

PT4/ANNUAL EXAMINATION, 2023-24

SOCIAL SCIENCE

Time – 3 hrs.

Class – VI

M.M. – 80

Name of the student _____ Section _____ Date - 13.02.2024 (Tuesday)

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS -

1. All questions are compulsory.
2. Paper has been divided into three sections. Section A comprises of objective type questions.
3. Section B comprises of short and picture based questions respectively.
4. Section C comprises of long answer type questions and map work respectively.
5. Overall choice for the questions has been given.

SECTION- A

Q1. Choose the correct option and fill in the blanks. (1x8=8)

- i) The solid portion of the earth is called _____.
a. Lithosphere b. Hydrosphere c. Biosphere d. Atmosphere
- ii) Sri Lanka is separated from India by the _____.
a. Berring Strait b. Palk Strait c. Davis Strait d. Cook Strait
- iii) Khasra is a register of land records maintained by the _____.
a. Patwari b. Tehsildar c. District commissioner d. S.P
- iv) Elections are held once every _____ years for the panchayat.
a. Five b. One c. Two d. Ten
- v) Buddha attained enlightenment at _____.
a. Sarnath b. Bodh Gaya c. Kusinara d. Nalanda
- vi) What was the ancient name of Orissa ?
a. Pataliputra b. Kalinga c. Ujjain d. Taxila
- vii) Meaning of Maha-danda-nayak is _____.
a. Minister of war and peace b. Chief judicial officer
c. Chief banker d. Chief craftsperson
- viii) The word used for large landowners in Tamil was _____.
a. Vellalar b. Karmakara c. Dasas d. Adimai

Q2. Fill in the blanks: (1x6=6)

- i) Ashokan pillar found at _____ has inscriptions about Samudragupta.
- ii) Stamped red- glazed pottery was known as _____ ware.
- iii) Ploughmen were known as _____ in the Tamil region.
- iv) Lakshadweep is also known as _____ island.
- v) The head or individual incharge of the Police Station is _____ .
- vi) Municipal Corporation is known as Municipal _____ in smaller towns.

Q3. Name the following. (1x6=6)

- i) The ambassador who was sent to the court of Chandragupta by the Greek ruler of West Asia named Seleucus Nicator.

- ii) It was the earliest works in Tamil literature.
- iii) The Chinese pilgrim who noticed the plight of those who were treated as untouchables during the reign of Chandragupta II.
- iv) He is the elected member in the municipal corporation.
- v) It is the important religious centre famous for the two main trade and travel routes 2500 years ago.
- vi) Name the book in which Chanakya's ideas was written.

Q4. Briefly answer the following questions.

(2x5=10)

- i) How many states and union territories are there in India? Which states have common capital?
- ii) Mention any two authors who wrote about Harshavardhana.
- iii) Mention any two functions of Shrenis.
- iv) Discuss two major problems that Ashoka wanted to solve by introducing dhamma.
- v) Discuss the reasons why the Chinese pilgrims came to India.

SECTION-B

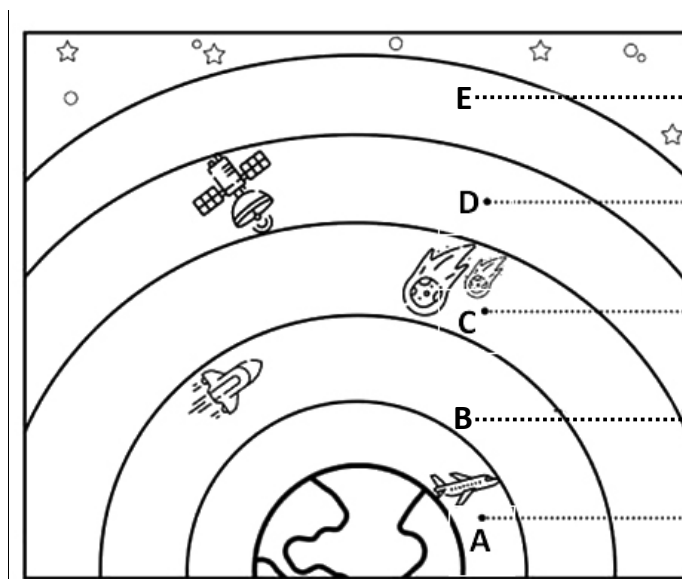
Q5. Answer the following questions. Attempt any seven questions.

(3x7=21)

- i) What were the questions that upanishadic thinkers wanted to answer?
- ii) Write a short note on Hydrosphere.
- iii) What were the means adopted by Ashoka to spread the message of dhamma?
- iv) How does the Municipal Corporation earn the money to do his work?
- v) Explain the three local assemblies as mentioned in the inscription of Pallavas?
- vi) What is the work of police?
- vii) Distinguish between Western ghats and Eastern ghats in any three points.
- viii) What is the work of Tehsildar?
- ix) Mention any three qualifications needed to become a member of the Municipality?

Q6. Look at the images carefully and answer the questions following.

(4+4=8)



- a) Name the layer (C) and (D). (2)
- b) Which two gases has the highest concentration in the layer (A)? (2)



(Photo A)



(Photo B)

In the two photographs, you see different ways of collecting and disposing of garbage.

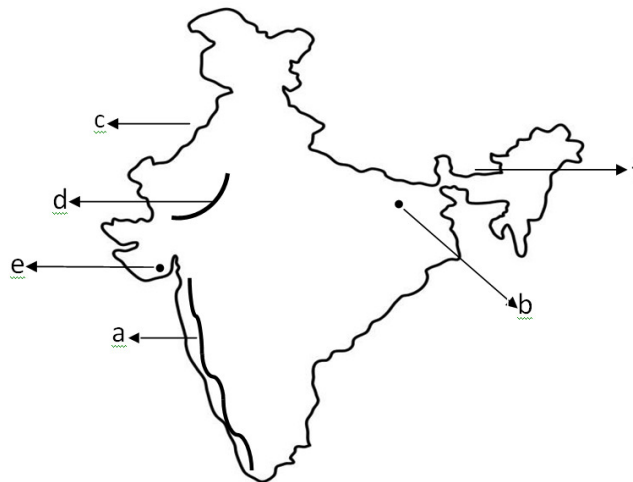
- i) Which way do you think provides safety to the person disposing of garbage? (1)
- ii) What are the dangers of collecting garbage in the manner shown in the first photograph (Photo A)? List any two dangers. (2)
- iii) Why do you think that proper ways of disposing of garbage are not available to those who work in municipalities? Any one reason. (1)

SECTION - C

Q7. Answer the following questions elaborately. Attempt any three questions. (5x3=15)

- i) Give an account of the Northern Indian Plains.
- ii) Make a list of the occupations of the people who lived within the Mauryan Empire.
- iii) What were the main teachings of Mahavira?
- iv) How is atmosphere important for us?

Q8. Carefully look at the outline map of India given below and identify the locations with the help of given hints. (1x6=6)



- a) Continuous mountain range bordering peninsular plateau in the west whose other name is Sahyadris.
- b) Adjacent to modern day Patna was a city in ancient India.
- c) Located at western direction of India with its capital Islamabad.
- d) One of the oldest ranges of the world bordering peninsular plateau on the North Western side.
- e) An ancient city located in Gujarat was the capital city of the Maitraka Dynasty.
- f) Located at Northern direction of India with its capital Thimphu.