



MODEL PAPER, 2019-20

Class -VIII

Subject Social Science

Q.1	Agriculture is: (a) Primary Activity (b) Secondary Activity (c) Tertiary Activity (d) None of the above	(1)
Q.2	Complete the statement The mechanisms of PILs was devised in the early _____.	(1)
Q.3	In which year the vernacular press act was passed? a.1876 b.1877 c.1878 d.1879	(1)
Q.4	Complete the statement: The meetings of ' Constituent Assembly ' were held in New Delhi and representatives from all parts of India attended the meeting. These discussions resulted in the framing of the Indian Constitution, which came into effect on _____.	(1)
Q.5	How many tribal groups are there in Orissa?	(1)
Q.6	What is the full form of UC?	(1)
Q.7	Name the country where textile industry is concentrated? (a)India (b)Japan (c) Taiwan (d) All of the above	(1)
Q.8	Complete the statement: The Bhopal gas tragedy took place on_____.	(1)
Q.9	Correct the incorrect statement The Public Prosecutor plays a role in the investigation of a crime.	(1)
Q.10	Study the following image and answer the following question:  A.High court of karnatka B.High Court of Patna C.High Court of Madras D.High court of Chandigarh	(1)
Q.11	Why do we need a law on minimum wages?	(1)
Q.12	State True or False: Fishing and agricultural activities are Secondary in nature.	(1)
Q.13	Define Death rate.	(1)
Q.14	Choose one of the recommendations of Wood's despatch? _____	(1)

	<p>a. Atleast one Government school should be opened in every district.</p> <p>b. Education department to be established centrally</p> <p>c. London Model University to be established in all districts.</p> <p>d. All of the above</p>	
Q.15	Who founded the Brahmo Samaj?	(1)
Q.16	<p>Correct the incorrect statement:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The State list has subjects like taxes, defence, and foreign affairs which are the responsibility of the Centre. 	(1)
Q.17	<p>Study the following image and answer the following question:</p>  <p>(A) This was one of the many pictures of sati painted by the European artists who came to India. (B) The practice of sati was seen as evidence of the barbarism of the East. (C) No reformers dared to raise their voice against such ritual. (D) Both A and B</p>	(1)
Q.18	When did state, Andhra Pradesh came into existence?	(1)
Q.19	<p>State True or False: The President appoints the chief Justice of India.</p>	(1)
Q.20	Define the term Linguistic.	(1)
Q.21	<p style="text-align: center;">SECTION B</p> Name the fibre crops and name the climatic conditions required for their growth.	(3)
Q.22	How was the politics of the radicals within the congress different from that of moderates?	(3)
Q.23	<p>What is role of police in investigating a crime? Or Discuss the role of any 3 factors influencing population change.</p>	(3)
Q.24	When did our government set up a planning commission and why? When was Bhilai steel plant set up?	(3)
Q.25	What is industry? Differentiate between agro based and mineral based industry?	(3)



Study the picture and answer:

(3)

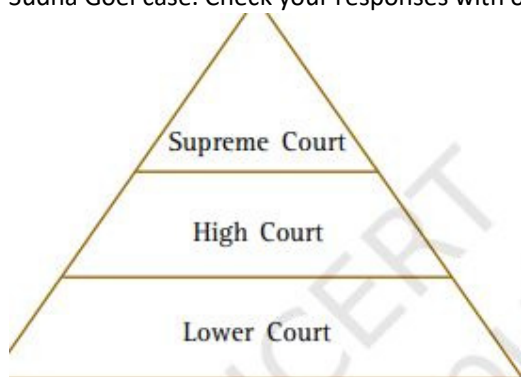
What do you think the famous cartoonist R.K. Laxman is trying to convey in this cartoon?
How does it relate to the 2006 law related to prevention of child labour act?

Q.26

How do you think the Right to constitutional remedies connects to the idea of judicial law?

Or

In the following illustration, fill in each tier with the judgments given by the various courts in the Sudha Goel case. Check your responses with others in class.



(3)

Q.27

Differentiate between the thoughts of Orientalists and Anglicists.

(3)

Q.28

Why were christian missionaries attacked by many people in the country? Would some people have supported them too? If so, for what reasons?

(5)

Q.29

Define the terms Detention and Witness. Distinguish between civil law and criminal law?

(5)

Q.30

Study the following source and answer the following question

(5)

Q.31

	<p style="text-align: center;">“It was he who got <i>bedakhli</i> stopped in Pratapgarh”</p> <p>The following is an extract from a CID report on the kisan movement in Allahabad district, January 1921:</p> <p>The currency which Mr. Gandhi's name has acquired even in the remotest villages is astonishing. No one seems to know quite who or what he is, but it is an accepted fact that what he says is so, and what he orders must be done. He is a Mahatma or <i>sadhu</i>, a Pundit, a Brahmin who lives at Allahabad, even a <i>deota</i> ... the real power of his name is to be traced back to the idea that it was he who got <i>bedakhli</i> [illegal eviction] stopped in Pratapgarh ... as a general rule, Gandhi is not thought of as being antagonistic to Government, but only to the <i>zamindars</i> ... We are for Gandhiji and the Sarkar.</p> <p>According to this report, how did people view Mahatma Gandhi? (1) Why do you think they felt that he was opposed to zamindars but not to the government?(2) Why do you think they were in favour of Gandhiji?(2) Or Define industrial disaster and write any four risk reduction measures?</p>	
Q.32	<p>Give reasons for the following:</p> <p>(i) In India agriculture is a primary activity(1) (ii) Different crops are grown in different regions(2) (iii) The demand for jute is decreasing in domestic and international market(2)</p>	(5)
Q.33	<p>Explain the favourable factors for the location of steel plant at Jamshedpur.</p>	(5)
Q.34	<p>Describe the following:</p> <p>A.Rowlatt act (1) B.Rowlatt Satyagraha(1) c.Jallianwala bagh massacre(1) D.Non cooperation movement(2)</p>	(5)
Q.35	<p>Map skill based questions</p> <p>1.On an outline map of India Identify the following</p> <p>a.Kheda-Patidar movements b.Guntur-Forest satyagrahis c.The place where chsuri chaura incident took place.</p> <p>II.On an outline map of India</p> <p>a.Shade the sugarcane producing regions b.State having lowest population c.State having highest density of population</p>	(3=3 =6)