

## HALF-YEARLY EXAMINATION

## SUBJECT: SOCIAL SCIENCE

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Class : IX

Max. Marks : 80

Date : 11/09/2017

Time : 3 hrs

**General Instructions:**

1. The question paper consist of 27 questions in all. All questions are compulsory.
2. Question No. 1 to 7 are of 1 mark each. Answer to these questions should not exceed 20 to 40 words.
3. Question No. 8 to 18 are of 3 marks each. Answer to these questions should not exceed 80 words.
4. Questions No.19 to 25 are of 5 marks each. Answer to these questions should not exceed 100 to 120 words.
5. Question No. 26 & 27 are map questions carrying 1+1 =2 marks for History and 1+1+1= 3 marks for Geography. After completion, attach the maps inside your answer booklet.

- Q.1 Who were the Sans-Culottes? (1)
- Q.2 Why did USA enter the Second World War? (1)
- Q.3 Between which latitudes does the mainland of India extend? 9° 5' N to 37° 6' N, 82° 6' E to 74° 37' E (1)
- Q.4 Which part of the Himalayas lies between Indus and Satluj rivers? Punjab. (1)
- Q.5 Mention the name of a salt water lake situated on the eastern coast of India. Chilika (1)
- Q.6 What was the policy of segregation? (1)
- Q.7 What does 'yield' mean? (1)
- Q.8 What measures were taken by the Robespierre's government? (3)
- Q.9 Explain the monstrous nature of Nazi Rule in Germany. (3)
- Q.10 Name two headstreams of river Ganga. Where do they meet to form river Ganga. Name the most important tributary of river Ganga. U.P (1+1+1= 3)
- Q.11 Justify the naming of Indian Ocean after India. (3)
- Q.12 What are the three types of Plate Movements on the Earth? (3)
- Q.13 Do you support that more nations should become permanent members of the Security Council? (3)
- Q.14 Why is Zimbabwe not considered as a democratic country? (3)
- Q.15 Describe the basic ideas that were accepted by almost everyone in India even before the Constitutional Assembly met to frame the Constitution. (3)
- Q.16 'Village Palampore is a well developed village.' Justify the statement. (3)
- Q.17 What significant steps have been taken by the government under 'Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan'. (3)
- Q.18 Describe the main non-farm activities practiced by the people of village Palampur. (3)
- Q.19 Explain the 'French Slave Trade' in brief. (5)
- Q.20 Elaborate how the Nazi propaganda was effective in creating hatred for Jews. (5)
- Q.21 Why are rivers important for the country's economy? (5)
- Q.22 Why has democracy spread throughout the world in the last hundred years? (5)

- Q.23 Discuss the reasons for success of the Constitution that was framed more than sixty years ago? (5)
- Q.24 'Unemployment has a detrimental impact on the overall growth of the economy.' Justify the statement. (5)
- Q.25 Explain the role of the government in increasing the non-farm activities in rural areas. (5)