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SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT - I - OCTOBER 2019

SOCIAL STUDIES - Paper I

(English Version)

PART - A & B

IX Class]

(Max. Marks: 40)

[Time: 2:45 Hrs.]

Marks : 35]

PART - A

[Time: 2.15 Hrs.]

General Instructions :

- i) This question paper contains three sections (I,II,III)*
- ii) Answer all the questions.*
- iii) Internal choice is given to the questions of section-III. Select any one from each question and write the answer.*
- iv) Total time allotted for the exam is 2.45 hrs. Out of which, 15 min. are kept for reading and understanding the question paper.*

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Section - I

Note: i) Answer all the questions.

ii) Each question carries 1 mark.

iii) Answer each question in 1 or 2 sentences.

7x1=7

1. How does the ITCZ form at equator ?
2. Write the main points of 'plate tectonic theory' ?
3. Why do the some families, who were earlier farmers are becoming agricultural labourers now a days ?
4. Which problems would arise, if every state follow their local time ?
5. Mention about the elements of weather ?
6. How does the tertiary land forms are formed ?
7. What are the marines ?

Section - II

Note: i) Answer all the questions.

ii) Each question carries 2 marks.

iii) Answer should be in 4 to 5 sentences.

6x2=12

8. Why does the Earth's crust is significant to living beings ?
9. Prepare a 'Pamphlet on' depletion of resources' ?

10. In recent time, much of the peasants (farmers) lands are acquired by the government for construction of water projects and roads. Mention the consequences of this issue ?
11. MSP, Kisan Samman Yojana, Fasal Bhima Yojana, RythuBandu like schemes for farmers improvement. How do you appreciate the efforts of government to improve the conditions of farmers ?

12. Observe the table and answer the questions given below.

Hemisphere	Northern Hemisphere	Western Hemisphere	Southern Hemisphere	Eastern Hemisphere
Continents	North America, North part of Africa, Europe, Asia	North America, South America west part of Africa	South Africa, south part, Australia, south America	East part of Africa, Asia, Australia
Important Mountain ranges	Rocky mountains, Atlas mountains, Alps mountains	The Andese mountains	Great dividing ranges	Himalayas

- Questions: a) Which continents fall in Northern Hemisphere ?
 b) Write the important mountain ranges in Western Hemisphere?

13. Observe the map given below and answer to the given questions.



The Pacific Ring of Fire

- Questions: a) Why do the most volcanoes and earthquakes occur in this Pacific ocean basin ?
 b) East coast of which continents fall under 'Pacific Ring of fire'?

Section - III

Note: 1) Answer all questions.

ii) Each question carries 4 marks.

iii) In this section, internal choice is there. Each question has two options are there. In each question answer for one option only.

iv) Answer each question in 8 to 12 sentences.

4x4=16

14 a) How does the climate change impact the life of Human beings ?

(OR)

b) Explain the significance of various 'spheres of atmosphere' ?

15 a) *Read the text given, understanding and interpretation.*

In addition to burning of fossil fuels, modern industries release enormous amounts of waste materials in the form of solid, liquid and gaseous waste contaminating air, water (both surface water like rivers and underground water of wells) and soil.

The cumulative impact of such pollution is gradual poisoning of our environment. One important impact is the change in world wide climate also known as 'global warming'.

(OR)

b) The spread of HYVs to large parts of the country and to newer crops has led to a significant increase in crop production in the country. India has become self sufficient in food grains.

Due to the rise in food grains production, it was no longer necessary to import food grains from other countries. Today, food materials constitute only about three per cent of India's imports (Bar diagram). The production of food grains has increased five times over the last five decades—from 51 to 242 million tonnes.

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18. a) Observe the below table and analyse it

Crops- top states-favourable conditions (2014-15)

Sl.No.	Crop	Top states (2014-15)	Favourable conditions
1	Paddy	West Bengal, Uttar Pradesh Andhra Pradesh, Punjab	Fertile plains, irrigation facility with canals and wells
2	Wheat	Uttar Pradesh, Punjab, Haryana, Madhya Pradesh	Fertile soils, canals and tube wells
3	Cotton	Gujarat, Maharashtra, Telangana and Andhra Pradesh	Black soils moderate rainfall good climate

(OR)

b) Observe the table and analyse it

Forest- their location - trees grown

S.No.	Type of forest	Location/places of forest	Trees, which are grown
1	Tropical evergreen forests	Equator region and close areas to tropics	Rose wood, Ebony Mahagani
2	Temperate evergreen forests	South east USA, South China, South east Brazil	Oak, Pine, Eucalyptus
3	Temperate deciduous forests	China, Newzealand Chile, Western Europe	Oak, Ash, Beech and Birch
4	Tropical deciduous forests	Large part of India, Northern Australia, central America	Sal, Teak, Neem and Shisham

17. a) Locate the following places in the India outline map.

1. River Krishna
2. Thar desert
3. Any one sugarcane grown state
4. Capital of Maharashtra state

(OR)

- b) 1. Any one coffee grown state
2. Delhi
3. River Godavari
4. Gujarat state