

Annual Examinations April – 2011**SET - II**Class: **VII**Subject: **Social Studies**Total Marks: **100**

Part A & B

Time: **2 ½ Hrs**Time: **02.00 Hrs****Part – A****Marks:70****1. Answer all the following Questions****I Conceptual Understanding:****(8x5=40)**

1. Why is Visakhapatnam cooler than Hyderabad?
2. Why does cotton grow well in the Mississippi region?
3. What were the problems the people faced, when the capital was changed from Delhi to Doulatabad by Muhamad – bin Tughluq.
4. What are the differences in the socio economic condition of people in the pre-Mughal period and the medieval Mughal period?
5. In what circumstances can we use our fundamental rights?
6. What are the ill effects of deforestation?
7. What are the social welfare programmes introduced by the State Government?

II. Information and Communication Skills**(3x5=15)**

Observe the following table carefully and answer the questions given here under

S. No	Dynasty	Administration	Economic Condition	Social Condition	Arts & Sculpture
1.	Delhi	Administration according to Quran, kingdom was divided into Iqtas, army: horses, elephants, Solidiers, Jagirdari System	Market reforms, system of giving salaries to soldiers, minting of copper coins, Establishment of Industries, Silk wolen clothes Export, canals.	Majority of Hindus, less number of Muslims, no proper understanding Islam: Sunni, Shilas, women followed pardah system, sati was practised	Qutub minar

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2	Mughal Empire	Central Administration, Kingdom divided into Subhas, Munsabdari system, Akbar introduced Ryotwari System, Land survey. Fixation of Tax Registration of lands	Sugar, Iron, industries, ship building, Textile Industries, for export of spices, pearls.	Wage system, sub-castes, un-touchables, understanding among Buddhists, Jains, Sikhs, Parsis, Christians, Hindus, Muslims, - Pardah System, practise of sati	Ibadat Khanna, Panch Mahal, Jodh Bhai's Palace, Taj Mahal, Moti Masjid, Red Fort, Masjid

1. What are the similarities in social conditions during the periods Delhi sultans and Mughal?
2. What are the differences in Economic condition during the periods of Delhi Sultans and Mughal Period?
3. Write 5 lines about the Mughal Kingdom?

III. Mapping Skills :

10 Marks

A. Map Pointing.

1. Locate the following in the world map

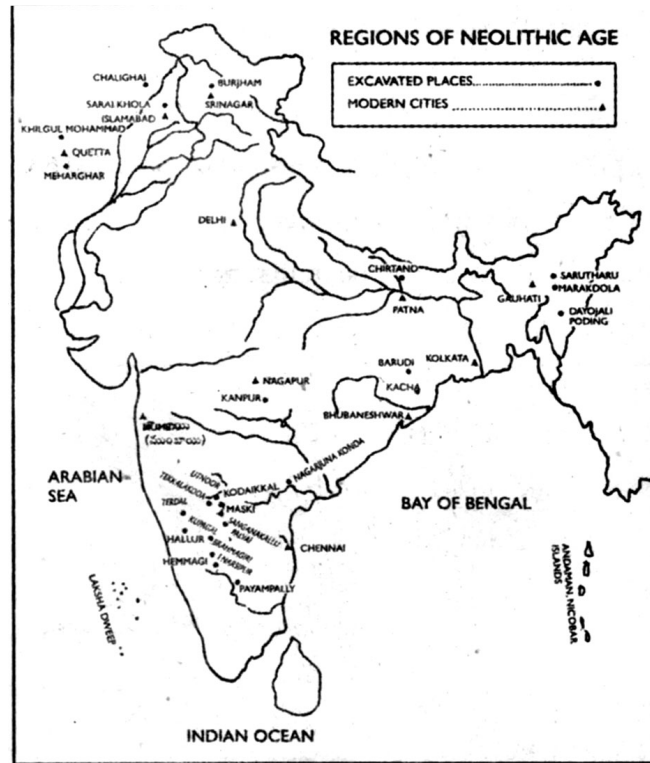


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| a) Canada | b). Brazil | c) Japan |
| d) Bearing Strait | e) Panama Canal | |

B. Map Reading

(5 marks)

Observe the Indian map and identify the western coastal states of India



V. Social issues / Higher order thinking questions

1. What are the effects of industrial pollution? What measures should be taken to prevent industrial pollution?
2. Who should we approach to take steps to contain pollution?
3. Where do you notice unity in diversity in the society what would you do as part of your duty?
4. Our constitution introduced some directives. These are called directive principles of state policy. Write a higher order thinking question on it.
