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PRE-BOARD Examination

Class: X

Subject: Social Science

Time allowed: 3 hrs.

Max. Marks: 80

INSTRUCTIONS

- There are 30 questions in all. All questions compulsory.
- Marks for each question are indicated against each question.
- Answer to the questions of:
 - 1 mark must be to the point or between 20-30 words.
 - 2 marks must not exceed 40 words each.
 - 3 marks must not exceed 80 words each.
 - 4 marks must not exceed 100 words each.
- Attach maps carefully with the Answer sheet.
- The question paper is divided into two sections
Section A – 54 marks
Section B – 26 marks

SECTION – A

INDIA AND THE CONTEMPORARY WORLD, DEMOCRATIC POLITICS AND ECONOMICS

1. Give the classification of the countries as per world development report of 2006. **1**
2. What is meant by Black power? **1**
3. 'Women in different parts of the world have agitated and protested to secure certain rights.' Mention any two of them. **1**
4. Distinguish between serialized and episolatory novel by giving examples. **1**
5. 'In democracy all citizens have one vote which means that there is absence of any domination or conflict? Give argument to support or oppose. **1**
6. (a) What basic information do you expect on any kind of packing in the market? **1x3=3**
(b) What is meant by MRP and what is its significance?
(c) Give the rationale behind the enactment of COPRA '86.
7. With the help of suitable reasons suggest as to which challenges are being faced by the following countries:
(a) Myanmar (b) Nepal (c) India **1x3=3**

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8. (a) 'The 19th century European novel were based on specific issues.' Mention any two of them. **1+2=3**
(b) Give examples of two novels of Charles Dickens that focused on 19th century problems.
9. Give the merits and demerits of underground railway system in London.(3 in each category) **3**
10. (a) Name the Act passed by the government that assures fixed day of employment? **1+3=4**
(b) Give three possible ways by which the problem of disguised unemployment can be reduced or eliminated from the rural areas.
11. (a) Give two steps to attract foreign direct investment in our country? **2+2=4**
(b) Give the impact of globalization in Indian economy?
12. (a) Define credit. **1+2=3**
(b) Distinguish between formal and informal credit.
13. 'Communalism may take various ugly forms.' Discuss any four of them. **4**
14. (a) Give two major functions of political parties. **2+2=4**
(b) How do pressure groups and moments exert influence on politics?
15. (a) What is meant by decentralization? **1+3=4**
(b) 'The Indian constitution was amended to make the third tier of democracy more powerful and effective in the year 1992.' List three such features.
16. (a) "The schools in Vietnam were an important place for political and cultural battle against colonialism." Explain How? **2+2=4**
(b) 'The rat menace marked the limits of French power in Vietnam.' How?
17. 'The indentured labour was a new form of slavery in the 19th century.' Write a short note explaining the meaning and destinations of indentured labour along with the working conditions they were subjected to live in. **4**
18. (a) Briefly give two reasons for the launch of Civil Disobedience Movement. **2+2=4**
(b) Did the dalits participate in the Civil Disobedience Movement? Justify your answer very briefly.
19. On the outline map of Asia shade and locate the Indo-chinese region. **2**

