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Subject: Social Studies

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	Tick the correct option:	(1 x 10= 10)
2.	Which planet has the longest day in our solar system?	
	a) Mercury	b) Venus
		c) Jupiter
3.	_____is the hill station of Saudi Arabia.	
	a) Abha	b) Mecca
		c) Ooty
4.	There are _____ major climatic regions in the world.	
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		c) five
5.	The commercial city of Saudi Arabia is _____.	
	a) Riyadh	b) Jeddah
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	a) upper	b) middle
		c) lower
7.	Inventor of Cresco graph _____	
	a) Jagadish Chandra Bose	b) Marie Curie
		c) Sushruta
8.	When is World Environment Day celebrated?	
	a) 22 June	b) 5 June
		c) 7 June

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10.	Smoke in combination with fog is called _____. a) vog b) smog c) volcanic smog
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	<div> a) Identify and write the name of the personality. b) Write the names of any two novels written by him. c) When did he receive the Nobel Prize for Literature? </div> 
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13.	Which Indian sportsperson is famous as 'The Wizard'?
14.	What do you mean by the term 'Meanders'?
15.	Saudi Arabia lies in which continent?
16.	Which astronomer proved that the Earth spins on its own axis?
17.	Which two rivers form the largest delta in the world?
18.	Define-Human Right Activist.
19.	What type of climate do we have in temperate zone?
20.	Who wrote the book 'Indian Philosophy'?
21.	Mention any two things harmful for the environment.
22.	What is the difference in the climate near the coast and far away the coast?
23.	Name any two (1 x 5= 5)
	a) Famous Statesmen _____ b) Deserts of Africa _____ c) Plateaus of Asia _____ d) Social Reformers _____ e) Types of Solstice _____

SECTION- B	
	Thinking based Question (2×4=8)
24.	Why men in Saudi Arabia mostly wear white clothes and keep their heads and necks covered?
25.	Jammu and Kashmir is thinly populated. Why?
26.	In which season do the people of Australia celebrate Christmas and why?
27.	Shimla and Ludhiana are almost at the same distance from the Equator. Then, why is Shimla much colder than Ludhiana?
	Answer the following questions: (2×5=10)
28.	Draw and label the diagram of heat zones of the earth.
29.	Mention the ways to control pollution.
30.	Which elements are discovered by Marie Curie?
31.	Write the full form of: CNG _____ UAE _____
32.	Write any two features of desert.
SECTION –C	
	Answer the following questions: (3 ×3 =9)
33.	Explain how days and nights are caused.
34.	Explain the cities of Saudi Arabia.
35.	Describe the 3R's that we must adopt to reduce pollution.

SECTION – D	
	Long answer questions : (4×2 =8)
36.	Differentiate between rotation and revolution.
37.	In what way has the discovery of petroleum helped the people of Saudi Arabia?

SECTION – E	
	Long answer question : (Internal choice) (5×2=10)
38.	Write any two causes of noise pollution and mention the ways to prevent noise pollution? OR Define water pollution. How do water bodies get polluted?
39.	Which factors influence the climate of a region. Explain in detail.
SECTION – F (Map Based Question)	
	Mark these hot deserts on the physical world map. (1×3=3)
40.	a) California desert b) Sahara desert c) Arabian desert



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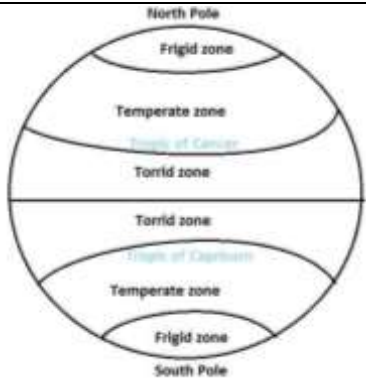
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	<p>Tick the correct option: (1 x 10= 10)</p>
2.	<p>.Which planet has the longest day in our solar system? <u>Venus</u></p> <p>a) Mercury b) Venus c) Jupiter</p>
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	Short answer questions (1 x 10= 10)
13	Which Indian sportsperson is famous as ‘The Wizard’? Ans. <u>Dhyan Chand</u> is famous as ‘The Wizard’
14	What do you mean by the term ‘Meanders’? Ans. In middle course, the speed of the water decreases and the river develops loops, which are called meanders.
15	Saudi Arabia lies in which continent? Ans. Saudi Arabia lies in Asia continent.
16	Which astronomer proved that the Earth spins on its own axis? Ans. Nicolaus Copernicus proved that the earth spins on its own axis.
17	Which two rivers form the largest delta in the world? Ans. River Ganga and Brahmaputra forms the largest delta in the world.
18	Define-Human Right Activist. Ans. One who fights for and supports fair and equal treatment of people.
19	What type of climate do we have in temperate zone?

	Ans. Temperate zone have Moderate climate.		
20	Who wrote the book ‘Indian Philosophy’? Ans. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan wrote the book ‘Indian Philosophy.		
21	Mention any two things harmful for the environment. Ans. Things harmful for environment are- Plastic bags, Deforestation and Pollution.		
22	What is the difference in the climate near the coast and far away the coast? Ans. Climate near the coast is moderate and away from the coast is extreme.		
23	Name any two (1 ×5= 5)		
	a) Famous Statesmen	<u>Abraham Lincoln</u>	<u>Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan</u>
	b) Deserts of Africa	<u>Sahara</u>	<u>Kalahari</u>
	c) Plateaus of Asia	<u>Deccan</u>	<u>Tibetan</u>
	d) Social Reformers	<u>Martin Luther King,Jr</u>	<u>Savitribai Phule</u>
	e) Types of Solstice	<u>Summer Solstice</u>	<u>Winter Solstice</u>
SECTION- B			
	Thinking based Question (2×4=8)		
24	Why men in Saudi Arabia mostly wear white clothes and keep their heads and necks covered? Ans. 1. Saudi Arabia has an extremely hot climate. Men in Saudi Arabia mostly wear White clothes as the colour reflects heat and does not absorb it. 2. This keeps their bodies cool. They cover their heads and necks to keep themselves cool.		
25	Jammu and Kashmir is thinly populated.Why? Ans. Jammu and Kashmir is thinly populated union territory because it is located in the mountains. Mountains have an unsuitable climate and shortage of flat land. Hence, there is difficulty in transportation as well.		
26	In which season do the people of Australia celebrate Christmas and why? Ans. The people of Australia celebrate Christmas in the summer season. This is because Australia is in the Southern Hemisphere, and the Southern Hemisphere experiences summer in the month of December.		
27	Shimla and Ludhiana are almost at the same distance from the Equator. Then, why is Shimla much colder than Ludhiana? Ans. Though Shimla and Ludhiana are situated at the same distance from the Equator, but Shim la is much colder than Ludhiana as it is situated at a much higher altitude. Places located at higher altitudes are colder than those at the lower altitudes even if they are situated on the same latitude.		

	Answer the following questions: (2×5=10)
28	<p>Draw and label the diagram of heat zones of the earth.</p> <p>Ans. Heat zones of the Earth</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Torrid Zone 2. Temperate Zone 3. Frigid Zone 
29	<p>Mention the ways to control pollution.</p> <p>Ans. Measures to control pollution</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Use public transport. 2. Do not litter in public place. 3. Have proper waste disposal system especially for toxic waste. 4. Never use open fire to dispose of the waste. 5. Create your own garden and plant more trees. 6. Avoid loud or unwanted noise / sound to control noise pollution. 7. Use ecofriendly things.
30	<p>Which elements are discovered by Marie Curie?</p> <p>Ans. Elements discovered by Marie Curie are <u>Radium</u> and <u>Polonium</u>.</p>
31	<p>Write the full form of:</p> <p>CNG <u>Compressed Natural Gas</u></p> <p>UAE - <u>The United Arab Emirates</u></p>
32	<p>Write any two features of desert.</p> <p>Ans. Main features of the desert are-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) Very hot days and cold nights. b) Little vegetation due to less rainfall. c) Frequent dust storms. d) Hills of sand called sand dunes.
SECTION –C	
	Answer the following questions: (3 ×3 =9)
33	<p>Explain how days and nights are caused.</p> <p>Ans. a) The rotation of the Earth causes day and night.</p> <p>b) Due to its spherical shape, only half of the Earth receives light from Sun at a particular time. This half has 'day'.</p> <p>c) The other half, which is turned away from the Sun is in darkness and has 'night'.</p>
34	<p>Explain the cities of Saudi Arabia.</p> <p>Ans. Saudi Arabia has many cities, both old and new. New cities have modern facilities.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Riyadh- It is the capital of Saudi Arabia. It is a modern city with skyscrapers, markets, parks, educational institutions and hospitals. 2. Jeddah- It is a commercial city and a busy sea port. 3. Mecca and Medina- These are cities of religious significance. They attract many pilgrims.

35	Describe the 3R's that we must adopt to reduce pollution. Ans. 1. <u>Reduce – It means reduction in waste production.</u> 2. <u>Reuse - It means using the things again.</u> 3. <u>Recycle – It means converting used items into new things.</u>
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SECTION – D

36.	Long answer questions: (4×2 =8) Differentiate between rotation and revolution.								
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37.	In what way has the discovery of petroleum helped the people of Saudi Arabia? Ans. 1. The discovery of petroleum has changed the lifestyle of the people. 2. The money earned from exporting petroleum is being used for the development of the Country. 3. The government is developing different types of industries such as petrochemicals, petroleum refining, power generation and telecom. 4. These industries employ a large number of people. 5. The nomadic people now lead a settled life working as traders or in factories.								

SECTION – E

	Long answer question : (Internal choice) (5×2=10)
38.	<p>Write any two causes of noise pollution and mention the ways to prevent noise pollution?</p> <p>Ans. <u>Causes of noise pollution are :</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Car and bus horn b) Loudspeakers and loud music. c) Home appliances such as vacuum cleaners, washing machines, air conditioners and mixer grinders. d) Fire crackers. <p><u>Measures to prevent Noise Pollution</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Horns should not be blown unnecessarily. b) Factories should be set up away from residential areas to prevent noise pollution. c) Use of loudspeakers and microphone should be controlled. d) We should not burn crackers. <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p>

	<p>Define water pollution. How do water bodies get polluted?</p> <p>Ans. When harmful substances are released into water bodies they cause water pollution.</p> <p><u>Water bodies gets polluted due to following reasons-</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Dumping chemical wastes from factories in water bodies. b) Dumping household wastes and untreated sewage in water bodies. c) Bathing and washing clothes in rivers and lakes. d) Leakage from oil tankers.
39.	<p>Which factors influence the climate of a region. Explain in detail.</p> <p>Ans. The main factors that influence the climate of a region are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Distance from the Equator- Places near the Equator receive more heat and places near poles receive less heat. b) Height above the sea level (altitude)-The places located at higher altitudes are colder than those at lower altitudes. c) Distance from the sea- Places near the coast have moderate climate while the places away from the sea do not get sea breeze and have an extreme climate (hot or cold). d) Direction of the wind- winds blowing from hot regions increase the temperature of a place while those blowing from the cold region decreases the temperature of the place. e) Humidity and Rainfall- Humid air causes rainfall.
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