

CBSE
Class IX
Social Science
Sample Paper 5

Time: 3 hrs

Total Marks: 80

General Instructions:

- a) The question paper is divided into four sections – Section A, Section B, Section C and Section D.
 - b) The question paper has 26 questions in all.
 - c) All questions are compulsory.
 - d) Marks are indicated against each question.
 - e) Questions from serial number 1 to 7 are very short answer type questions. Each question carries one mark.
 - f) Questions from serial number 8 to 18 are 3 marks questions. Answer of these questions should not exceed 80 words each.
 - g) Questions from serial number 19 to 25 are 5 marks questions. Answer of these questions should not exceed 100 words each.
 - h) Question number 26 is a map question of 5 marks with two parts -26 A from History (2 marks) and 26 B from Geography (3 marks).
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SECTION A

- 1. Mention one difference between the beliefs of the liberals and the radicals. (1)
- 2. What defined the conditions of the pastoralists in the states of Karnataka and Andhra Pradesh? (1)
- 3. Name neighbouring countries of India. (1)
- 4. What is Tropic of cancer? (1)
- 5. What is human capital? (1)
- 6. What is MP and an MLA? (1)
- 7. What are constitutional rights? (1)

SECTION B

- 8. Why People in France rebelled against absolute monarchy? (3)
- 9. The Nazis used language and media carefully to propagate their ideologies. Discuss. (3)

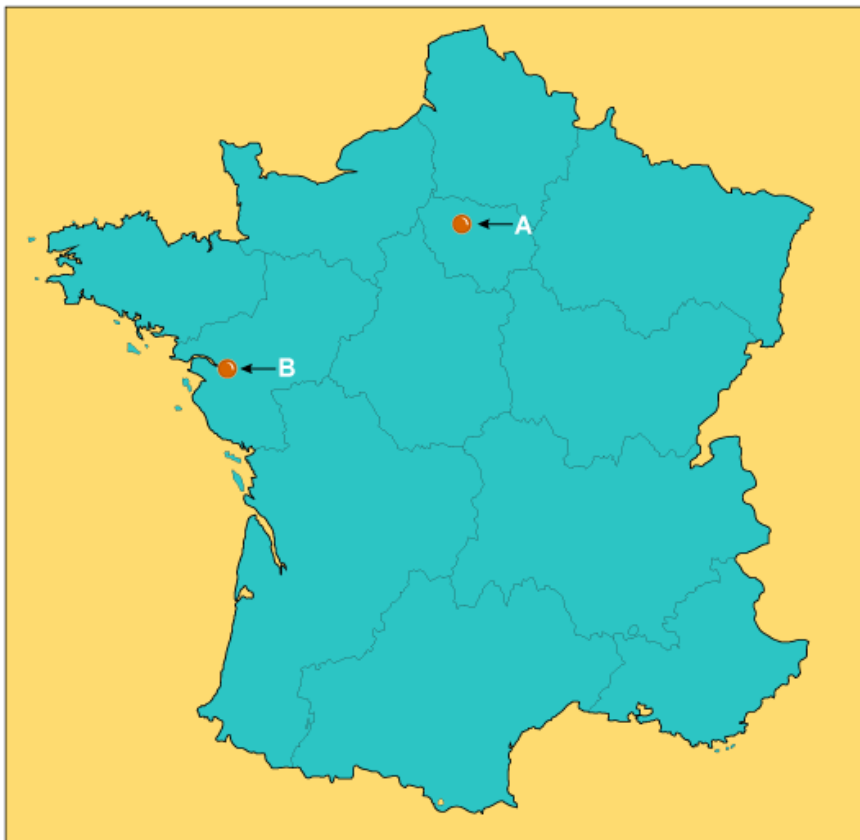
10. Explain the differences amongst various sections in constitution creation. (3)
11. Explain three capitals form by giving examples. (3)
12. Who are the cabinet and council ministers? Give one difference. (3)
13. Discuss one feature each of the three courses of the river. (3)
14. The two qualities of a democratic government is accountability and transparency. Give reasons in support of your answer. (3)
15. Discuss three powers and functions of the President of India. (3)
16. Green Revolution deteriorated the quality of natural resources. Justify the statement. (3)
17. What is the difference between human and capital resource? (3)
18. Since 1970's, India has avoided famine even during adverse weather conditions. Give reason. (3)

SECTION C

19. Discuss the impact of the enclosure of lands on the poor. (5)
20. There are several dimensions to poverty. Elaborate. (5)
21. Discuss five main characteristics of winter season in India. (5)
22. 'The PDS has proved to be the most effective instrument of government policy'. In light of the statement, define PDS and give four points in favour of the statement. (5)
23. Discuss five important functions of the Election Commissioner. (5)
24. Discuss five main differences between tropical evergreen and deciduous forests. (5)
25. Analyse the system of elections in India. Throw light on use of money and muscle power in India. (5)

SECTION D

26. (A) Two cities A and B related to the peasant revolt are marked on the outline map of France. Identify these cities and write their correct names on the lines marked on the map. (2)



27. On the given political outline map of India locate the following features with appropriate symbols: (3)

- a. Kanha National Park
- b. Anaimudi Peak
- c. Shillong
- d. The state having the lowest sex ratio
- e. The Aravali mountain range