

**SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT-I (CLASS-X)**

9/2014

**SUBJECT : SOCIAL SCIENCE**

**(SET-I)**

**Time : 3 Hrs.**

**M.M.: 90**

**General Instructions :**

1. The question paper has 30 questions in all. All questions are compulsory.
2. Marks are indicated against each question.
3. Questions from serial no. 1 to 8 are very short answer type questions. Each question carries one mark.
4. Questions from serial no. 9 to 21 are 3 marks questions. Answer of these questions should not exceed 80 words each.
5. Questions from serial no. 22 to 29 are 5 marks questions. Answer of these questions should not exceed 100 words each.
6. Question number 30 is a map question of 3 marks from Geography only. After completion, attach the map inside your answer book.

- Q1. Name the two most dynamic industries in Britain. ( $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = 1$ )
- Q2. In which state of India rooftop rainwater harvesting system is compulsory? (1)
- Q3. What is meant by decentralisation of power? (1)
- Q4. How did Tommie Smith and John Carlos try to draw international attention to racial discrimination? (1)
- Q5. What is Feminist movement? (1)
- Q6. State any two ways to generate employment in urban areas. ( $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = 1$ )
- Q7. Mention any two factors other than income which is an important aspect of our life. ( $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = 1$ )
- Q8. What is underemployment? (1)
- Q9. By the early 15th century in Europe woodblock printing became more popular than handwritten manuscripts. Discuss. (3)
- Q10. Why did industrial production in India increase during the First World War. (3)
- Q11. 'Print culture created the conditions which led to the French Revolution.' Discuss. (3)

- Q12. Why did the raw cotton export from India increase during 1860s? What was its result? (1+2=3)
- Q13. 'The tree is a peculiar organism of unlimited kindness and benevolence.' In the context of this statement suggest ways to conserve green cover in our environment. (3)
- Q14. List any three negative factors that have caused the fearful depletion of flora. (3x1=3)
- Q15. How can you classify resources on the basis of origin? (3)
- Q16. Discuss the two routes of Federalism. (1½+1½=3)
- Q17. 'In modern democracies, power is shared among governments at different levels.' Discuss. (3)
- Q18. What are the major beliefs of communal people? (3)
- Q19. Why do we use averages? Are there any limitations to their use? (1+2=3)
- Q20. Give the full form of 'NREGA'. Why do you think NREGA 2005 is referred to as 'Right to Work'? (1+2=3)
- Q21. 'People have different developmental goals.' Justify. (3)
- Q22. Why did some industrialists in the 19th century Europe prefer hand labour over machines? (5)
- Q23. (a) Who was Gutenberg? Name the first book printed by him.  
(b) Write a short note on Vernacular Press Act. (2+3=5)
- Q24. Why have multipurpose projects recently been opposed? State any five reasons. (5x1=5)
- Q25. Mention any five features of plantation agriculture. (5)
- Q26. What steps were taken towards decentralisation after 1992? (5)
- Q27. How do social divisions affect politics? (5)
- Q28. (a) Enlist the indicators of economic development.  
(b) Mention the main criteria used by the World Bank in classifying different countries. Give examples. (1+4=5)
- Q29. Compare and contrast the activities and functions of private and public sectors. (2½+2½=5)

Q30. (I) Two features (A) and (B) are shown on the given outline political map of India. Identify these features and write their correct names on the lines marked on the map : (3)

(A) a tea producing state

(B) a wild life sanctuary

(II) On the same political map of India, locate the following :

(C) Hirakud dam

