

**SSC PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS : JUNE-2021**  
**SOCIAL STUDIES - PAPER - I & II**  
**MODEL PAPER**  
**(English Medium)**

Time: 3.00 Hrs.

Max. Marks : 100

**Instructions**

1. 15 Minutes are allotted for reading the question paper in addition to 3.00 hours for writing the answers.
2. All answers should be written in the separate answer booklet.
3. There are four sections in the question paper.
4. There is internal choice in Section-IV.

**SECTION — I**

12x1=12

Note: 1. If any question is answered more than once in this section. the earlier answer will only be considered.

2. Answer all the questions.
3. Each question carries 1 Mark.

1. The Himalayas are divided into 3 Ranges.

1.Himadri, 2.Himachal, 3. ....?

Write the name of the third range

2. Which is the Peninsular river among the following.

1.Ganges 2. Brahmaputra 3. Kaveri 4. Sutlej

3. List of activities is given below. Identify the primary sector activity and write it in your answer book.

1. Ramayya works in the Construction field.
2. Ramayya works in Mining.
3. Ramayya serving as a teacher in a Government School.
4. Ramayya is an Industrialist

4. Observe the table and answer the question given below.

Distribution of Workers in India, 2009-2010 (%)

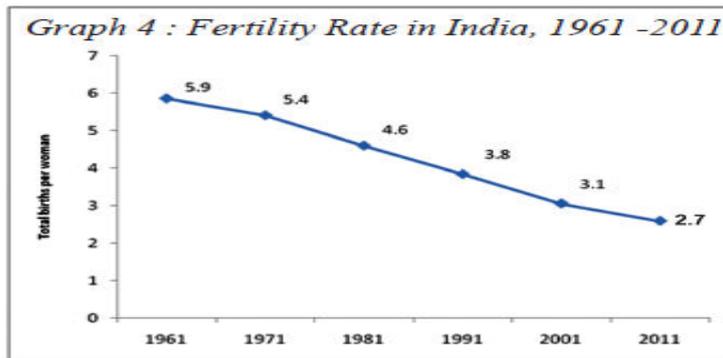
SECTOR EMPLOYMENT (%)	Male	Female
Agriculture	47%	69%
Industry	34%	16%
Services	19%	15%

In which sector the Female employment is high ?

5. Thiruvananthapuram, Mumbai, Jaipur, Shimla:

Arrange these capital cities from South to North according to their location.

6. Answer the following question based on the graph given below



What is the fertility rate recorded in 2011

7. Causes for World wars.

Aggressive nationalism – Imperialism– Secret alliances - ?

Complete the information.

8. Based on the relationship between the information in the first pair, complete the second pair.

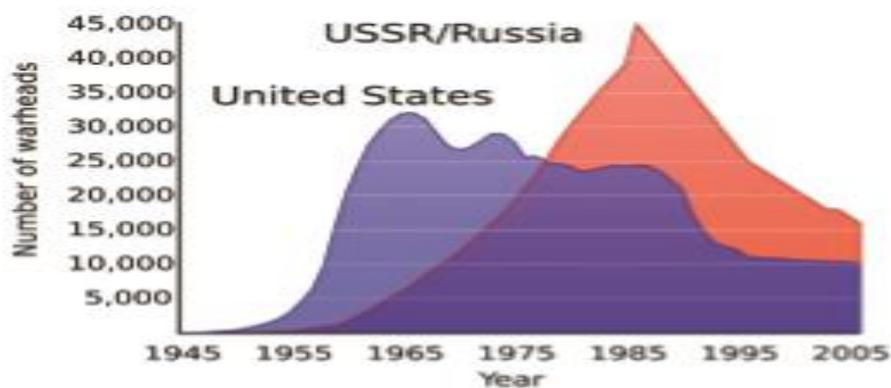
India : Parliamentary System      America : ?

9. What is the immediate provocation for the second world war. ?

10. Identify the person in the picture who introduced Policy of Liberalization in India



11. Study the graph and answer the following question



Which country had the highest warheads in the year 1955?

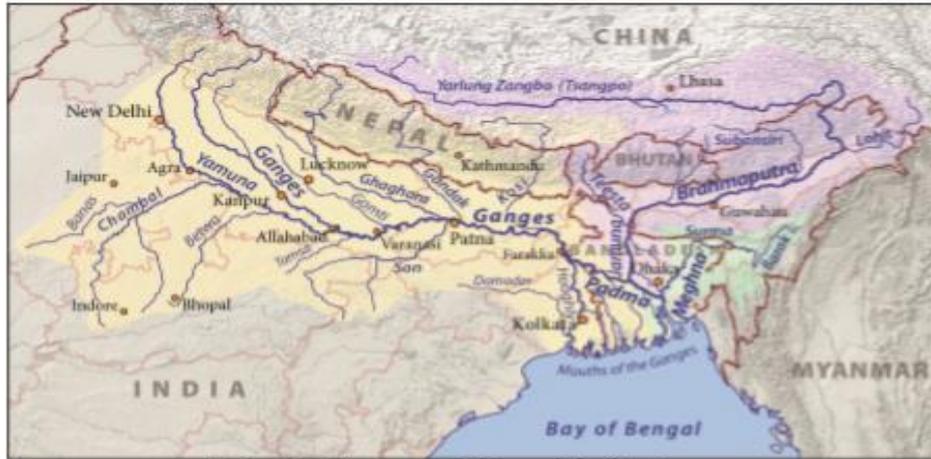
12. Who gave the slogan “Do or Die” during the Quit-India movement.

## SECTION-II

Note:

8 x 2 = 16

1. Answer all the Questions.
2. Each Question carries 2 Marks.
13. What are the divisions of Indo-Gangetic Plains?
14. What is the theme of the book “Silent Spring”
15. Suggest any two measures to solve the problems of urbanization.
16. Answer the following questions based on the map given.



1. Name the river flowing through Tibet which is also called “Tsangpo”.
2. Varanasi is situated on the banks of which river?
17. Arrange the following movements in the correct chronological order.  
Quit India movement, Vandemataram movement,  
Civil disobedience movement, Khilafat Movement.
18. Write any two examples for political parties in Andhra Pradesh.
19. “In a war even the country which wins too loses”. Comment.
20. "I have a dream that my four little children will one day live in a nation where they will not be judged by the colour of their skin but by the content of their character ...  
*Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.*  
Express the sensitivity in this speech.

## SECTION-III

Note: 1. Answer all the questions.  
2 Each question carries 4 Marks.

8 x 4 = 32

21. Explain the changes occurred in human life style with settled life
22. What measures are being taken up by the government for the development of governmentschools in Andhra Pradesh.

23. Answer the following questions based on the table given below.  
Some data regarding India and its neighbors for 2013

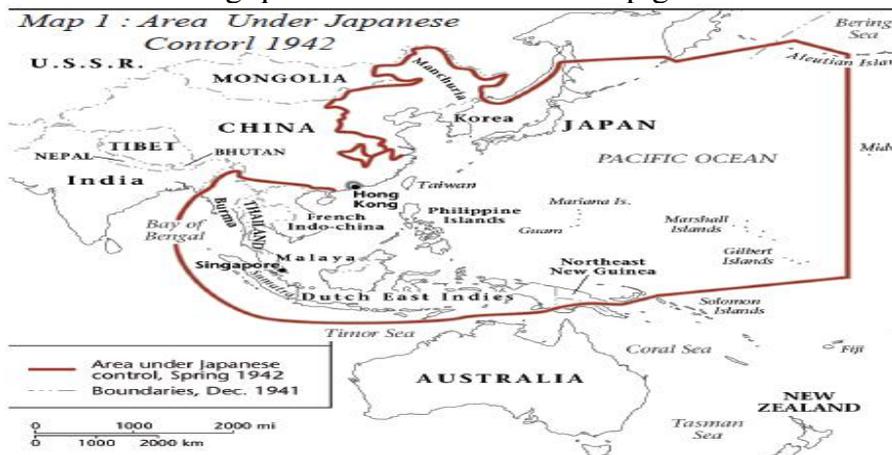
Country	Percapita Income in \$	Life Expectancy at birth	Average years of schooling	Expected years of schooling	Human Development Index (HDI) in the world
Sri Lanka	5170	75.1	9.3	12.7	92
India	3285	65.8	4.4	10.7	136
Pakistan	2566	65.7	4.9	7.3	146
Mayanmar	1817	65.7	3.9	9.4	149
Bangladesh	1785	69.2	4.8	8.1	146
Nepal	1137	69.1	3.2	8.9	157

- Define average age of schooling.?
- Which country is better in life expectancy?
- Which country is better in all aspects given in the table?
- What are the aspects considered in determining the HDI of a Country?

24. Suggest some precautions we can take to prevent the spread of the Corona virus..

25. Write about the League of Nations.

26. Answer the following questions based on the map given below



- What are the continents you observe in the above map?
- Name any countries which were under control of Japan?

27. Write about recent steps taken by governments to bring about socio-economic change

28. Appreciate the role played by Sardar Valla Bhai Patel in the unification of the state.

## SECTION-IV

Note:

5x8=40

- 1). Answer all the questions.
- 2). Each question carries 8 Marks

29. Explain the physical characteristics of the peninsular plateau.  
(or)

Our human life depends upon the environment in many ways. Explain.

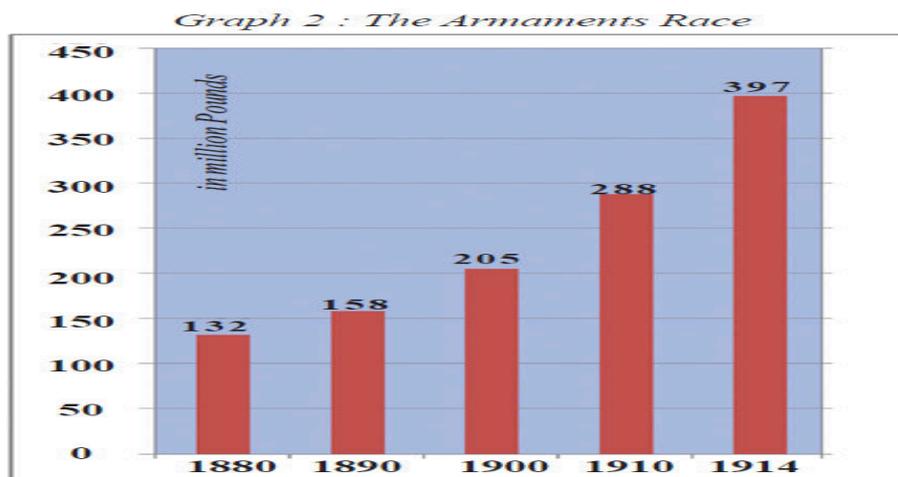
30. “The development for one may not be development for the other” discuss.  
(or)

“ There should be social control over the extraction and use of groundwater” –  
Do you agree with this statement?

31. Why the 20<sup>th</sup> century called the century of extremes. explain  
(or)

“The emergency period was a setback to the Indian democracy” - Do you agree with this statement? Explain.

32. Study the timeline given below and answer the following questions.



(Military expenditure of the major powers Germany, Austria-Hungary, Britain, Russia, Italy, France)

1. What the above bar graph indicates?
2. In which year highest money spent on Arms?
3. How is the trend in spent money on Arms?
4. According to the above diagram which countries have spent money on nuclear weapons??

(or)

Answer the following questions based on the graph given below.



- a) Which parties were part of the National Democratic Alliance government?
- b) Which parties were part of the National Front government?
- c) What is the tenure of the United Front government?
- d) Which aspect that the above Pie chart shows?

33. Mark the following on the outline map of India.

1. the place situated on the three seas.
2. the state which has Patna as capital
3. the Malabar Coast.
4. Shimla.

(or)

5. the highest peak in Shivalik ranges.
6. the river which flows between Vindhya and Satpura mountains
7. river Brahmaputra.
8. eastern ghats.

(or)

33. Mark the following on the outline map of the World.

1. The country which was ruled by Tzars
2. The country which affected by the Atom bombs in 1945.
3. India
4. The Atlantic Ocean

(or)

5. The country which located UNO headquarters.
6. The Country ruled by Manchu Dynasty.
7. France
8. Italy

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Table-1 :: Weightage to Academic Standards

S.No	Academic Standards	Allotted Marks	Difficulty level	
	<b>Conceptual Understanding</b>	40	40%	
	<b>Reading the Text and Interpretation</b>	10	10%	
	<b>Information Skills</b>	15	15%	
	<b>Contemporary Issues</b>	10	10%	
	<b>Mapping Skills</b>	15	15%	
	<b>Appreciation and Sensitivity</b>	10	10%	

Table-2 :: Weightage to Type of Questions

S.No	Question Type	No of questions	Marks Allotted	Total Marks	Difficulty Level
1	<b>Objective</b>	12	12	12	
2	<b>Very Short Answer Questions</b>	8	2	16	
3	<b>Short Answer Questions</b>	8	4	32	
4	<b>Long Answer Questions</b>	5	8	40	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100%</b>	

Table-3:: Blue Print

S.No	Academic Standards	OBJ	VSA	SA	LA	Total	Level
1	<b>Conceptual Understanding</b>	3+5=8 (1)	2+2=4(2)	1+1=2(4)	1+1=2(8)	16	40%
2	<b>Reading the Text and Interpretation</b>		0+1=1(2)		1+0=1(8)	2	10%
3	<b>Information Skills</b>	2+1=3 (1)		1+0=1(4)	0+1=1(8)	5	15%
4	<b>Contemporary Issues</b>		1+0=1(2)	1+1=2(4)		3	10%
5	<b>Mapping Skills</b>	1+0=1 (1)	1+0=1(2)	0+1=1(4)	1/1=1(8)	4	15%
6	<b>Appreciation and Sensitivity</b>		0+1=1(2)	1+1=2(4)		3	10%
		<b>6+6 (1)</b>	<b>4+4(2)</b>	<b>4+4(4)</b>	<b>5(8)</b>	33	100%
		<b>12</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>40</b>		

\*\*\*\*\*All the Best\*\*\*\*\*