

BOARD QUESTION PAPER 2017

Section A

Q. 1. Choose the correct option :

(i) Which soil is generally found in the delta region of Andhra Pradesh and Orissa and the plains of Ganges :

(a) Red soil (b) Alluvial soil (c) Black soil (d) Laterite soil.

(ii) In which of the following industries, air pollution is maximum :

(a) Match sticks industry (b) Paper industry

(c) Chemical industry (d) Furniture industry.

(iii) The port to reduce pressure on Bombay Port is :

(a) Paradweep (b) Haldia (c) Nhava Sheva (d) Kandla.

(iv) Name the place where the first Summit Conference was organised at the inter-national level :

(a) Japan (Yakohama) (b) India (Bangaluru)

(c) Brazil (Rio de Janeiro) (d) U.S.A. (New York).

(v) Who among the following was not a moderate thinker :

(a) Dada Bhai Navroji (b) Arvind Ghosh

(c) Gopal Krishna Gokhale (d) Firoz Shah Mehta.

Ans. (i) (b), (ii) (c), (iii) (c), (iv) (c), (v) (d).

Q. 2. Fill in the blanks :

(i) _____ have an important place in Joint Forest Management System.

(ii) The reactionary policy of Viceroy _____ was full of racist thinking.

(iii) The right of equality is one of the _____ described in the constitution.

(iv) The smallest unit of the local administration is _____

(v) The slogan of Jai Hind was given by _____ •

Ans. (i) Forest policy, (ii) Lord Litten, (iii) Fundamental right, (iv) Gram Panchayat, (v) Subhash Chandra Bose.

Q. 3. Answer the following in one sentence :

- (i) Which article has given a special status to the state of Jammu-Kashmir ?
- (ii) By which amendment the provision of fundamental duties have been added in the constitution ?
- (iii) What is the minimum age for the parliament membership ?
- (iv) What percentage of the total world's population resides in India ?
- (v) When was Indian planning commission formed ?

Ans. (i) Article 370, (ii) 42nd Amendment (1976), (iii) 25 Years, (iv) 16-87, (v) 15 March, 1950.

Q. 4. Match the following :

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| 'A' | 'B' |
| (i) Andhra Pradesh | (a) Secondary sector |
| (ii) Amartya Sen | (b) Telangana |
| (iii) Cement factory | (c) Increase in the standard of living |
| (iv) Digital charts | (d) Economics welfare |
| (v) Consumer awareness | (e) Maldives. |

Ans. (i) (b), (ii) (d), (iii) (a), (iv) (e), (v) (c).

Q. 5- State True or False :

- (i) Economics development is a continuous process.
- (ii) Agriculture comes under primary sector.
- (iii) Every person is not a consumer.
- (iv) Hallmark symbol is given to the industry and consumer items.
- (v) Central planning is essential in socialism.

Ans. (i) True, (ii) True, (iii) False, (iv) False, (v) True. Q. 6. What are the sources of underground water ?

Or, What is pink revolution ?

Q. 7- What was subsidiary alliance ? Who introduced it ? Or, What is Boycott ? Explain.

Q. 8. During which period of time is national income calculated ?

Or, Which type of work is provided for giving employment under the National Rural Employment Guarantee Act ?

Q. 9 What is Infrastructure ?

Or, What is service sector ?

Q. 10 What is meant by consumer exploitation ?

Or, What is black marketing ?

Q. 11 What is the importance of soil in human life ? Explain.

Or, Conservation of forests is necessary. Why ?

Q. 12 Write the main provisions of horticultural development programme. Or, What is the importance of minerals ?

Q. 13 Why is the struggle of 1857 called the first struggle of freedom ? Or, Why were the Indian rulers angry with the British rule ?

Q. 14 What was the role of western thinking and education in the development of national consciousness ?

Or, How were the cottage industries affected by British policy of economic exploitation ?

Q. 15 What are the effects of pollution on human life ?

Or, Explain the contribution of industries in the national economy.

Q. 16 "The distribution of rail routes in India is unequal". Explain.

Or, Explain the measures adopted to promote exports in India.

Q. 17 State the effects of flood. (any four)

Or, What is meant by disaster management ? Explain main elements of disaster management.

Q. 18 Write the importance of revolutionary movements in the history of Indian independence.

Or, Write in brief the Jhanda Satyagraha.

Q. 19 Write, why government of India asked Pakistan to stop/block the entry of Kafilies.

Or, What is Tashkent agreement ? What were the conditions laid down for the Tashkent agreement ?

Q. 20 Describe the federal and parliamentary form of government.

Or, Describe the fundamental rights of citizens of India. (Write any four)

Q. 21 What do you mean by mixed economy ? State the demerits of mixed economy. (any three)

Or, Write the main four factors which promote globalization.

Q. 22 Show the following on the map of India :

(i) Aravali range, (ii) Nilgiri, (iii) Narmada river, (iv) Kaziranga, (v) Tropic of cancer.

Or, Give the indication of the following seasonal and air conditions in your answer

book : (i) Rain, (ii) Thunder storm, (iii) Hail, (iv) Pleasant breeze, (v) Strong breeze.

Q. 23 What were the reasons of the failure of Quit India Movement ? Write any five. Or, What is Independence of India Act ? Write its main provisions.

Q. 24 Write the effects of Indo-Pak war of 1965.

Or, Write a detailed note on Indo-Bangladesh relations.

Q. 25 Describe the functions of Council of Ministers. (any five)

Or, Explain the Panchayati Raj System and describe the functions of local bodies.

(any five)

Q. 26 Describe the measures which should be adopted to remove unemployment from India. (any five)

Or, What are the effects of terrorism on the society ? What measures should be adopted to fight terrorism ?