

Stage III

Sample QUESTION PAPER

Unsolved

S O C I A L S C I E N C E

A Highly Simulated Practice Question Papers for **CBSE Class IX**
Term I Examination (SA I)

Time : 3 hrs

Max. Marks : 90

General Instructions

1. The question paper has 30 questions in all. All questions are compulsory.
2. Question numbers 1 to 9 are Multiple Choice Questions. Each question carries 1 Mark.
3. Question numbers 10 to 21 are 3 Marks Questions. Answers to these questions should not exceed 80 words.
4. Question numbers 22 to 29 are 5 Marks Questions. Answers to these questions should not exceed 120 words.
5. Question numbers 30 is a map question of 5 Marks.

Que 1. In the mid 1920's, many countries financed their investments through loans from

- (a) UK (b) USA
(c) USSR (d) All of these

Que 2. Fine quality textiles were produced in

- (a) England (b) France
(c) China (d) India

Que 3. Durgeshnandini was authored by

- (a) Bankim Chandra Chattopadhyay
(b) Munshi Premchand
(c) Chandu Menon
(d) Srinivas Das

Que 4. Dams are not classified according to

- (a) structure
(b) height
(c) purpose
(d) weight

Que 5. Rabi crops are sown from

- (a) October to December
(b) April to June
(c) June to July
(d) September to October

Que 6. Majority of the Sri-Lankan people speak

- (a) Tamil (b) English
(c) Sinhalese (d) French

Que 7. Coming together federation is found in

- (a) USA
(b) Switzerland
(c) Australia
(d) All of the above

Que 8. Essential services come under

- (a) primary sector
(b) secondary sector
(c) tertiary sector
(d) primary and secondary sector

Que 9. Primary goods are used to make new goods by the

- (a) primary sector
- (b) secondary sector
- (c) agricultural sector
- (d) a and b

Que 10. What do you mean by Industrial sector? In which sector, the production of goods has increased the most?

Que 11. What steps have been taken to make the third tier of democracy more powerful and effective?

Que 12. Briefly describe the Panchayat system in rural areas.

Que 13. How did the assembly line technique help in production?

Que 14. Who was the jobber?

Que 15. What were the problems created by indiscriminate use of resources?

Que 16. Many foresters and environmentalists blame grazing and fuelwood collection for degrading forests. Discuss.

Que 17. In what respects is the criterion used by the UNDP for measuring development different from the one used by the World Bank?

Que 18. Describe the underemployment in urban areas.

Que 19. Why mass transport had become necessary in the first half of the 20th Century in London?

Que 20. What methods were used by Europeans to retain the African labour?

OR

Why was the condition of the weavers of fine quality cloth better than those weaving coarse cloth?

Que 21. Caste alone cannot determine election results in India. Explain.

Que 22. Give the positive and negative effects of caste on politics.

Que 23. Give a brief description of the sugarcane production in India.

Que 24. What steps have been taken by the government to modernise agriculture?

Que 25. How does the government help the private sector in production of goods and services?

Que 26. Punjab has higher per capita income but Kerala has a better human development ranking. Explain.

Que 27. Which new forms of popular literature appeared in the 18th Century in Europe?

Que 28. Explain the contribution of Premchand to the field of novel writing.

OR

Children became an important category of readers. Explain.

Que 29. What was the concept of linguistic states?

Que 30. (a) On the given map, two features A and B are marked identify them and write their correct names on the lines drawn on the map.

1. Soil Type
2. Major cotton growing state

(b) On the same map locate and label

- A. Corbett National Park
- B. Nagarjuna Sagar

