

INDIAN SCHOOL SOHAR
SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT – II
SOCIAL SCIENCE

Class: VIII
Date: 13/03/2016

Time: 2 Hours
Max. Mark: 60

General Instructions:

- a. The question paper has 22 questions in all. All questions are compulsory.
- b. Marks are indicated against each question.
- c. Questions from serial number 1 to 7 are very short questions. Each question carries 1 mark.
- d. Questions from serial number 8 to 16 are 3 marks questions. Answer of these questions should not exceed 80 words each.
- e. Questions from serial number 17 to 20 are 5 marks questions. Answer of these questions should not exceed 120 words each.
- f. Question number 21 and 22 are map question. After completion, attach the map with your answer sheet.

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1. What is the other name for the Indian Councils Act of 1909? 1

 2. Who is popularly known as Frontier Gandhi? 1

 3. Name two programmes, which are organized for the exchange of culture and sports between SAARC countries. 1

 4. What is meant by 'slash and burn agriculture'? 1

 5. Which type of industry is AMUL dairy products, on the basis of ownership? 1

 6. What is the average population density of the world at present? 1

 7. In which year the Employment of Manual Scavengers and Construction of Dry Latrines (Prohibition) Act was passed? 1

 8. Suggest three reasons for the rise of Extremists. 3

 9. Give any three features of the Government of India Act of 1935. 3

 10. Who were known as the founding fathers of NAM? Write any two goals of NAM. 3

 11. "Modern farming techniques demand huge quantities of water". Justify your answer with three reasons. 3

 12. What is manufacturing? Write any two differences between the Large Scale Industries and the Small Scale Industries. 3

13. Describe any three characteristic features of Population Pyramid. 3
14. What is agriculture? Mention any two differences between subsistence agriculture and commercial agriculture. 1 + 2 = 3
15. Who is a Public Prosecutor and what are his duties? 3
16. 'As per Article 17 of our Constitution untouchability has now been abolished'. What values you want to inculcate among the children on this issue? 3
17. List any four methods adopted by the people during the Non-cooperation movement. Mention the year and incident caused for the withdrawal of Non-cooperation movement. 5
18. Write any four functions of the police? Who are the police officers, work in a police station? 5
19. Write five features about the Original Jurisdiction of the Supreme Court. 5
20. Explain any five physical factors which influence the population distribution. 5

OR

Why is it said that India and Pakistan have a strained relationship? Give five reasons.

21. Three items **A**, **B** and **C** are shown in the given political outline map of India. Identify these items with the help of following information and write their correct names on the line marked on the map. 3
- A. The place of congress session in which, congress formally split into Moderates and Extremists in 1907.
- B. A state in which the Champaran Satyagraha was held.
- C. A state which is formed in 1961.
22. Three items **D**, **E** and **F** are shown in the given political outline map of India. Identify these items with the help of following information and write their correct names on the lines marked on the map. 3
- D. The state which is having highest literacy rate (93.28%) in India.
- E. A major Industrial Region located in the Northern part of India.
- F. The city, which is called 'the Manchester of India'.
