



SINDHI HIGH SCHOOL, HEBBAL
PERIODIC TEST II [2024-25]
SUBJECT: SOCIAL SCIENCE (087)

Class: IX
Date: 20.11.24
No of Sides: 2

Max Marks: 30
Reading Time: 8:10 to 8:20 am
Writing Time: 8:20 to 9:20 am

General Instructions:

- All Questions are compulsory.
- Paper has 3 Sections with 14 Questions
- Section A has 4 Questions for 1 mark each
- Section B has 4 Questions for 2 marks each
- Section C has 6 Questions for 3 marks each
- Answer the questions in order of sequence

	SECTION – A	
I	CHOOSE THE CORRECT OPTION:	1X4=4
1	Identify the incorrect statement among the following statements. a) The Government of India had appointed the Second Backward Classes Commission in 1979. It was headed by B.P. Mandal. b) It was asked to determine the criteria to identify the socially and educationally backward classes in India and recommend steps to be taken for their advancement. c) The Commission gave its Report in 1980 and made many recommendations. d) One of these was that 29 per cent of government jobs be reserved for the socially and educationally backward classes.	1
2	Can the houses of parliament be dissolved? a) Lok Sabha cannot be dissolved because it is a permanent house whereas, Rajya Sabha can be dissolved. b) Both the houses of Parliament cannot be dissolved. c) Rajya Sabha is a permanent house so it cannot be dissolved whereas, Lok Sabha can be dissolved. d) Both Rajya Sabha and Lok Sabha can be dissolved.	1
3	India adopted a new strategy in Green Revolution, especially in the production of..... a) Wheat and rice b) Wheat and Pulse c) Rice and pulses d) Pulses and Maize	1
4	'NHFS ' stands for..... a) Nation Health and Family Service b) National Health and Family Survey c) Nutrition Health and Family Survey d) National Health and Family Security	1
	SECTION – B	
II	ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS BRIEFLY:	2X4=8
5	Who are Nomadic pastoralists? Mention any two pastoralist groups prevalent in India..	2
6	How Lok Sabha exercises supreme power in comparison with Rajya sabha?	2
7	Explain any two striking features of the hot weather season.	2
8	What is Food Security? Mention the most devastating famine that occurred in India?	2
	SECTION – C	

III	ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:	3X6=18
9	How did the pastoralists groups of India cope up with the changes?	3
10	“When the grazing grounds were dry and exhausted, Raikas moved out in search of other pasture and water”.-Explain.	3
11	Why do we need a Parliament?	3
12	How does altitude affect the climate of India?	3
13	What do you understand by break in monsoon?	3
14	Explain Seasonal hunger.	3
