

**Dr. M.K.K. Arya Model School**  
**Mid Term Examination(Sep 2021)**  
**Class-VIII**  
**Subject- Social Science (Part A )**

**General Instructions**

**All questions are compulsory.**

**M.M.20**

**Q.1 to 10 (1 mark each) Q.11 and 12 (2 marks each) Q.13 and 14 (3 marks each)**

**Q1. What was Mill's opinion about Asian Societies ?**

- (A) Societies were highly developed (B) Societies were under developed  
(C) They were at lower level than Europe (D) None of these

**Q2. The British conquest of Bengal started with the Battle of ----- .**

- (A) Buxar (B) Plassey  
(C) Terrain (D) None of these

**Q3. The demand for Indigo increased in the late 18th century because of -----**

- (A) Urbanization (B) development  
(C) Industrialization (D) None of these

**Q4. ----- was known as ' Nij ' .**

- (A) Cultivation on Ryot's land (B) Cultivation on planter's own land  
(C) Mahal (D) None of these

**Q5. When did 'Criminal Tribes Act' was passed?**

- (A) In 1891. (B) In 1871. (C) In 1870 (D) In 1771

**Q6. What do you understand by the word ' Utility'?**

**Q7. What is Sustainable development?**

**Q8. Write any one reason for land degradation today ?**

**Fill in the blanks:**

**Q9. Dalhousie implemented the doctrine of -----**

**Q10. (True/False)**

**Human interference and changes of climate can maintain the "Ecosystem".**

**Q11. Why is it important to frame dates or time while writing history?**

**Q12. Suggest any two ways to conserve water.**

**Q13. What was the demand of Rani Lakshmibai of Jhansi that was refused by the British?**

**Q14. How did the status of the Tribal chiefs change after British established power in India?**

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**Q.1 to 10 (1 mark each) Q.11 and 12 (2 marks each) Q.13 and 14 (3 marks each)**

**Q1.Which one of the following is a leading producer of copper in the World?**

- (A) Bolivia (B) Chile (C) Ghana (d) None of these

**Q.2 The government cannot force Sikhs to wear helmet while driving two-wheelers because\_\_\_\_\_**

- (A) Sikhs do not obey government rules.  
(B) Sikhs are very powerful.  
(C) They wear pagri which is an important part of their religion.  
(D) None of these.

**Q.3 What does the term " Secularism" refer to? .**

- (A) Separation of religion from state (B) Right to religion  
(C) freedom to all (D) None of these

**Q4.who is the leader of ruling party in Lok sabha ?**

- (A) President (B) speaker  
(C) Prime minister (D) None of these

**Q5 Which house of the parliament is the permanent house?**

- (A) Lok Sabha (B) Rajya Sabha  
(C) Both A and B (D) None of these

**Q6. What are minerals?**

**Q7.How are Non-Muslims treated in Saudi Arabia?**

**Q8.What do you understand by the term 'Rule of law'?**

**Fill in the blanks:**

**Q9.Indian Parliament consists of ----- House /Houses**

**Q.10 (True/False)**

**Judiciary has the power to cancel the controversial laws .**

**Q11. What do you mean by judicial review?**

**Q12.What is an ore? Where are the ores of Metallic minerals generally located?**

**Q13. Differentiate between Potential and Actual resources?**

**Q14. Why does a Democratic country need a Constitution?**