

MAYOOR SCHOOL, AJMER

Social Studies/VII/Annual Examination/Thursday/ March 5, 2009

(Time Allowed: 3 hours)

MSM-150

MM-100

VII A&D-MSM

VII B&C-IVE

VII B&C-TRF

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS-

1. All Questions are compulsory.
2. There are two printed pages and 12 questions in the paper.
3. Marks are indicated after each question
4. Attach the maps with the Answer sheet.

HISTORY (40)

Q.1 Answer in 20-30 words-

- a) Write any four qualifications to be a member of Sabha during Chola rule. (1)
- b) Who is a 'Mansabdar'? (1)
- c) Give any two problems that weavers faced in the 16th and 17th century. (1)
- d) What is 'Chauth' and 'Sardeshmukhi'? (1)
- e) Define 'Hundi'. (1)
- f) What are Itinerent groups? (1)
- g) Where was Jalaluddin searching the Lord and where he found him? (1)
- h) Why did the minstrels proclaim the achievement of heroes? (1)

Q.2 Answer in 60-80 words-

- a) Describe the Agricultural and Irrigational patterns of Chola's. (3)
- b) Construct a web diagram of the Revenue system of Akbar. (3)
- c) Write a note on the Architectural splendour of Hampi. (3)
- d) How Burhan-UI-Mulk tried to decrease the Mughal influence in the Awadh region? (3)

Q.3 Answer in 80-100 words-

- a) Compare the Gonds and the Ahoms. (4)
- b) Construct a web diagram of the teachings of Islam and Sufism. (4)
- c) Write a detailed note on 'The story of Kathak'. (4)
- d) Explain the three common features in the old Mughal provinces of Hyderabad, Awadh and Bengal. (4)

Q.4 On the given map of India mark-

- a) Two areas which were under the British control in mid 18th century. (2)
- b) The regions associated with these Bhakti saints-
i) Mirabai ii) Guru Nanak iii) Tukaram iv) Surdas. (2)

CIVICS (20)

Q.5 Answer in 20-30 words-

- a) What private health facilities are available in urban areas. (1)
- b) In India good Government facilities are not available. Write some ways to improve it. (1)
- c) What is Censorship? (1)
- d) Why Swapna didn't argue with the trader? (1)
- e) Why people are treated unequally in India? (1)

Q.6 Answer in 60-80 words-

- a) Explain how Housework is 'Invisible', 'Physically Demanding' and 'Time Consuming'? (3)
- b) Explain the Chain of Markets giving examples. (3)
- c) Construct a web showing how Media earns money. (3)
- d) What are the demands foreign buyers make on the garment exporters and how do the garment exporters meet the conditions set by the foreign buyers? (3)
- e) What was the Tawa Matsya sangh fighting for and How the villagers got their rights? (3)

GEOGRAPHY (40)

Q.7 Fill in the blanks-

- a) The word Sedimentum means _____ (3)
- b) On the basis of _____, there are three types of rainfall, Convectional, Cyclonic and Orographic.
- c) _____ is an artificial enclosure for keeping small house plants.
- d) _____ are special plants which store water in their leaves.
- e) _____ is a tropical grassland of Brazil.
- f) Ladakh is also known as _____ which means land of snow.

Q.8 Answer in 20-30 words-

- a) Why Jet planes in sky leave a white trail behind them? (1)
- b) How are waves formed? (1)
- c) Define fossils? (1)
- d) What are tributaries? (1)
- e) Why people in Ladakh are engaged in festivities in winter season? (1)

Q.9 Answer in 60-80 words-

- a) Explain Spring tides and Neap tides with diagram (3)
- b) Describe any three layers of Atmosphere with diagram. (3)
- c) What is an Oasis? Explain how it is formed. (3)
- d) Describe the formation of different types of rocks in rock cycle. (3)
- e) Write a note on vegetation and wildlife of Ganga-Brahmaputra basin. (3)

Q.10 Answer in 80-100 words-

- a) Construct a web of Tropical Evergreen forest and Tropical Grasslands. (4)
- b) Explain the Lifestyle and Occupations of people of Veld region. (4)
- c) Why and how the cultural landscape of Sahara is undergoing change? (4)

Q.11 Draw a neat and labelled diagram - (any one) (2)

- a) Rock cycle
- b) Major pressure belts
- c) Interior of Earth

Q.12 On the given world map mark-

- a) Dehra Gompass and ZojiLa pass (1)
- b) Drakensberg range in Africa (1)
- c) Sundarbans Delta (1)