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S.S.L.C. MODEL QUESTION PAPER - 2 : 2026-27

ವಿಷಯ : ಸಮಾಜವಿಜ್ಞಾನ

Subject : SOCIAL SCIENCE

ವಿಷಯ ಸಂಕೇತ : **85-E** | **Subject Code : 85-E**

ಸಮಯ : 3 ಗಂಟೆ 15 ನಿಮಿಷಗಳು] | [Time : 3 Hours 15 Minutes

ಗರಿಷ್ಠ ಅಂಕಗಳು : 80] | [Max. Marks : 80

General instructions for candidates:

1. This question paper consists of 38 questions
2. Follow the instructions given for questions.
3. Figures in the righthand margin of the question paper indicate maximum marks assigned for the questions.
4. The maximum time to answer the questions including 15 minutes to read the question paper, is given at the top of the question paper.

I. Four choices are given for each of the following questions or incomplete statements. Only one of them is correct or the most appropriate. Choose the correct answer and write the complete answer along with its letter of alphabet. 8 X 1 = 8

1. The 'Navaratri festival' of Mysore was started in Srirangapatna by

   {A} Jayachamaraja Wodeyar

   (B) Krishnaraja Wodeyar IV

   (C) Raja Wodeyar

   (D) Chamarajendra Wodeyar X

2. During the cold war India decided not to join any power bloc. This policy is known as

   {A} Policy of imperialism

   (B) Blue water policy

   (C) Apartheid policy

   (D) Policy of non-alignment

3. The headquarters of the W.H>O is in

   {A} Paris

   (B) New York

   (C) Geneva

   (D) Washington

4. The agitation against Kaiga Nuclear power project was started. Because,

   (A) To protect marine life

   (B) To stop the construction of reservoir

   (C) To protect the evergreen forest of surrounding area

   (D) To check the construction of thermal power plant

5. Vishruth is a student of Karnataka Public School. The type of bank account is most suitable for him to open

   (A) Savings bank account

(B) Current account

(C) Recurring deposit account

(D) Fixed deposit account

6. The eastern parts of Western Ghats receive less rainfall than the western parts. Because,

(A) It is a desert region

(B) It is in rain shadow region

(C) It receives heavy snow fall

(D) It is located in the windward side

7. The programme implemented to organize rural poor women and make them economically self-reliant is

(A) Sandhya Suraksha scheme

(B) Yuvanidhi

(C) Women self-groups

(D) Mahila Abyudaya yojana

8. Chethana is planning an educational tour to city of London from Bangalore. The fastest mode of transport for her to reach London is

(A) Water transport

(B) Rail transport

(C) Air transport

(D) Road transport

II. Answer the following questions in a sentence each: 8 X 1 = 8

9. Why did the British government constitute Peel commission?

10. How did the second world war pave the way for the beginning of cold war.?

11. Why is the security council of United Nations called cabinet of United Nations?

12. What is social stratification?

13. In which state was Narmada Bachavo Andolan launched?

14. Who was the first chairmen of ISRO?

15. Give two examples for the social services that come under the central planned expenditure.

16. Mention the main objective of establishing District industrial centers.

III. Answer the following questions in about T*wo* to Four sentences or points each: 8 X 2 = 16

17. Which are the three stages of civil service examinations?

OR

Which are the principal organs of the United Nations?

18. Explain the causes for female foeticide.

OR

Explain the measures to be taken to eradicate untouchability.

19. Mention the difference between pre-harvest technology and post-harvest technology.

20. Name any four rights offered by consumer protection act of India.

21. The policy of Subsidiary Alliance weakened the native rulers. How?

22. Explain the objectives for construction of Tungabhadra river valley project.

23. What are the difference between Kharif and Rabi crops season?

24. The unification of Jammu and Kashmir with India is unique compared to that of other provinces. Justify

IV. Answer the following questions in Six sentences or points each: 9 X 3 = 27

25. The battle of Buxar helped the British to gain complete control over Bengal. Justify.

OR

Government of India act of 1935 acted as the base for the formation of Indian constitution. Justify.

26. Forests are very useful resources for us and environment. Analize.

OR

Analize the uses of communication.

27. Decentralization of power upholds the 'Grama Swarajya' concept of Mahatma Gandhiji. Illustrate.

OR

Apart from taxes the Central government generates revenue from non-tax sources. Illustrate.

28. What are the financial services offered by Post offices?

OR

What are the characteristics of entrepreneurship?

29. The role of Satya Shodhaka samaj in reforming the Indian society is ever remembered. Substantiate.

30. Explain the economic and military causes for the first war of Indian independence?

31. Explain the fundamental principles of foreign policy of India.

32. How are the Organized sector workers different from Unorganized sector workers?

33. Mention the effects of cyclones.

V. Answer the following questions in about Eight sentences or points each: 4 X 4 = 16

34. The rule of Krishnaraja Wodeyar IV made Mysore as 'Modern state' Justify

OR

E.V. Ramaswami Naicker is the social reformer who championed equality. Justify.

35. What are the salient features of important soil found in Deccan Trap region?

OR

Many factors are influenced the location of sugar industry in India. Justify.

36. Explain the contributions of Nehru as a Prime minister of India

37. Explain the problems caused by population explosion.

VI. 38. In the outline map of India provided to you mark any F*ive* among the following: 5 X 1 = 5

a) $82^0\ 30^1$ East longitude
b) Konkan coast
c) Tarapur
d) New Mangalore port
e) Narora
f) Bhakra-Nangal
g) Maharshi Valmiki international airport
h) Silcom valley of India
i) Ganganagar
j) Indra col

Alternative Question for vissually impaired candidates only:

(In lieu of Question number 38) **5**

What are the main objectives of multipurpose river valley projects?

OR

What are the advantages of Himalayan mountains?