

INDIAN SCHOOL SOHAR  
FORMATIVE ASSESSMENT – 2  
SOCIAL SCIENCE

CLASS: IX  
DATE: 27/08/2013

MAX.MARKS: 25  
TIME: 45 MINUTES

**Instructions:**

- All questions are compulsory.
- This question paper consists of two sections i.e. Section-A and Section-B.
- Each section carries 12.5 marks.
- Only one correct answer to be written for MCQ.

**SECTION-A**

**I. Choose the correct answer and write on the answer paper.  $\frac{1}{2} \times 5 = 2\frac{1}{2}$**

1. Which one of the following country is not a permanent member of UN Security Council?  
a) France      b) Germany      c) China      d) Russia
2. Which one of the following country was the first to grant universal adult suffrage?  
a) India      b) USA      c) Switzerland      d) New Zealand
- 3) Choose the correct meaning of the term 'Veto'.  
a) to pass a decision by majority.      b) to pass a decision by two-third majority.  
c) to stop a decision by a single member.      d) to adopt a decision by a single member.
4. Which one of the following demands was not included in 'April Thesis' of Lenin?  
a) Formation of Duma      b) End of First World War  
c) Nationalization of banks.      d) Transfer of lands to peasants
5. What is the meaning of the term 'Kolkhoz'?  
a) Political party      b) Well to do farmers      c) Landless labourers      d) Collective farms

**II. Answer the following questions.**

6. The functioning of UN Security Council is undemocratic. Justify the statement with three valid points 3
7. What conditions led to civil war in Russia after the October Revolution? Give three reasons. 3
8. Mention any four international consequences of the Russian Revolution. 4

## SECTION - B

**I. Choose the correct answer and write on the answer paper:**  $\frac{1}{2} \times 5 = 2\frac{1}{2}$

1. The Peninsular Plateau of India belongs to which of the following landmass?  
a. Tethys                      b. Angaraland              c. Eurasian Plate              d. Gondwana land
2. The wet and swampy belt of the Northern Region is known locally as  
a. Bhabar                      b. Terai                      c. Doab                      d. Bhangar
3. The western coastal strip south of Goa is referred to as  
a. Coromandal              b. Konkan                      c. Kanara                      d. Northern Circar
4. The Schools set by the Government in each district are called  
a. Army Schools    c. Navodaya Vidyalaya  
b. Sainik School    d. Missionary School
5. Decrease in Infant Mortality Rate of a country signifies:  
a. Increase in life expectancy                      c. Increase in GNP  
b. Economic development of a country              d. Increase in number of colleges in a country

**II. Answer the following questions:**

6. Mention any three main differences between the west coastal plains and the east coastal plains. **3**
7. Explain the three different plate movements of the earth. **3**
8. Write any four main role of education in human capital formation? **4**

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