

SARVASHIKSHA ABHIYAN - ANDHRA PRADESH**SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT – I****VIII Class EM****SOCIAL STUDIES****Time : 2.30 Hrs.****NAME OF THE STUDENT :****ROLL No :****MARKS : 100**

ACADAMIC STANDARDS	CONCEPTUAL UNDERSTANDING	READING THE TEXT (GIVEN), UNDERSTANDING AND INTERPRETATION	INFORMATION SKILLS	REFLECTION ON CONTEMPORARY ISSUES AND QUESTIONING	MAPPING SKILLS	APPRECIATION AND SENSITIVITY	TOTAL
S.No.of QUESTIONS	1-23	24	25,26	27	28,29	30	30
ALLOTTED MARKS	40	10	15	10	15	10	100 MARKS
SECURED MARKS							
GRADE							

I. CONCEPTUAL UNDERSTANDING**40 MARKS****A) ANSWER ANY TWO OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS****2X10=20 MARKS**

1. What will happen if the atmosphere gets more polluted with smoke and dust?
2. Why do you think Andhra Pradesh does not receive any snowfall during winter months?
3. Why do you think the zamindars kept the soldiers and small forts?
4. What were the different events that led to the partition?

B) ANSWER ANY TWO OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS**2X5=10 MARKS**

5. What is the medium of teaching in schools and colleges today in our state?
6. Why do you think the Nizam's rule ended on 26 January 1950?
7. What are the uses of minerals?
8. Why do you think the tribal people were not able to pay the land revenue demanded by the government?

C) ANSWER ALL OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS**1X5=5 MARKS**

9. Define forest.
10. What is *Kayaks*.
11. How many seasons are there in Indian climate? What are they?
12. Name the Ceded districts.
13. What is Racial discrimination.

D) CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER**10X ½ =5 MARKS**

14. One famous Arab map maker for his king in 1154 was ()
a) *Hecataeus* b) *Da Ming Hun Yi Tu* c) *Ptolemy* d) Al Idrisi
15. _____ is the principal source of energy on the Earth's surface. ()
a) Ocean b) The moon c) The Sun d) Land
16. Delhi is at an elevation (height) of about _____ metres above sea level. ()
a) 200 b) 300 c) 400 d) 500
17. The Earth's movement around the Sun once a year. ()
a) Rotation b) Revolution c) Axis d) Poles
18. _____ is the place where the earth appears to meet the sky ()
a) Moon b) The horizon c) Weather d) Sun

19. The Parliament passed the Forest Rights Act in ()
 a) 2004 b) 2005 c) 2006 d) 2007
20. ____ is one of the raw materials used in making of glass and ceramic ware like wash basins etc. ()
 a) **Asbestos** b) **Barytes** c) **Chrome** d) **Feldspar**
21. The Permanent Settlement was introduced in the year ()
 a) 1793 b) 1794 c) 1795 d) 1796
22. వందేమాతర గీతాన్ని రచించినది ()
 ఎ) తాగూర్ బ) బంకించంద్ర చటర్జీ సి) పింగళి వెంకయ్య డి) గాంధీజీ
22. Who wrote Vandematharam ()
 a) Tagore b) *Bankimchandra Chatterji* c) Pingali Venkaiah
 d) Gandhiji
23. Devilish Act ()
 a) 1909 Act b) 1935 Act c) Rowlatt Act d) None of these

II. READING THE TEXT (GIVEN) UNDERSTANDING AND INTERPRETATION 10 M

24. ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTION

1X10=10

MARKS

“Minerals usually occur deep in the earth. They in fact do not belong to any particular owner but belong to all people of the country and have to be used in everyone’s interest. That is why all mineral wealth of a state is considered the property of the government. The government uses the minerals keeping in mind the interests of all people of the country.”

The minerals do not belong to any particular person but they belong to all people. How do you justify?

III. INFORMATION SKILLS

15 M

25. Answer the questions based on the table:

5 X2 = 10 MARKS

<i>Place</i>	<i>Sunrise</i>	<i>Sunset</i>
Hyderabad, A.P.	6:49	5:58
Agra, U.P.	7:09	5:42
Madurai, T.N.	6:37	6:12
Nagpur, MH	6:53	5:48
Visakhapatnam, A.P.	6:29	5:38
Kohima, Nagaland	6:02	4:40

1. In which of these six cities does the sun rise first?
2. In which of these cities does the sun set last?
3. How long is the daytime in each of the six cities?
4. Do the cities that are farther north have longer or shorter daytimes than the cities to the south?
5. Why the north of India remains cooler than the south in winter?

26. Classify the following natural objects into renewable and nonrenewable resources.
Bamboo, Coal, Sea water, Mud, Ants, Sand, Iron Ore, Diamond, Trees, Petroleum, Grass, Air, Marble rock, Fishes, Well water, Sunshine.

5 MARKS

Renewable resource	Non renewable resource

IV. REFLECTION ON CONTEMPORARY ISSUES AND QUESTIONING 10 MARKS

27. Answer any one of the following questions **1X10=10 M**

Why did the war in America lead to increase in prices of cotton in India?

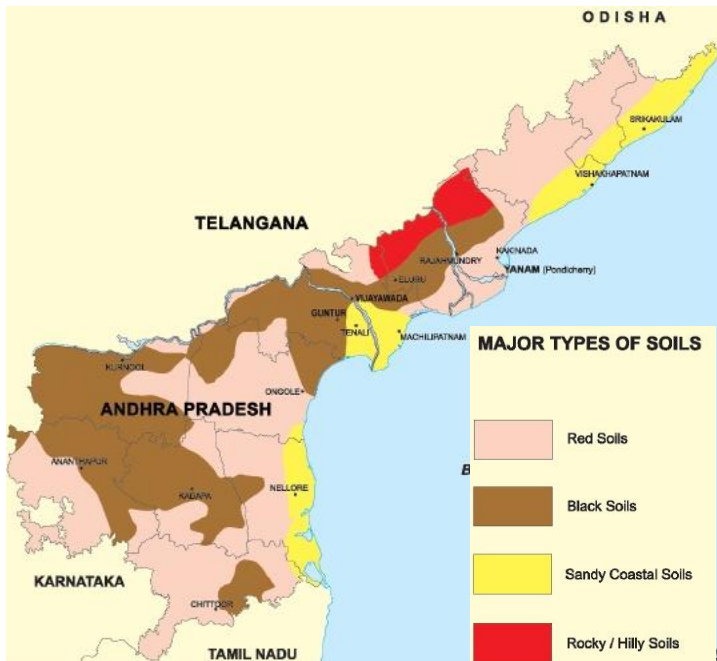
(OR)

What suggestions do you have for increasing the forest cover in our state?

V.MAPPING SKILLS

15 MARKS

28. Look at the India Map carefully and answer the following questions.



1. What kind of soil is there in Chittoor district?
2. Which soil is more in Andhra Pradesh?
3. In which districts black soils are there?
4. Sandy Coastal soils are located in which districts?
5. Rocky / Hill soils are spread in which districts?

29. Locate the following places in the world Map

5X1=5 MARKS

1. England
2. Arctic
3. India
4. Africa
5. Indian Ocean



VI.APPRECIATION AND SENSITIVITY

10 MARKS

30. Answer any one of the following questions

1X10=10 MARKS

Imagine that the Earth goes around the Sun but its axis is not tilted. How will it affect the change in seasons in Andhra Pradesh?

Or

Do you think it is right to give the police powers to suppress revolts ?