DAV INSTITUTIONS CHHATTISGARH SAMPLE QUESTION PAPER SOCIAL SCIENCE (Code 087) CLASS X – 2023-24

SET :10

Time Allowed: 3 Hours

General Instructions:

- The question paper comprises Six Sections A, B, C, D, E and F. There are 37 questions in the Question paper. All questions are compulsory.
- 2. Section A From questions 1 to 20 are MCQs of 1 mark each.
- 3. Section B Question no. 21 to 24 are Very Short Answer Type Questions, carrying 2 marks each. Answer to each question should not exceed 40 words.
- 4. Section C contains Q.25to Q.29 are Short Answer Type Questions, carrying 3 marks each. Answer to each question should not exceed 60 words
- Section D Question no. 30 to 33 are long answer type questions, carrying 5 marks each. Answer to each question should not exceed 120 words.
- 6. Section-E Questions no from 34 to 36 are case based questions with three sub questions and are of 4 marks each. Answer to each question should not exceed 100 words.
- Section F Question no. 37 is map based, carrying 5 marks with two parts, 37a from History (2 marks) and 37b from Geography (3 marks).
- 8. There is no overall choice in the question paper. However, an internal choice has been provided in few questions. Only one of the choices in such questions have to be attempted.
- 9. In addition to this, separate instructions are given with each section and question, wherever necessary.
- Note: CBQ stands for "Competency Based Question". 50% weightage allocated for competency-based questions.

| Q. NO. | SECTION-A | | | |
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| | MCQs(1X20=20) | | | |
| 1 | Which one of the following statements is correct regarding how the new artists depicted | 1 | | |
| | Liberty during the French Revolution? | | | |
| | a) As a female figure with the torch of enlightment in one hand and the charter of | | | |
| | rights of man in the other hand | | | |
| | b) Blind folded women caring a pair of weighing scales | | | |
| | c) The gold red and black tricolor | | | |
| | d) Race of the rising Sun | | | |

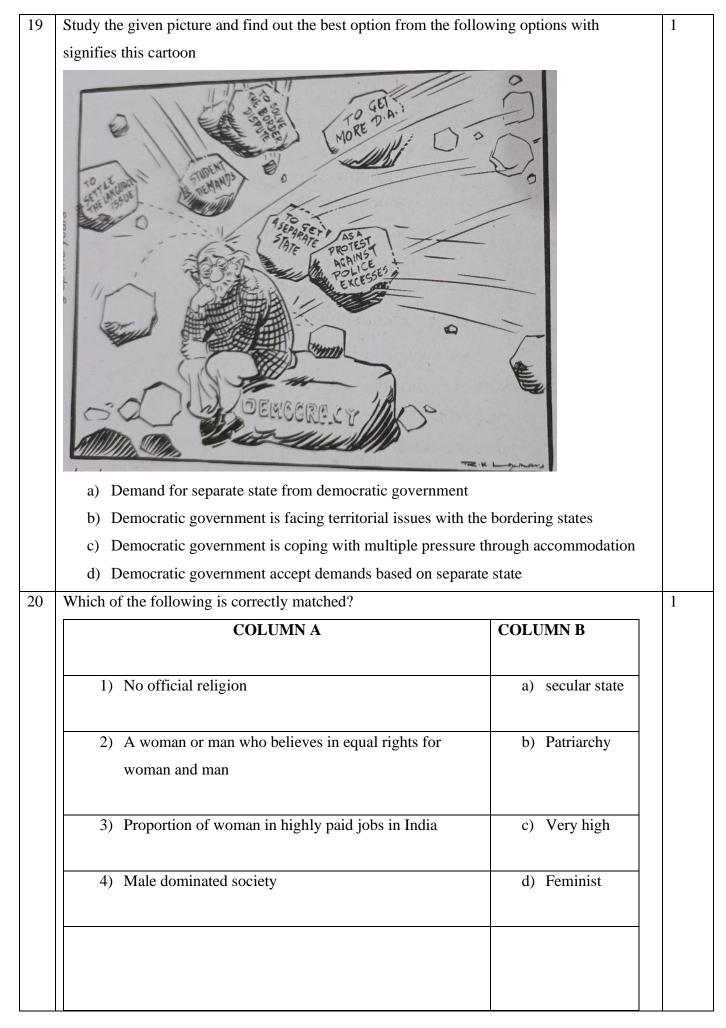
Maximum Marks: 80

| 2 | Sardar Sarovar Dam has been built over the Narmada river. It has covered which of the | 1 |
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| - | following states of India | 1 |
| | a) Maharashtra Karnataka, Gujarat and Madhya, Pradesh. | |
| | b) Maharashtra Rajasthan Gujarat and Madhya Pradesh. | |
| | c) Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan, and Karnataka. | |
| | d) Rajasthan Gujarat Madhya Pradesh and Karnataka. | |
| 3 | Analyse the term carefully and choose the incorrect one from the following | 1 |
| 5 | a) Percapita income- this is the total income of a country divided by its total population | 1 |
| | b) Life expectancy at birth- this is the number of years a newborn child is expected to | |
| | leave at the prevailing conditions | |
| | | |
| | c) Literacy rate- this is the total percentage of the population of an area at a particular | |
| | time, aged 15 years or above, who can read and write with understanding at least one | |
| | language. | |
| | d) Net attendance ratio- this is the total number of children enrolled in or attending | |
| | primary schools as a percentage of total number of children of primary school age. | |
| 4 | Which of the following conservation strategies do not directly involve community | 1 |
| | participation? | |
| | a) Joint forest management. | |
| | b) Beej bachao andolan | |
| | c) Chipko movement | |
| | d) Demarcation of wildlife sanctuaries | |
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| 5 | Raghav has surplus money. So he opens a bank account and deposits in it whenever he | 1 |
| | needs money he can go to his bank and withdraw from there this kind of deposit with the | |
| | banks are known as | |
| | a) demand deposit | |
| | b) term deposit. | |
| | c) fixed deposit | |
| | d) surplus deposit | |
| 6 | Which of the following is not TRUE with respect to the basic elements of Belgian model of | 1 |
| | power sharing? | |
| | a) The Belgium constitution prescribes that the number of Dutch and French speaking | |
| | ministers shall be as per the proportion of ethnic population in the central | |
| | government | |
| | b) Apart from the central and the state government there is a third kind of government, | |
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| | c) Many powers of the central government have been given to state governments | |
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| | d) Brussels has a separate government | |
| 7 | "Sri Lankan Tamil" refers to which of the following | 1 |
| | a) Tamil Muslim | |
| | b) Tamil native of the country | |
| | c) Tamil whose forefathers came from India in the colonial period | |
| | d) Tamil Hindu | |
| 8 | Which of the following is correct for laterite soil? | 1 |
| | 1. It develops under tropical and subtropical climate with alternative wet and dry season | |
| | 2. this soil is sticky when wet . | |
| | a) only 1 | |
| | b) only 2 | |
| | c) Both 1and 2 | |
| | d) Neither 1 nor 2. | |
| 9 | Different arguments are usually put forth in favour of power sharing. Select one of the most | 1 |
| | appropriate statement in favour of power sharing. | |
| | a) Power sharing reduces conflict among the different communities | |
| | b) Power sharing decreases the possibility of arbitrariness | |
| | c) Power sharing delays the decision-making process | |
| | d) Power sharing accommodates diversities. | |
| 10 | Which is the main source of income for bank | 1 |
| | a) Interests on loans | |
| | b) Interest on deposits | |
| | c) Difference between the interest charged on borrowers and depositors | |
| | d) Tax On withdrawal | |
| 11 | Ridhima attends her office from 9:30 AM TO 5:30 PM. she gets her salary regularly at the | 1 |
| | end of every month. In addition to the salary she also gets Provident fund and other | |
| | facilities as per the rules laid down by the government. | |
| | Identify the employment sector in which Ridhima is working | |
| | a) Organised sector | |
| | b) Unorganised sector | |
| | c) Secondary sector | |
| | d) Private sector. | |
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| 12 | Which of the following statement distinguish Non cooperation movement from Civil | 1 |
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| | disobedience movement | |
| | 1) Non cooperation was launched after the first world war where as civil disobedience | |
| | movement was launched after the second world war | |
| | 2) Non cooperation movement was led by CR Das where as civil disobedience | |
| | movement was led by Mahatma Gandhi | |
| | 3) Non cooperation movement was withdrawn after violent incident where as civil | |
| | disobedience movement was withdrawn due to Gandhi Irwin pact | |
| | 4) Muslims participated on large scale in the non cooperation movement where as civil | |
| | disobedience movement attracted only few Muslims | |
| | a) Only 1 | |
| | b) only 3 & 4 | |
| | c) only 2 | |
| | d) only 1 & 3 | |
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| 13 | Which one of the following agreements gave reserved seats to the depressed class in | |
| | provincial and Central legislative councils? | |
| | a) Lucknow pact | |
| | b) Gandhi Irwin pact | |
| | c) Poona Pact | |
| | d) None of these | 1 |
| 14 | Which one of the following is not true regarding the World Trade Organization | 1 |
| | a) It allows free trade to all countries without any trade barriers | |
| | b) Its aim is to liberalise international trade. | |
| | c) WTO rules have forced the developing countries to remove trade barriers | |
| | d) It establishes rules regarding international trade. | |
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| 15 | Observe the party symbols and identify the associated political parties | 1 |
| | A C | |
| | a) INC & CPI | |
| | b) BSP and AAP | |
| | c) BJP and AAP | |
| | d) CPI & CPI (M) | |

| COLUMN A | COLUMN B | | | |
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| i) To support secularism | a) BJP | | | |
| ii) To secure the interest and welfare of the dalit and oppressed classes | b) INC | | | |
| iii) To promote Hindutva | c) BSP | | | |
| iv) To work for upliftment of workers farmers and poor | d) CPI | | | |
| Look at the picture given below. Identify the name of the paint | ter of the painting from the | 1 | | |
| | | | | |
| a) Abanindranath Tagore | | | | |
| b) Rabindranath Tagore | | | | |
| c) Raja Ravi Varma | | | | |
| d) Samant Dasgupta | | 1 | | |
| Which of the following features is not associated with a democ | - | 1 | | |
| a) Democracy is based on the idea of deliberation and not | | | | |
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| | | SECT | TION-B | | |
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| | VEI | RY SHORT ANSW | ER QUESTION(2X | (4=8) | |
| 21 | Based on the table below | answer the question | that follows | | 2 |
| | | Scheduled lan | guages of India | | |
| | | Language | Proportion of | | |
| | | | speakers(%) | | |
| | | Assamese | 1.26 | | |
| | | Bengali | 8.03 | | |
| | | Bodo | 0.12 | | |
| | | Dogri | 0.21 | | |
| | | Gujarati | 4.58 | | |
| | | Hindi | 43.63 | | |
| | | Kannada | 3.61 | | |
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| | a) Which is | the second most cor | nmonly spoken langu | age according to the table | |
| | b) What is the by the b | ne table say about lin | nguistic makeup of In | dia | |
| 22 | The silk routes are a good | l example of vibrant | t pre-modern trade an | d cultural links between | 2 |
| | distant parts of the world | Explain with two v | alid points. | | |
| 23 | Describe the Ethnic composition of Belgium. | | | 2 | |
| 24 | Explain the institutional r | eforms carried out b | by the government to | improve agricultural | 2 |
| | production in India | | | | |
| | | | TION-C | | |
| | | | SED QUESTION(3X | - | |
| 25 | | - | | om reading or using them | 3 |
| 26 | Give 3 reasons for the gr | | - | developing countries | 3 |
| | | | Or | | |
| | Describe the provisions | of National Rural Er | nployment Guarantee | e Act 2005 | |
| | D 11 | | | | |
| 27 | | | - | will he prefer for locating | (2+1) = 3 |
| | Aluminium industry? Exp | plain which Indian s | tate you want to reco | mmend to Rohit for that | |
| 20 | · | | | only 200 - ft - 7 (1 | 2 |
| 28 | "Federal power sharing is | | - | | 3 |
| | constitution came into for | cee. Justify the state | ement with three value | arguments | |
| 29 | Suggest any three ways to | ave workers of | organized sector from | n exploitation | 3 |
| 27 | Suggest any under ways to | save workers of u | iorganizeu sector ifor | n exploitation. | 5 |
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| | SECTION-D | |
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| | LONG ANSWER BASED QUESTION(5X4=20) | |
| 30 | How can biogas solve the energy problem in rural India? state 2 suggestions for the same. Or How can Solar energy be the future of India? Explain. | 5 |
| 31 | "Napoleon had no doubt destroyed democracy in France but in administrative field he had incorporated revolutionary principles". Explain with five valid arguments. Or The 1830s were years of great economic hardship in Europe. Analyse. | 5 |
| 32 | What is a political party? Mention any four major challenges to political parties. Or "No party system is ideal for all countries and all situations". Do you agree with the statement? Justify your answer with 5 valid arguments? | 5 |
| 33 | Arun needs a loan to set up a small business. On what basis Arun decide whether to borrow from the bank or the money lender? Discuss. Or Shyamal tells us that every season he needs loans for cultivation. State the probable sources from where Shyamal will take loan. Explain why? | 5 |
| | SECTION-E | |
| | CASE BASED QUESTION(4X3=12) | |
| 34 | The idea of Satyagraha emphasized the power of truth and the need to search for truth. It suggested that if the cause was true, if the struggle was against injustice, then physical force was not necessary to fight the oppressor. Without being aggressive, a satyagrahi could win the battle through non-violence. It is said of "passive resistance" that it is the weapon of the weak, but the power which is the subject of this article can be used only by the strong. This power is not passive resistance; indeed, it calls for intense activity. The movement in South Africa was not passive but active'Satyagraha is not physical force. A satyagrahi does not inflict pain on the adversary; he does not seek his destruction In the use of satyagraha, there is no ill will whatever. 'Satyagraha is pure soul force. Truth is the very substance of the soul. That is why this force is called satyagraha. The soul is informed with knowledge. In it burns the flame of love Non-violence is the supreme dharma' It is certain that India cannot rival Britain or Europe in force of arms. The British worship the war god and they can all of them become, as they are becoming, bearers of arms. The hundreds of millions in India can never carry arms. They have made the religion of non- | |
| | violence their own- 1. Gandhiji said," passive resistance is not the weapon of the weak". Why? | 1 |

| | 2 "Satuagraph is pure soul force" substantists this statement in 20 words | 1 |
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| | 2. "Satyagraha is pure soul-force" substantiate this statement in 20 words. | 1 |
| | 3. How can a satyagrahi win the battle without being aggressive? Give two reasons. | 2 |
| 35 | Deepa, a 14-year-old girl, helps her parents informing throughout the day. Her BMI is 15.2. | |
| | on the other hand, Geeta agent 15 years and her BMI is 28 who lives in Carol and goes to | |
| | school daily. She eats midday meals there. In the evening she helps her parents in farming. | |
| | 1. Discuss and compare the health status of Deepa and Geeta | 2 |
| | 2. State one measure taken by government to improve Deepa's condition. | 1 |
| | 3. Suggest one measure to improve their living standard | 1 |
| 36 | Many thought that given the disadvantage and rising resistance against the multipurpose projects, | |
| | water harvesting system was a viable alternative, both socio economically and environmentally. An | |
| | ancient India along with the sophisticated hydraulic structures they are existed and extraordinary | |
| | tradition of water harvesting system. People had in-depth knowledge of rainfall regimes and soil | |
| | types and developed wide ranging techniques to harvest rainwater, groundwater, river water and | |
| | flood water in keeping with the local ecological conditions and their water needs. In hill and | |
| | mountainous regions, people built diversion channels like the "guls" or "kuls" of the Western | |
| | Himalayas for agriculture. Rooftop rainwater harvesting was commonly practice to store drinking | |
| | water particularly in Rajasthan. | |
| | 1. Mention any 2 methods adopting by ancient India for water conservation | |
| | 2.Describe the process of modern method of rooftop rainwater harvesting | 2 |
| | 3. Why is water harvesting system a viable alternative? | 1 |
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| | SECTION-F | |
| | MAP SKILLED BASED QUESTION (2+3=5) | |
| 37 | Two places A and B have been marked on the given-out line map of INDIA. Identify them | |
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| a) | and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them | 2 |
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| a) | and write their correct names on the lines drawn near them | Ζ |
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