

CBSE
Class VII
Social Science
Sample Paper 4

Time: 2 hrs

Total Marks: 80

General Instructions:

1. There are 38 questions in all.
 2. Marks for each question is indicated against the question.
 3. Questions from serial number 1 to 8, 14 to 20, 26 to 33 are multiple choice questions of 1 mark each.
 4. Questions from serial number 9 to 11, 21 to 23, 34 to 36 and are 3 marks questions.
 5. Question numbers 12 to 13, 24 to 25, 37 to 38 are 5 marks questions.
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Section A
History

- Q1. Babur succeeded to the throne of _____ in 1494 when he was only 12 years old. (1)
- a. Persia
 - b. Kabul
 - c. Mongolia
 - d. Ferghana
- Q2. Which Mughal emperor failed to control the 'jagirdars' in last years of his reign? (1)
- a. Akbar
 - b. Jahangir
 - c. Shah Jahan
 - d. Aurangzeb
- Q3. Who built the town of Thanjavur? (1)
- a. Vijayalaya
 - b. Muttaraiyar
 - c. Rajaraja I
 - d. Prithviraja III
- Q4. Which ruler constructed a new garrison town named Siri for his soldiers? (1)
- a. Illtutmish
 - b. Alauddin Khilji
 - c. Muhammad Tughlaq
 - d. Sikandar Lodi
- Q5. Which group of people became important during the period between 700 and 1750?
- a. Cholas
 - b. Guptas
 - c. Mauryans
 - d. Rajputs

- Q6. Who among these was a contemporary of Rajendra I? (1)
a. Muhammad Ghori
b. Sultan Mahmud of Ghazni
c. Muhammad bin Tughlaq
d. Humayun
- Q7. A Sanskrit 'prashasti' praised which of the following Delhi Sultans? (1)
a. Aibak
b. Razia
c. Balban
d. Firoz Shah Tughlaq
- Q8. Which delta became the centre of large kingdoms? (1)
a. Ganga
b. Kaveri
c. Jhelum
d. Sutlej
- Q9. How was agriculture practised in the Chola kingdom? (3)
- Q10. Discuss the Mughal lineage. (3)
- OR**
- What was the tradition of succession among the Mughals? (3)
- Q11. Discuss the architectural style of the Qutb Minar. (3)
- Q12. Discuss five main features of the Chola administration. (5)
- Q13. Give an estimate of the policies of Alauddin Khalji. (5)
- OR**
- Give an estimate of the policies of Mohammad Tughlaq.

Section B **Civics**

- Q.14 Name the first state to introduce mid-day meal scheme? (1)
a. Maharashtra
b. Kerala
c. Rajasthan
d. Tamil Nadu
- Q15. Name an Afro-American woman who changed the course of American History (Civil Rights Movement)? (1)
a. Nancy Regalia
b. Rosa Parks
c. Shelly Johnson
d. Celina Charles

Q16. The public health care system is run by the (1)
a. Private industrialists
b. Government
c. Military
d. NGOs

Q17. The Legislative Assembly of the state of Himachal Pradesh has how many MLA constituencies? (1)
a. 65
b. 66
c. 67
d. 68

Q18. In most societies, the roles of men and women are (1)
a. Valued equally
b. Not valued equally
c. Not valued
d. None of the above

Q19. Rashsundari Devi wrote her biography in which language? (1)
a. Hindi
b. Sanskrit
c. Bangla
d. Marathi

Q20. Scheduled Caste is an official term used for? (1)
a. Adivasi
b. Poor
c. Dalit
d. All of the above

Q21. Article 15 of our constitution guarantees equality. Discuss (3)

Q22. Societies influence the upbringing of boys and girls. Discuss (3)

OR

What steps have been taken by the government to eradicate gender inequalities in India?

Q23. Discuss any three limitations of the public health care system in India. (3)

Q24. How were the blacks discriminated in South Africa? (5)

Q25. What are the reasons for low literacy rates among the Dalit, Muslim and Adivasi Children? (5)

OR

Discuss the contributions of Rokeya Sakhawat Hossain. (5)

Section C
Geography

- Q26. Which of the following is NOT an abiotic component? (1)
- a. Water
 - b. Rocks
 - c. Mountains
 - d. Forests
- Q27. Plants and animals together makes _____? (1)
- a. Lithosphere
 - b. Hydrosphere
 - c. Biosphere
 - d. None of the above
- Q28. A _____ is a vent in the earth's crust through which molten material erupts suddenly? (1)
- a. Earthquake
 - b. Volcano
 - c. Mountain
 - d. All the above
- Q29. Which gas is abundantly found in air? (1)
- a. Nitrogen
 - b. Oxygen
 - c. Carbon dioxide
 - d. Argon
- Q30. The rhythmic rise and fall of ocean water twice in a day is called a _____? (1)
- a. Waves
 - b. Tides
 - c. Ocean currents
 - d. All of the above
- Q31. The World Water Day is celebrated on (1)
- a. 20 April
 - b. 21 April
 - c. 22 April
 - d. 22 March
- Q32. Clay changes into _____ under extreme heat and pressure. (1)
- a. Marble
 - b. Granite
 - c. Slate
 - d. Limestone

Q33. The Dead Sea is located in_____. (1)

- a. Egypt
- b. London
- c. New York
- d. Isreal

Q34. Explain three features of lithosphere. (3)

Q35. Discuss three features of the earth's crust. (3)

OR

Differentiate between extrusive and intrusive igneous rocks.

Q36. Differentiate between endogenic and exogenic forces. (3)

Q37. Explain the composition of atmosphere with the help of a well labelled diagram. (5)

Q38. Explain the water cycle with the help of a neat well-labelled diagram. (5)

OR

List any five importance of tides.