

Directorate of Education , Government of National Capital Territory of Delhi
Practice Question paper (Annual Exam)
Session: 2025-26
Class: 7
Subject: Social Science

Time: 2 hours 30 minutes

Maximum Marks: 60

General Instructions:

- (i) This Question paper comprises Six Sections – A, B, C, D, E and F. Overall there are 14 questions in the question paper. All questions are compulsory.
- (ii) Section A- Question number 1.i to 1.xv, are MCQs of 1 mark each.
- (iii) Section B- Question number 2 to 5, are Very Short Answer Type Questions, carrying 2 marks each. Answer to each question should not exceed 20 words.
- (iv) Section C- Question number 6 and 7, are Short Answer Type Questions, carrying 3 marks each. Answer to each question should not exceed 40 words.
- (v) Section D- Question number 8 and 9 are long answer type questions, carrying 5 marks each. Answer to each question should not exceed 80 words.
- (vi) Section E- Questions number from 10 to 13 are case based questions carrying 4 marks each. Each question has three sub questions.
- (vii) Section F- Question number 14 is map based question, carrying 5 marks.
- (viii) Separate questions are given for **Visually Impaired Students Only** in lieu of Question number 14.
- (ix) 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.
- (x) In addition to this, separate instructions are given with each section and question, wherever necessary.

Ques. No.	Section A Multiple Choice Question	Marks 1x15 = 15
i.	Which of the following countries is considered the healthiest country in Central America? A. Argentina B. Costa Rica C. Paraguay D. Uruguay	1
ii.	Who wrote the autobiography named ' Amar Jibon'? A. Mrs. Rassundari Devi B. Mrs. Ruqaiya Hussain C. Mrs. Shobhna Patil D. Mrs. Shirin Prabhakar	1

iii.	Which of the following is NOT a medium of mass communication ? A. Bank B. Newspaper C. Radio D. TV	1
iv.	Two statements given below are marked as Statement (I) and Statement (II). Read both the statements and choose the correct option. Statement (I): The item is more expensive in the weekly market. Statement (II): There are no permanent shops in the weekly market. Option A. Statement (I) and Statement (II) both are correct. B. Statement (I) and Statement (II) both are incorrect. C. Statement (I) is correct and Statement (II) is incorrect. D. Statement (I) is incorrect and Statement (II) is correct.	1
v.	Fill in the blanks with the help of appropriate option. The head of the state is called Option: A. Home Minister B. Governor C. Chief Minister D. Prime Minister	1
vi.	Identify the correct match. A. World Environment Day - March 5 B. World Environment Day – May 5 C. World Environment Day – June 5 D. World Environment Day – December 5	1
vii.	What is the regular rise and fall of ocean water twice a day called? A. Earthquake B. Tsunami C. Waves D. Tide	1
viii.	Which of the following gases is found in the largest quantity on Earth ? A. Nitrogen B. Oxygen C. Argon D. Methane	1
ix.	Kolkata is situated on the banks of which river? A. Ganges B. Hooghly C. Narmada D. Tapi	1
x.	Identify the incorrect match. A. Sahara Desert – India B. Ladakh - India C. Kargil - India D. Rajasthan - India	1

xi.	<p>Given below are two statements , Statement (I) and Statement (II). Read both the statements and choose the correct option.</p> <p>Statement (I): Nadir Shah attacked Delhi in 1739 .</p> <p>Statement (II) : The administration of the Mughal Empire weakened during the reign of Aurangzeb's successors.</p> <p>Option:</p> <p>A. Statement (I) and Statement (II) both are correct.</p> <p>B. Statement (I) and Statement (II) both are incorrect.</p> <p>C. Statement (I) is correct but Statement (II) is incorrect.</p> <p>D. Statement (I) is incorrect but Statement (II) is correct.</p>	1
xii.	<p>Which of the following dance form flourished under the patronage of Wajid Ali Shah, the last Nawab of Awadh?</p> <p>A. Kathak</p> <p>B. Bharatanatyam</p> <p>C. Kuchipudi</p> <p>D. Kathakali</p>	1
xiii.	<p>Philosopher Shankara was a supporter of which philosophy?</p> <p>A. Dvaitawaad</p> <p>B. Advaitawaad</p> <p>C. Vishishtadvaitawaad</p> <p>D. Dvaitadvaitwaad</p>	1
xiv.	<p>Two statement given below marked as, Assertion (A) and Reason (R). Read the statements and choose the correct options:</p> <p>Assertion (A): The writers of Tarikh have generally not mentioned rural life.</p> <p>Reason (R): History writers lived in cities.</p> <p>Option</p> <p>A. Assertion (A) and Reason (R) both are correct and Reason (R) is the correct explanation of Assertion (A).</p> <p>B. Assertion (A) and Reason (R) both are correct but Reason (R) is not the correct explanation of Assertion (A).</p> <p>C. Assertion (A) is correct but Reason (R) is incorrect.</p> <p>D. Assertion (A) is incorrect but Reason (R) is correct.</p>	1
xv.	<p>Who among the following was the commander of the Ahom army ?</p> <p>A. Lachit Barphukan</p> <p>B. Shyamal Barphukan</p> <p>C. Kacharis</p> <p>D. Duffalas</p>	1
	<p style="text-align: center;">Section B</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Very Short Answer Type Question</p>	4x2=8
2.	Explain the importance of household work with the help of any two examples.	2
3.	<p>A. How did the Rashtrakuta kings expand their empire?</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Or</p> <p>B. What activities were associated with Chola temples?</p>	2
4.	<p>A. Describe the role of the government in health.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Or</p> <p>B. Mention any two features of public health system.</p>	2

12.	<p>Read the following paragraph and answer the questions asked.</p> <p>Lava is actually fiery, red-hot magma that flows from the Earth's interior to the surface. When the molten lava reaches the Earth's surface, it rapidly cools and solidifies. The rocks formed in this way on the crust are called extrusive igneous rock. They are called. They have a very fine-grained structure. For example, basalt. The Deccan Plateau is composed of basalt rocks. Molten magma sometimes cools deep within the Earth's crust. The rocks formed this way are called intrusive igneous rock. They are called granules. As they cool slowly, they form larger grains. Granite is an example of such a rock. The abrasive processes used to make pastes/spices and powders from the grains. The stones used are made of granite.</p> <p>Question</p> <p>(12.1) What is 'lava'?</p> <p>(12.2) What type of rocks make up the Deccan Plateau?</p> <p>(12.3) What is the difference between extrusive and intrusive igneous rocks? Explain with examples.</p>	<p>4</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>2</p>
13.	<p>Read the following paragraph and answer the questions asked.</p> <p>During Akbar's reign, these jagirs were carefully assessed so that their revenues were approximately equal to the mansabdar's salary. By Aurangzeb's reign, the situation had changed. The revenues now fell far short of the mansabdar's salary. The number of mansabdars also increased significantly, forcing them to wait a long time before receiving a jagir. All these factors led to a decline in the number of jagirs. Consequently, many jagirdars, while holding jagirs, sought to extract as much revenue as they could. In the final years of his reign, Aurangzeb was unable to control these changes, causing immense hardship to the peasants.</p> <p>Question:</p> <p>(13.1) Why were jagirs assessed during the reign of Akbar?</p> <p>(13.2) What was the reason for the delay in granting jagirs to the mansabdars during the time of Aurangzeb?</p> <p>(13.3) What impact did the changes in the jagirdari system during Aurangzeb's reign have on the peasants? Explain.</p>	<p>4</p> <p>1</p> <p>1</p> <p>2</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">Section F</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Map Skill Based Questions</p>	5
14.	<p>(14.A) Show any two of the following on the political outline map of India with the help of suitable symbols and Their Name Write-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Maharashtra Rajasthan Karnataka <p>(14.B) Show any three of the following on an outline map of the world with the help of suitable symbols and Their Name Write-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> South America Indian Ocean North America Europe 	<p>2X1=2</p> <p>3 x 1 = 3</p>

The following questions is for visually impaired candidates only in lieu of Question number 14. (Answer any five questions.)

14.1. What was 'Ur' in the Chola Administration?

14. 2. Who immediately succeeded as the ruler of Delhi after the death of Sultan Iltutmish?

14. 3. Which ruler established the 'Sur dynasty' after defeating Mughal ruler Humayun?

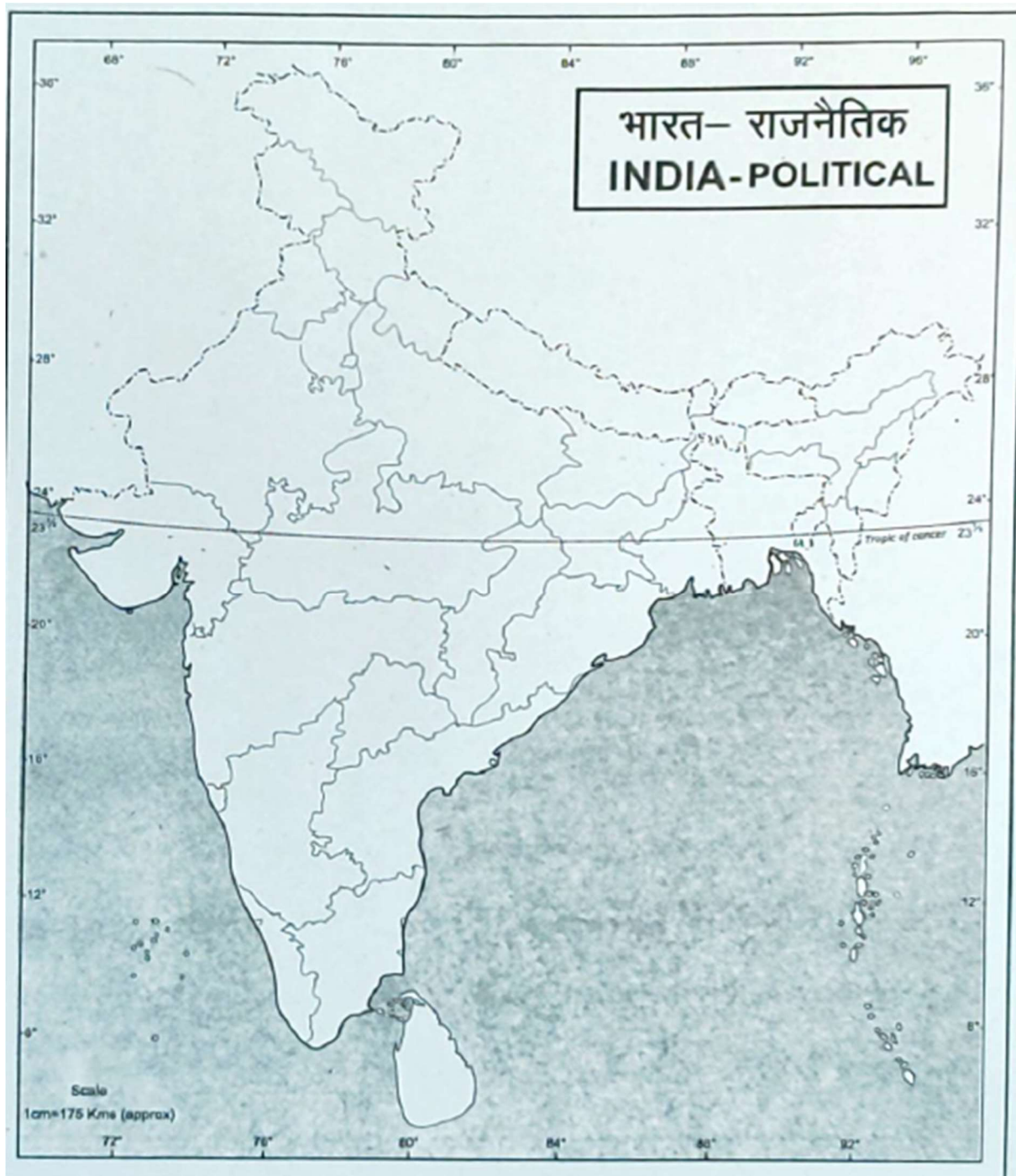
14. 4. What creates 'Loess'?

14. 5. Which is the second most abundant gas in the atmosphere?

14. 6. Which type of ocean current is Gulf Stream'?

14. 7. In which continent is the 'Sahara desert located?

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