



OSDAV Public School, Kaithal
November Exam (2024- 25)
Class : VIII
Subject : Social Science

SET-A

Time:1:20 Hrs.

M.M. : 30

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3.	Which one of the following subjects comes under the State List? (a) Foreign affairs (b) Defence (c) Police (d) Currency	1										
4.	Cotton is a _____ (a) Cereal crop (b) fiber crop (c)fruit crop (d) beverage crop	1										
5.	Choose the incorrect statement from the following with respect to Nomadic herding:- (a) People migrate along with their animals. (b) They rear cattle, sheep, goat, camel and Yaks. (C) It is common in western and Central Asia. (d) Khonds and Santhals are the nomadic tribes of Himalayas	1										
Section - B												
6.	Mention any two features of Plantation Agriculture.	2										
7.	Define Regional Political party and write any two examples of it.	2										
Section- C												
8.	‘Our democratic government has also protected the interest of the backward section of the society’. Justify the statement by giving 3 arguments.	3										
9.	State the geographical conditions required for the production of Wheat.	3										
10.	Describe the composition of Lok Sabha .	3										
Section - D												
11.	State India’s economic progress by highlighting the major achievements in this field.	5										
12.	Highlight the importance of Agriculture for people around the World.	5										
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3.	Which one of the following subjects comes under the Union List? (a) Foreign affairs (b) forests (c) drugs and medicines (d) marriage	1										
4.	_____ are the two nomadic tribe who lives in Himalyas in India (a) Khonds and Mundas (b) Santhals and Gonds (c) Khasi and Kukis (d) Bhotiyas and Gujjars	1										
5.	Choose the incorrect statement from the following with respect to Plantation Agriculture:- (a) It is commonly practiced in hot and dry regions of the world. (b) Benefit of single crop is obtained continuously for several years. (c) Most of the processing work is done at the Plantation site itself. (d) It requires huge capital investment.	1										
Section - B												
6.	Mention any two features of shifting agriculture.	2										
7.	Define National Political party and write any two examples of it.	1+1=2										
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8.	Name the architect of India's foreign policy and mention any two features of it.	1+2=3										
9.	State the geographical conditions required for the production of Tea.	3										
10.	Describe the composition of Rajya Sabha.	3										
Section - D												
11.	State the main features of the Indian Independence Act,1947.	5										
12.	Describe any five advantages of using biotechnology for agricultural development.	5										
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1.	Ans- (d) 1-iii,2-i,3-ii,4-iv	1
2.	Ans- d) A is incorrect but R is correct	1
3.	Ans- (c) Police	1
4.	Ans- (b) fiber crop	1
5.	Ans- (d) Khonds and Santhals are the nomadic tribe of Himalayas	1
Section - B		
6.	Ans-1. It is commonly practised in hot humid region of the world. 2.Benefit of single crop is obtained continuously for several years.	2
7.	Ans- A party that secures at least 6% of the total votes in an election to the legislative assembly of a state and wins at least two seats is recognised as a state party. JJP, RJD.	2
Section- C		
8.	Ans- 1It was necessary to have a system where every section of the society would be represented. 2.Equality means equality of status and opportunity without any discrimination . 3.Our democratic government has also protected the interest of the backward section of the society by providing reservation to them.	3
9.	Ans- Wheat Temperature- At the time of sowing 10 to 15°C and at the time of harvesting 20 to 25°C temperature is required. Rainfall- 75 to100 cm Soil type – Loamy soil is required	3
10.	Ans- 1.The maximum strength of the looks were shall not exceed 552. 2.Out of this 530 members are directly elected by the people from the different states. 3.The remaining 20 are elected from the union territories and the rest two members are nominated by the president from the Anglo Indian community.	3
Section - D		
11.	Ans- 1.Our economic progress can be witnessed in expansion and diversification of production both in industry and agriculture. 2.The government has built the infrastructure like power in formation technology communication transport etc which are the basic requirements of the industry. 3.Indian government has also followed the policy of increasing indigenous industries. 4.In the agriculture sector irrigation fertilisers and research have improved the scenario. little turn again 5.In agriculture sector the progress and development can be witnessed in green revolution and white revolution etc.	5
12.	Ans-1.Most of the population of the world is still depends on the agriculture for its livelihood. 2.It is the backbone of our country's economic development.	5

3. Agriculture not only supplies food to the people but also create huge market for tractors, threshers, harvesters, fertilisers pesticides and other industrial products.
 4. It helps in providing employment ,eradicating poverty, enhancing trade and earning foreign exchange.
 5. Agriculture also plays an important role in strengthening global relation by increasing international trade of agriculture product.

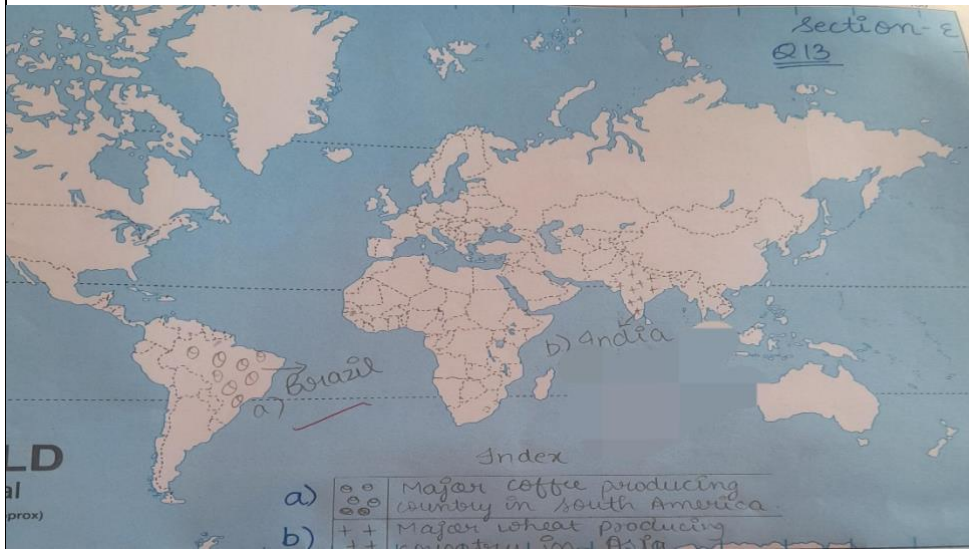
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2.	Ans- (b) Both A and R are true and R is not the correct explanation of A	1
3.	Ans- (a) Foreign affairs	1
4.	Ans- (d) Bhotiyas and Gujjars	1
5.	Ans- (a) It is commonly practiced in hot and dry regions of the world.	1
Section - B		
6.	Ans- 1.After the soil loses its fertility the land is abandoned and the cultivators move to a new plot. 2.People cultivate the land with simple tools.	2
7.	Ans- A party that secure at least 6% of the total votes in Lok Sabha elections or assembly elections in four States and win at least four seats in the Lok Sabha is recognised as a National Party.Ex. BJP,INC	1+1=2
Section- C		
8.	Ans- Pt.Jawaharlal Nehru was the architect of India's foreign policy. Features:-1.Non Alignment 1. Panchsheel	1+2=3
9.	-Tea :- Soil type- A deep well- drained fertile alluvial soil is good for the crop. Rainfall- It needs 150 -300 Cm of annual rainfall. Temperature- 20 to 30 °C	3
10.	Ans-1.The maximum strength of Rajya Sabha is 250. 2.Out of these 12 members are nominated by president . 3. 238 members are elected by the elected members of state legislative assemblies and union territories.	3
Section - D		
11.	Ans- 1.The British rule over India would end with immediate effect 2.An independent domination of India was made including the United provinces under the British like Madras presidency, Carnatic, E Punjab W Bangal,Assam etc. 3.West Punjab, northwest frontier province, Sindh and east Bengal would go to Pakistan. 4.The princely states were given the freedom to decide which dominion to join. 5.The domination of India and Pakistan were granted complete freedom and they became member of British Commonwealth.	5
12.	Ans- 1.It improves the value of existing plants. 2.It improves the nutritional quality of a plant. 3.It improves the production. 4.It reduces disease in Plants. 5.It reduces the cost of agriculture.	5
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