detroit of Asia' is \_\_\_\_\_.  
a) Tuticorin      b) Coimbatore      c) Chennai      d) Madurai

## PART - II

II. Answer any 10 questions: (Q.No. 28 is compulsory)  $10 \times 2 = 20$ 

- 15) What was the role of Mustafa Kemal Pasha?
- 16) Who were the three prominent dictators of the post World War I?
- 17) Highlight the essence of 'Tiruchirappalli proclamation of 1801'.
- 18) Describe the Jallianwala Bagh Massacre.
- 19) Name the newspapers published by the South Indian Liberal Federation.

- 20) Write a short note on Deccan plateau.
- 21) Define the resource and state its types.
- 22) What is 'Teri'?
- 23) Why is coimbatore called the Manchester of South India?
- 24) What is a writ?
- 25) List any four principles of Panchsheel.
- 26) Mention the member countries of BRICS.
- 27) Define National Income.
- 28) Golden quadrilateral road - Explain.

### PART - III

#### III. Answer any 10 questions: [Q.No. 42 is compulsory]

$10 \times 5 = 50$

##### 29) Fill in the blanks:

- i) \_\_\_\_\_ hoisted The National Flag top Fort St. George on 26 January 1932.
- ii) The Palayakkarars system was put in place in Tamil Nadu by \_\_\_\_\_.
- iii) \_\_\_\_\_ is the highest peak in The Southern most part of the Eastern Ghats.
- iv) \_\_\_\_\_ is a small Himalayan Kingdom.
- v) The Goods and Services Tax act came into effect on \_\_\_\_\_.

- 30) Analyse the effects of the World War II.
- 31) Discuss the causes of the Revolt of 1857.
- 32) Estimate Periyar E.V.R's decisive contribution to the social transformation of Tamil Nadu.

##### 33) Distinguish between:

- i) Western Ghats and Eastern Ghats
- ii) Marine fishing and Inland fishing

**Give Reason:** Farmers switch over from inorganic to organic farming.

- 34) Write an account on river Cauvery.
- 35) Write about the Textile industry cluster in Tamil Nadu.
- 36) What are the duties and functions of Prime Minister of India?
- 37) Write a detailed note on Non-alignment.
- 38) Trace the reason for the formation of BRICS and write its objectives.
- 39) Write the challenges of Globalization.
- 40) Explain some direct and indirect taxes.

##### 41) Draw a Timeline for the following:

Write any five important events between 1920 - 1940 in the Timeline.

##### 42) Mark the following places on the outline map of World:

- (i) Italy (ii) Germany (iii) Hiroshima (iv) Sanpransisco (v) Morocco

### PART - IV

#### IV. Answer the following questions:

$2 \times 8 = 16$

- 43) a) Assess the structure and the activities of the UN.

**(OR)**

- b) Discuss the response to Swadeshi Movement in Tamil Nadu.

##### 44) a) Mark the following places on the given outline map of India:

(i) Eastern Ghats	(ii) Deccan plateau
(iii) River Ganga	(iv) Black soil region
(v) Panna Biosphere Reserve	(vi) International airport (any one)
(vii) Karakoram	(viii) Name (any one) Petroleum available

**(OR)**

##### b) Mark the following places in the map of Tamil Nadu:

(i) Kaveri	(ii) Nilgiri
(iii) Kodiakkarai	(iv) Chennai
(v) Western Ghats	(vi) Palicat lake
(vii) Coal available name (any one)	(viii) Mettur Dam