



विद्या सर्वार्थ साधिका

ANANDALAYA
PERIODIC TEST – 1
Class VI

Subject: Social Science
Date : 20/07/2019

M.M: 50
Time: 2 Hours

General Instructions:

1. QNo.1 to 5 are Multiple choice questions and Q 6 to 8 are very short answer questions
2. Q No. 9 to 17 are short answer questions of 3 marks each. Answers to these questions should not exceed 70 words each
3. Q No. 18 to 20 are long answer questions. Answers to these questions should not exceed 100 words.

1. The group of people who entered India 2500 years ago through the northwest are _____. (1)
a) Iranians and Greeks
b) Iranians and French
c) Greeks and British
d) None of the above.
2. An inscription found 2250 years ago in Kandahar was written on the orders of a king, name the king. (1)
a) Chandragupta Maurya
b) Ashoka
c) Samudragupta
d) Kanishka.
3. Author of the book 'Discovery of India' is _____. (1)
a) Mahatma Gandhi
b) J Nehru
c) Sardar Patel
d) Subash Chandra Bose.
4. The first traders to land on the shore of Kerala were _____. (1)
a) Jews and Arabs
b) Portuguese
c) Dutch
d) French
5. The sun makes life possible by providing us with _____. (1)
a) Oxygen b) heat and light c) water d) carbondioxide.
6. Name the animals which were reared in ancient India. (1)
7. Define the term 'galaxy' with an example. (1)
8. State the meaning of axis. (1)
9. In ancient India, people travelled from one part of the subcontinent to another. Discuss any three reasons. (3)
10. Mention the earliest people who lived along the banks of the river Narmada. Also list the activities they used to practice along the banks of the river Narmada. (3)

11. Distinguish between Inscriptions and Manuscripts with an example for each. (3)
12. Make a comparative study of Kerala and Ladakh on the following aspects: (3)
 - A. Location
 - B. Climate
 - C. Occupations
13. List three different ways in which people in India do the following: (3)
 - a) people offer prayer.
 - b) people get married
 - c) people cook rice.
14. Explain how caste system creates inequality in a society. Mention the reason why Samir Do (3)
could not attend school, whereas Samir Ek could attend.
15. Distinguish between a planet and a star on any two points; also give an example for each. (3)
16. Draw a globe and mention its usefulness in studying geography. (3)
17. Give the meaning of the following terms: (3)
 - a) constellation
 - b) orbits
 - c) natural satellites
18. Around 12,000 years ago there were many changes in the world. Justify the statement with any (5)
five evidences.
19. India's diversity has been recognized as a source of its strength. Explain the statement on any (5)
five points.
20. What are parallels of latitudes? Draw a labeled diagram showing the important latitudes. (5)