



INDIAN SCHOOL SOHAR
PERIODIC TEST III (2023-24)
SOCIAL SCIENCE (087)

SET 1

CLASS: IX
DATE: 14/01/2024

MAX. MARKS: 20
TIME: 40 MINUTES

General Instructions:

- i. The question paper comprises Four Sections – A, B, C, D. There are 10 questions in the question paper. All questions are compulsory.
- ii. Section A - From question 1 to 5 are MCQs of 1 mark each.
- iii. Section B - Question no. 6 and 7 are Very Short Answer Type Questions, carrying 2 marks each. Answer to each question should not exceed 40 words.
- iv. Section C - contains Question no.8 and 9 are Short Answer Type Questions, carrying 3 marks each. Answer to each question should not exceed 60 words
- v. Section D - Question no. 10 is a long answer type questions, carrying 5 marks each. Answer to each question should not exceed 120 words.

SECTION A
MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS (1 X 5 = 5)

1. Choose the option related to the people's participation in the election process based on the following statement:
- i. They feel that through elections they can bring pressure on political parties to adopt policies and programmes favourable to them.
 - ii. In India the poor, illiterate and underprivileged people vote in lesser proportion as compared to the rich and privileged sections.
 - iii. People's participation in election is usually measured by voter turnout figures.
 - iv. The interest of voters in election related activities has been increasing over the years.

Options:

- a. Statements i and ii are correct
- b. Statements ii, iii & iv are correct
- c. Statement ii is correct
- d. Statements (i), (iii) & (iv) are correct

2. There are two statements marked as Assertion (A) and Reason (R). Mark your answer as per the codes provided below:

Assertion (A): The Narmada and the Tapi are the only long rivers, which flow west and make estuaries.

Reason (R): These rivers carry large amount of sediments and drained into Bay of Bengal.

- a. Both (A) and (R) are true and (R) is the correct explanation of (A)
- b. Both A and R are true and R is not the correct explanation of A.
- c. (A) is correct but (R) is wrong
- d. (A) is wrong but (R) is correct

3. Identify the statement as shown in the given picture and choose the correct option.

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- a. Police escorting gypsies who are being deported to Arbeitsdorf, 1940-1944
- b. Police escorting gypsies who are being deported to Auschwitz, 1943-1944
- c. Police escorting gypsies who are being deported to Chelmno, 1941-1944
- d. Police escorting gypsies who are being deported to Majdanek, 1942-1944

4. Arrange the following statements in sequential order based on the events that shaped the political radicalism and economic crises.

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- i. The anguished Spartacists later founded the Communist Party of Germany.
- ii. The political atmosphere in Berlin was charged with demands for Soviet-style governance.
- iii. Germany refused to pay, and the French occupied its leading industrial area, Ruhr, to claim their coal.
- iv. Germany had fought the war largely on loans and had to pay war reparations in gold.

Options:

(a) ii, i, iv, iii

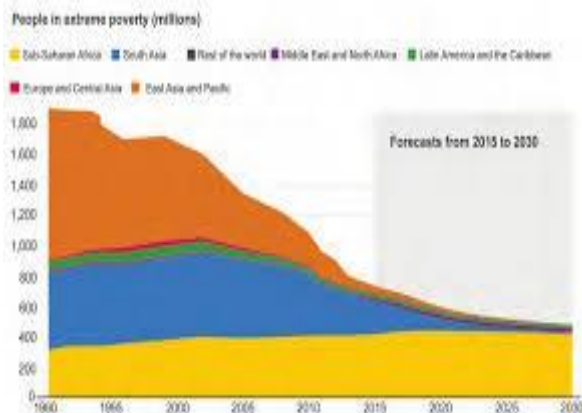
(b) iv, iii, ii, I .

(c) i, iv, iii, ii

(d) iv, i, iii, ii

5. Study the given Graph below:

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Identify the area of the globe which has the largest concentration of the poor.

- (a) China
- (b) East Asia and Pacific
- (c) East Asia
- (d) South Asia

SECTION B
VERY SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS (2 X 2 = 4)

6. "Every fifth person in India is poor." Substantiate the given statement. 2
7. State any two characteristic features of the Kaveri River Basin. 2

SECTION C
SHORT ANSWER-BASED QUESTIONS (3 X 2 = 6)

8. Mention any three main provisions laid down under the 'Model code of conduct' to regulate the election campaign. 3

OR

Explain how the outcome of election is a final test of free and fair election.

9. What are the three major reasons for less effectiveness of anti-poverty measures? 3

SECTION D
LONG ANSWER-BASED QUESTIONS (5 X 1 = 5)

10. "Nazi propaganda was effective in creating a hatred for Jews." Justify the statement with five valid points. 5

OR

Where do the Raikas live? Mention characteristics of their economy and life.
