

Social Science Holiday Homework

Class X

Session 2017-18

Prepare a Question Bank on the following questions:

Q: Answer the following questions. Each question carries one mark.

1. What is the other name for the Black Soil?
2. What is Power Sharing?
3. How many languages have been recognized by the Indian Constitution?
4. What is Gross Domestic Product?
5. State one characteristic of unorganized sector.
6. What is the main reason for land degradation in Punjab?
7. What was Tamil Elam?
8. What is the basic idea behind the power sharing of Indian federation?
9. Which type of soil has a good capacity to hold moisture?
10. Name to ethnic groups of Belgium?
11. State two subjects under Concurrent List?
12. What do you mean by final goods and services?
13. What is Structural Unemployment?
14. Name one country which falls in the category of 'Coming Together' federation.
15. Define Underemployment.
16. What are potential Resources?
17. What do you understand by Checks and Balances?

Q: Answer the following questions. Each question carries three marks.

1. Classify the resources on the basis of origin.
2. Why is it necessary to conserve water resources in India? Explain with three reasons.
3. Write any three features of Indian Agriculture.
4. Distinguish between 'coming together' and 'Holding together' federations with examples.
5. How is Body Mass Index calculated? Why is it important to calculate it?
6. What is meant by a sector? How are sectors classified on the basis of ownership?
7. Suggest ways to solve the problem of land degradation.
8. What are the benefits of Rain water Harvesting?
9. What is subsistence agriculture?
10. How has the power been divided between the central and the state government in India?
11. Why are developmental goals different for different people? Give three examples to support your answer.
12. Suggest ways to create more employment in the rural areas.
13. What type of soil is found in desert areas? State two main features of this type of Soil.
14. What is water scarcity and what are its main causes?
15. Name one beverage crop and specify its geographical conditions required for its growth?

16. Explain any three features of federalism.
17. List the economic and non-economic factors determining development.
18. In what ways is the criterion used by the World Bank for measuring development different from the one used by UNDP? Discuss.
19. What is resource planning? Why is the planning of resources essential? Explain any two reasons.
20. What is a multi-purpose project? Mention one advantage and one disadvantage of multi-purpose projects.
21. What is the main contribution of agriculture to the national economy? Explain any three steps taken by the Government of India to modernize agriculture.
22. State the reasons for the low percentage of net sown areas in North east.
23. Describe how modern adaptations of traditional rainwater harvesting methods are being carried out to conserve and store water.
24. Mention the geographical conditions required for the cultivation of wheat.
25. State any three points of difference between the federal form of government and Unitary form of government.

Q: Answer the following questions. Each question carries five marks.

1. Explain the different methods of controlling soil erosion.
2. What is the Sri Lankan model of power sharing? How was the model adopted?
3. What is disguised unemployment?
4. What is the importance of soil? Explain any three features of Black soil?
5. Why do you think Power Sharing is desirable?
6. Compare the working conditions prevailing in the organized and unorganized sectors?
7. Distinguish between primary and secondary sector stating five points of distinction.
8. Write a note on the factors responsible for the formation of soil.
9. What do you mean by Belgium model of accommodation? Examine the main elements of this model of power sharing.
10. Discuss the main features of the language policy of India.
11. Explain the main efforts of the Government of India in the improvement of health status of people after 1947.
12. Explain with examples, how mining and over irrigation are responsible for land degradation?
13. Distinguish between Horizontal division of power and Vertical divisions of power.
14. In what respect is the criterion used by the UNDP different from that of the World Bank? What are the limitations of the criterion used by the World Bank?
15. Why is the conservation of resources essential? List out three methods of soil conservation.
16. Discuss the Constitutional Amendments of 1992 regarding the decentralization of power.
17. Is it correct to say that environment degradation is not just a national issue? Illustrate with examples.
18. Explain three causes of unemployment in India. Suggest two measure to reduce unemployment in India?