

- All Questions are compulsory
 - Do map work on given map and attached with the answer sheet by removing from Question paper.
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History

Q1. Fill in the blanks (1X6=6)

- i) The years before the birth of Jesus Christ are counted in _____.
- ii) The stone tools of _____ stone age are called Microliths.
- iii) Since both _____ and _____ were used, this period is called the Chalcolithic age.
- iv) _____ is the largest building in Mohenjodaro.
- v) Two techniques used by early humans to make stone tools _____ and _____.
- vi) Literary sources are divided into _____ and _____ sources.

Q2. Describe the following terms (2X4=8)

- i) Manuscript ii) Pit houses at Burzahom iii) Lower Town iv) Flint

Q3. Write the answer for the following questions : (3x4=12)

- i) Why were early humans always on the move?
- ii) What may have happened to Indus Valley civilization to decline.
- iii) How was Dholavira different from most Indus cities.
- iv) How have the Himalayas helped in shaping the history of India?

Q4. Long answer type questions (Attempt any three) (4x3=12)

- i) Briefly explain the different types of literary sources.
- ii) Write short notes on -
 - a) Daily life of early humans b) Mehrgarh period I
- iii) What occupations and crafts did the Harappans practice?
- iv) The Harappans can be called great architects and engineers. Do you agree? Give reason in support of your argument.

Q5. Map work (½x4=2)

Locate the following places-

- a. Mirzapur b. Mohenjo-daro c. Burzahom d. Maski

Geography

Q1. Fill in the blanks (1x6=6)

- i) The variation in the length of days and nights is due to _____ of the earth's axis.

- ii) Scale is the ratio between _____ and _____ .
- iii) The standard meridian of India has been chosen at _____ .
- iv) The asteroid belt lies between the orbit of _____ and _____ .
- v) _____ planet is known as the Earth's twin?
- vi) _____ is the other name given to the 0° meridian?
- Q2. Distinguish between the following (Attempt any TWO) (2x2=4)
- i) Torrid zone and frigid zone.
- ii) Solstice and Equinox.
- iii) Parallels and Meridians.
- Q3. Define the following terms (2x2=4)
- i. Local time ii. Conventional symbols
- Q4. Write the answer for the following questions (3x4=12)
- i) What are the main limitations of a globe?
- ii) What are the effects of the Earth's rotation?
- iii) Write two characteristics each of parallel and meridian?
- iv) Describe the phases of the moon. Draw diagram.
- Q5. Long answer type questions (Attempt any THREE) (4x3=12)
- i) Explain the phenomenon of seasons with the help of a diagram.
- ii) Describe the different methods of showing scale on a map.
- iii) Why is standard time needed for every country?
- iv) How is the earth a unique planet in the solar system?
- Q6. Map work (1+½+½ = 2)
- i) Tropic of cancer passing through India (Mark the Indian states)
- ii) Capital of Kerala
- iii) Faizabad

Political Science

- Q1. Write short answer for the following (1x5=5)
- i) All Indians are one despite their -:
- a. Country b. Festivals c. Differences
- ii) _____ means the unfair treatment of a person or group on the basis of prejudice.
- iii) The most direct form of popular participation in forming a government is called _____.
- iv) In India _____ is the head of the state and _____ is the head of the government.
- v) What is the full form of ST & OBC?

Q2. Answer briefly

(2x3=6)

- i) What is religious music and folk music?
- ii) What part of our Constitution deals with fundamental rights? What does it contain?
- iii) Which categories are denied the rights to vote in most countries?

Q3. Write detailed answer (Attempt any Three)

(3x3=9)

- i) Distinguish between Rigid and flexible Constitution?
- ii) Write short note on the Backwaters and Gompas.
- iii) Define the term Stereotype? Briefly explain the story of Sulakshana.
- iv) Write two characteristics each of an Authoritarian and Democratic Government.

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