



SOCIAL STUDIES

(EVENING SESSION)

[Time : 2 hours

(Maximum marks : 50)

(Note :— Attempt *all* questions from 'Part-A' and *five* questions from 'Part-B'. Part-A comprises of 30 marks and Part-B of 20 marks.)

PART—A

Choose the correct answer :

1. NABARD stands for :
 - (a) National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development
 - (b) National Board for Agriculture and Rural Development
 - (c) National Branch for Agriculture and Rural Development
 - (d) National Base for Agriculture and Rural Development
2. ILO stands for :
 - (a) Indian Law Organisation
 - (b) Indian Labour Organisation
 - (c) International Law Organisation
 - (d) International Labour Organisation
3. Planning in India derives its premises from :
 - (a) Fundamental Rights
 - (b) Directive Principles of State Policy
 - (c) Fundamental Duties
 - (d) Right to work
4. The constitution of Independent India was adopted on :

(a) 15 th August 1947	(c) 26 th January 1950
(b) 15 th August 1950	(d) 26 th November 1949
5. Rajya Sabha Members are elected by the :
 - (a) People
 - (b) Legislative Assemblies of States
 - (c) Lok Sabha
 - (d) Lok Sabha and State Legislative Assemblies
6. The constitution of India derives its authority from the :

(a) Parliament	(c) Prime Minister
(b) President	(d) People
7. On whom does the constitution confer special responsibility for the enforcement of Fundamental Rights ?

(a) The President	(c) The Parliament
(b) The Supreme Court	(d) The Governor



8. The Chairman of Rajya Sabha is :
 - (a) President
 - (b) Vice President
 - (c) Prime Minister
 - (d) Speaker
9. The head of the Union Executive is :
 - (a) President
 - (b) Prime Minister
 - (c) Council of Ministers
 - (d) Lok Sabha
10. Vice President is ex-officio :
 - (a) Speaker of Lok Sabha
 - (b) Chief Justice of Supreme Court
 - (c) Chairman of Rajya Sabha
 - (d) None of these
11. Which of the following States tops in terms of literacy ?
 - (a) Andhra Pradesh
 - (b) Tamil Nadu
 - (c) Karnataka
 - (d) Kerala
12. Which of the following States has the lowest literacy rate in the country ?
 - (a) Orissa
 - (b) Uttar Pradesh
 - (c) Bihar
 - (d) Madhya Pradesh
13. Vitamin 'A' deficiency causes :
 - (a) Night blindness
 - (b) Whooping cough
 - (c) Viral fever
 - (d) All of the above
14. Major source of protein is :
 - (a) Milk
 - (b) Cooking oil
 - (c) Butter
 - (d) All of the above
15. One can get fat from :
 - (a) Grams
 - (b) Ghee
 - (c) Raw vegetables
 - (d) Fruits

(15x2=30)

PART—B

1. Write the different fundamental rights of the Citizens of India.
2. What are the Directive Principles of State Policy ? How do they differ from the Fundamental Rights ?
3. (a) Define the term 'Wages'.
(b) Briefly describe the object of the Minimum Wages Act.
4. Briefly explain :
 - (a) Employees' Family Pension Scheme, 1971.
 - (b) Employees' Deposit-Linked Insurance Scheme, 1976.
5. What is a computer ? What are its characteristics ? Name the three main operations performed by a computer.
6. What is : (a) E-mail, (b) Videophone (c) Pager and (d) Fax ?

(5x4=20)