

Summative Assessment I

Class: VI

Social Science

Maximum Marks: 90

Time: 3 Hrs.

PART A HISTORY - 35 Marks

I. Choose the correct answer form the given alternatives:

(5)

1. Daojali Hading is a Neolithic site on the hills located near:
A) Indus valley B) Kashmir Valley C) Brahmaputra Valley
2. The scholars who study the objects which were used in the past
A) Historians B) Archeologist C) Anthropologists
3. It is a Sanskrit word which means in praise of:
A) Prashasti B) Sabha C) Samanta
4. Bimbisara and Ajatasatru were two prominent rulers of:
A) Vajji B) Magadha C) Kosala
5. Kalinga is the ancient name of
A) Bengal B) Haryana C) Orissa



II. Complete the following:

(5)

1. According to archeologist, Hunter gathers chose to live in caves and rock shelters to _____
2. _____ are writings on hard surface such as stone or metal
3. Prehistoric period is called stone age because _____
4. The Harappans used copper and Bronze to make _____
5. The rulers were not succeeded on hereditary basis during Rigvedic period rather they were _____

III. Answer the following (Any six)

(12)

1. Why did the early civilization developed and flourished in the river valleys?
2. What were the two important factors contributed to the rise of Magadha into a powerful kingdom
3. Write three features of housing in Harappan city.
4. Mention any three differences between Paleolithic age and Mesolithic age.
5. Write a short note on 'Ashvamedha' Yaga performed during ancient period.

6. Write a short note on Varna system prevailed in India.
7. People in the earliest times used to travel from one place to another, but their journey were full of dangers. What type of dangers did they face? Explain any two points.

IV Answer in detail (Any two)

(10)

1. Briefly explain the various features of Harappan Civilization under the following heading;
 1. Houses
 2. Drainage system
 3. Life of the people
2. What were the reasons for the decline of Harappan Civilization
3. What are important features of capital cities of 'mahajanapadas' ? Why were they fortified?

V Locate the following on outline map of India

(3)

- a. Hungsi
- b. Kurnool Caves
- b. Burzahom

PART B GEOGRAPHY - 30 Marks

VI. Choose the correct answer form the given alternatives:

(5)

1. The earth is called blue planet because
 - A) The earth is blue in colour
 - B) The sky appears blue in colour
 - C) the earth looks blue from the space because of the presence of water on it
2. Indian standard time is 5 Hrs. 30mts ahead of Greenwich Meanbecause
 - A) India is located east of Greenwich
 - B) The earth rotates from west to east and takes 4 mts. To move 1 degree longitude
 - C) Both A and B
3. Between which parallel of latitudes is the Northern Temperate Zone located
 - A) Tropic of Cancer and Tropic of Capricorn
 - B) Tropic of Cancer and Arctic Circle
 - C) Tropic of Capricorn and Antactic Circle
4. Which is the third nearest planet to the sun?
 - A) Venus
 - B) Earth
 - C) Mercury
5. The circle that divides the globe into day and night is called



A) Circle of illumination

B) Equator

C) Tropic of capricorn

VII. Fill in the blanks

(5)

1. The distance between the longitudes decreases towards _____
2. The term used to describes the equal duration of day and night that occurs twice in a year is _____
3. The shape of earth is described as _____
4. _____ is the representation of the earth's surface on a flat surface according to scale.
5. The Pole Star indicate the direction to the _____

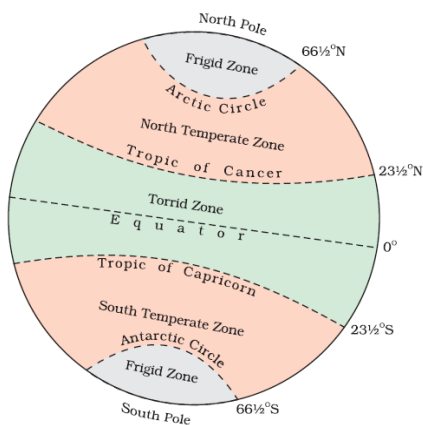
VIII. Answer the following (Any Five)

(10)

1. Why does the moon appear in different in each night?
2. Why does the Torrid Zone receive the maximum amount of heat?
3. What were the various component of map? Explain
4. Give two advantages of map over globe?
5. Name the planets according to their distance from the sun.
6. Define rotation and revolution.

IX. Answer in detail (Any two)

(10)



1. Observe the diagram and explain the heat zones of the earth



2. Draw a physical map of your school campus by using appropriate symbols by including following:
 1. Buildings
 2. Nearest Railway station
 3. Nearest Police station
 4. Water source for your school
 5. Roads to your school
3. With the help of a diagram explain the Solar System.

PART B POLITICAL AND SOCIAL LIFE- 25 Marks

X. Match the following:-

(5)

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| 1. | An adverse Judgment or opinion formed without knowledge of fact | - | Equality |
| 2. | Fixing the people into one image | - | Prejudice |
| 3. | Various opinion and beliefs of the people of the same country | - | Apartheid |
| 4. | A system of social segregation | - | Diversity |
| 5. | The fact of being equal in rights and status | - | Stereotype |

XI. Answer the following (any five)

(10)

1. 'India considered a country of much diversity'. Explain
2. How does the stereotype thinking affect us?
3. Briefly explain any two types of Govt. exists in the world
5. Observe the following collage and explains major function of the Government



6. What are the various ways in which people participate in the process of the Govt.?

XII. Answer in detail:

(10)

1. What are the various functions of a Grama Panchayath? What are the sources of its fund?
2. Why is democracy accepted as a better form of government than a monarchy? Write any three arguments in support of your answer.