



विद्या सर्वार्थ साधिका

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General Instructions:

1. Questions from serial number 1 to 14 are of 1 mark each.
2. Questions from 15 to 26 are short questions of 3 marks each. Answers to these questions should not exceed 70 words each.
3. Questions from serial number 27 to 32 are long questions of 5 marks each. Answer to these questions should not exceed 100 words each.

1. In Mahajanapadas how were the herders and weavers expected to pay the rulers? (1)
2. State the importance of Bodh Gaya in Buddha's life. (1)
3. The empire that Ashoka ruled was founded by: (1)
(a) Samudragupta (b) Chandragupta
(c) Bindusara (d) Bimbisara
4. Give the sanskrit word for 'in praise of' (1)
(a) Satakarni (b) Prashasti
(c) Prakrit (d) Pali
5. When it rained heavily where did the Buddhist monk and nuns stay? (1)
(a) Mudhouses (b) Viharas
(c) House boats (d) Tree houses
6. Define the term 'Government'. (1)
7. Name the political party which Nelson Mandela belonged to _____: (1)
(a) Afrikaan Party (b) Apartheid Party
(c) African National Congress (d) Soweto Party
8. Give the full form of the person in charge of the police station. (1)
(a) SHO (b) EHO
(c) AHO (d) PHO
9. Complete the sentence: (1)
The Councillors make the decisions and the administrative staff led by the Commissioner
_____ them
(a) implement (b) reject
(c) elect (d) submit
10. 'The year 2020 is a Leap year'. State the reason. (1)
11. Glaciers are found in _____. (1)
(a) Plains (b) Plateaus
(c) Mountains (d) Deserts

12. Mention the latitudinal extent of India. (1)
13. Define the term 'loo'. (1)
14. Name the wind which brings rain to south west coast of India. (1)
15. Make a comparative study of Magadha and Vajji. (Write any three points on each) (3)
16. Mention the ideas which were recorded in the Upanishads. (3)
17. Ashoka inscribed the message for the future, so that his son and grandson should not think about war. How did the Kalinga war bring about a change in Ashoka's attitude towards war? Mention the strategies adopted by him to spread the dhamma. (3)
18. Name and locate the following in the given outline map of India: (3)
 - (a) Two principal cities of the Mauryan Empire.
 - (b) One of the places having Buddhist inscriptions.
19. Why do you think government needs to make rules for everyone in the form of laws? State one example to support the answer. (3)
20. Define the term 'apartheid'. Mention how the Blacks were treated unequally. (3)
21. Mention the provisions under the Hindu Succession Act of 2005. (any three) (3)
22. State the role played by the following when there is a conflict in the village for the land. (3)
 - (a) Police station
 - (b) Patwari
 - (c) Tehsildar
23. Draw a labeled profile of a volcano. (3)
24. Name the three divisions of the Himalayas. Explain each of them. (3)
25. 'The poles experience about six months day and six months night'. Discuss. (3)
26. Mention the three major types of plateaus. Describe each of them with an example. (3)
27. The temples of ancient India exhibited some unique features. Explain the following terms: (5)
 - (a) pradakshina path
 - (b) garbhagriha
 - (c) shikhara
 - (d) mandapa
 Also mention one unique feature of the iron pillar at Mehrauli.
28. Today we know about Samdragupta and Harshavardhana through the accounts of the contributions made by the scholars. State the contributions made by the following: (5)
 - a) Harishena
 - b) Kalidas
 - c) Aryabhata
 - d) Banabhatta
 - e) Xuan Zang
29. Municipal Corporation is responsible for providing various facilities in the city. List any four tasks done. Also state the sources of fund for providing the facilities. (5)
30. Discuss the issue of Cauvery river conflict. Suggest any two measures to resolve the conflict. (5)
31. Ganga- Brahmaputra plains are the most populous regions. Analyze the factors which make the plains useful for human habitation. (5)
32. On the given outline map of India name and locate the different types of natural vegetation found in India. Locate one state for each. (5)