

SOCIAL STUDIES, Paper - II

(Contemporary World and India)

(English version)

Parts A and B

Time : 2 hrs. 45 min.]

[Maximum Marks : 40

Instructions :

1. In the time duration of 2 hrs. and 45 min., read the whole Question paper and understand every question thoroughly without writing anything and 15 minutes of time is allotted for this.
2. Answer the questions under **Part 'A'** on a separate answer book.
3. Write the answers to the questions under **Part 'B'** on the Question paper itself and attach it to the answer book of **Part 'A'**.
4. Answer **all** the questions from the given **three** sections I, II and III of **Part 'A'**.
5. In section III, every question has internal choice. Answer any **one** alternative.
6. Attach the given outline Map of **World** with the answer book of **Part 'A'**.

[Part - A]

Time : 2 hours

Marks : 35

SECTION - I

7×1=7

NOTE :

- (i) Answer **all** the questions.
- (ii) Each question carries **ONE** mark.
- (iii) Write the answers in 1-2 sentences.

1. What was the immediate cause for the Second World War ?
2. Why were the separate electorates for muslims implemented since 1909 ?
3. Give example for one Regional party and one National party.

SECTION - II

6×2=12

- NOTE :** (i) Answer **all** the questions.
(ii) Each question carries **TWO** marks.
(iii) Answer the questions in 4 - 5 sentences.

8. Mention the crises faced by Rural China.
9. How can you say that India has Federal Polity ?
10. Write about the States Reorganisation Act - 1956.
11. Why did the people of Telangana demand a separate state ?
12. Which qualities do you like in Sun Yat-Sen ? Why ?
13. Create two slogans on 'Preventing Wars'.

SECTION - III

4×4=16

- NOTE :** (i) Answer **all** the questions.
(ii) Each question carries **FOUR** marks.
(iii) There is internal choice to each question, only **one** option from each question is to be attempted.
(iv) Write the answers in 8-10 sentences.

14. **Read the para given below and interpret or write your opinion.**

(a) A large section of people who actively participated in the Civil rights movement were Black women, who felt that their voice was not being heard even within the movement which was dominated by men. In fact, no women was allowed to speak in the famous Washington March. They felt that women needed to assert themselves for the equality of women.

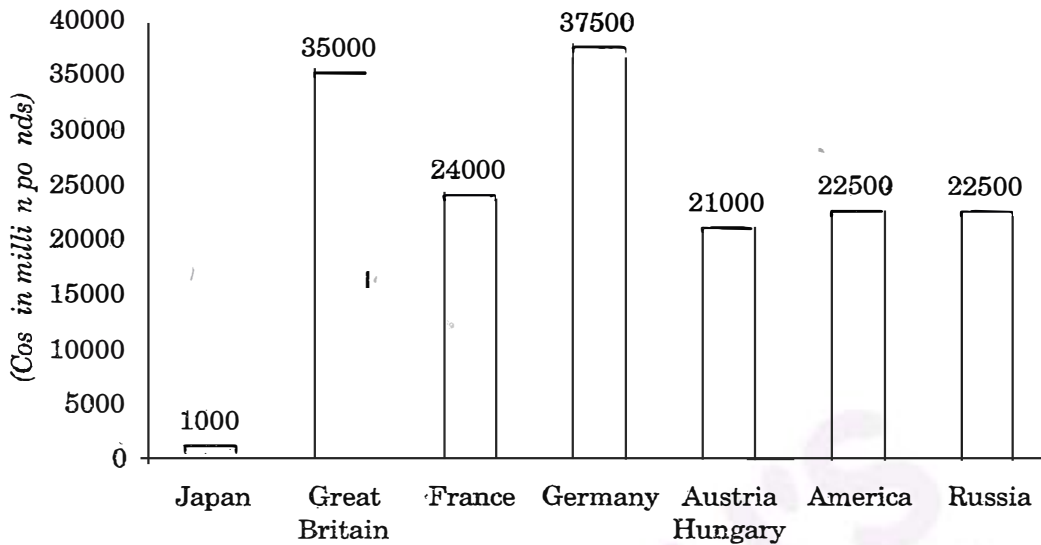
OR

- Read the para given below and interpret or write your opinion.**

(b) On one hand, India was forced to open up and 'liberalise' its economy by allowing freer flow of foreign capital and goods into India. On the other hand, new social groups asserted themselves politically for the first time, and finally religious nationalism and communal political mobilization became important feature of our political life. All this put the Indian society into great turmoil.

15. (a) Observe the following Bar - graph and analyse it.

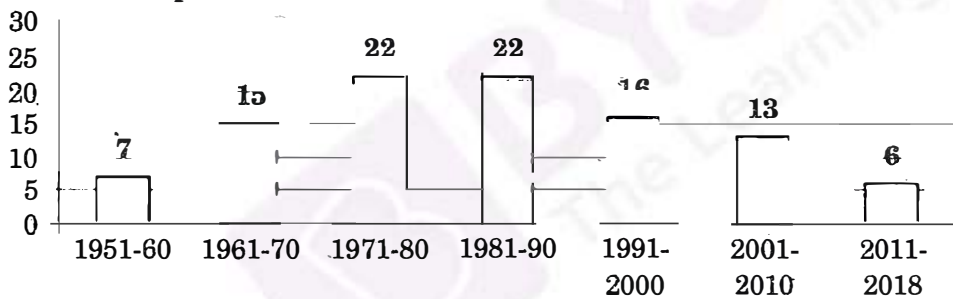
Graph : First World War - Expenditure of different countries



OR

- (b) Observe the following graph and analyse it.

Graph : Constitutional Amendments - 1950 to 2018



16. (a) Suggest measures for better democracy and ethical governance.

OR

- (b) Give suggestions to solve the differences among the countries of Non Aligned Movement.

17. Locate these places in the given Map of **World**.

- (a) (1) Portugal (2) Egypt (3) India
(4) The country announced New Deal.

OR

- (b) (1) China (2) England (3) Angola
(4) The country considered as 'Promised land by the Jews'.