



CLASS: IX

DATE: 21/05/2024

MAX. MARKS: 20

TIME: 40 MINUTES

General Instructions:

- i. This question paper contains 10 questions. All questions are compulsory.
- ii. The question paper is divided into four sections – **Section A, B, C and D**
- iii. **Section A** - From questions 1 to 5 are MCQs. Each question carries 1 mark.
- iv. **Section B** - Question no. 6 and 7 are Very Short Answer Type Questions. Each question carries 2 marks. Answer to each question should not exceed 40 words.
- v. **Section C** - Question no. 8 and 9 are Short Answer Type Questions. Each question carries 3 marks. Answer to each question should not exceed 60 words.
- vi. **Section D** - Question no. 10 is the Long Answer Type Question, carrying 5 marks. The answer should not exceed 120 words.

SECTION A

MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS (1x5=5)

1. If you are supposed to mark the Indian state, which does not share its boundaries with China, in the Political outline map of India, which of the following will you select? 1
 A. Himachal Pradesh B. Uttarakhand
 C. Uttar Pradesh D. Arunachal Pradesh

2. **Match the following:** 1

A	B
a. Jean Jacques Rousseau	1. The Social Contract
b. Abbé Sieyès	2. The Spirit of the Laws
c. Montesquieu	3. Two Treatises of Government
d. John Locke	4. What is the Third Estate?

Choose the correct option

- A. a -1, b-4, c-2, d-3 B. a-4, b-1, c-2, d-3
 C. a-2, b-4, c-1, d-3 D. a-3, b-2, c-4, d-1
3. Which of the following options best signifies the given Political symbol? 1



- A. Symbol of royal power B. Symbol of Eternity.
 C. All are equal before the law D. Personification of the law
4. There are two statements marked as Assertion (A) and Reason (R). Mark your answer as per the codes provided below; 1

Assertion (A): Our southern neighbours across the sea consist of the two island countries, namely, Sri Lanka and Maldives

Reason (R): Maldives Islands are situated south of Sri Lanka.

Options

- A. Both (A) and (R) are true and (R) is the correct explanation of (A)
- B. Both (A) and (R) are true but (R) is not the correct explanation of (A)
- C. (A) is correct but (R) is wrong
- D. (A) is wrong but (R) is correct

5. Arrange the following events sequentially. 1
- I. The Tennis Court Oath.
 - II. Storming of the Bastille.
 - III. The meeting of the Estates General
 - IV. France became a Constitutional Monarchy

Options

- A. II, III, I, IV
- B. I, IV, III, II
- B. III, I, II, IV
- D. II, I, III, IV

SECTION B

VERY SHORT ANSWER QUESTION (2x2= 4)

6. How are the latitudes and longitudes helpful for the people? Suggest two points. 2
7. What is Indirect Democracy? Why is it needed in the present world? 2

SECTION C

SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS (3x2=6)

8. Which ocean is named after India? Justify your answer with three reasons. 3

OR

What do you mean by a sub-continent? How did the mountain passes connect India with the outside world?

9. What three main factors contributed to the 'subsistence crisis' in France during the Old Regime? 3

SECTION D

LONG ANSWER QUESTION (5x1=5)

10. What dirty tricks were used by PRI to win the elections in Mexico? 5

OR

Describe the arguments against democracy, to justify the point that democracy may not be considered a better form of government than other forms of democracy.

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