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POST MID TERM TEST, 2025-26

SOCIAL SCIENCE MARKING SCHEME

Class: IV
Date: 6.01. 2026

Time: 1hr. 00 Min
Max Marks: 25

SECTION-A

(1×3=3)

1. ----- Industries use resources from seas and oceans as raw materials. 1
 - b. Marine based
2. Theperiod saw the arrival of Europeans in India for trade. 1
 - a. Medieval period
3. The Taj Mahal was built during the rule of theEmpire. 1
 - c. Mughal

SECTION-B

(4×3=6)

4. Your friend decided to start a sugar factory in your area. What factors he will need for the growth of his factory? 2

Ans- Land, labour, raw material water supply, electricity, storage market nearby etc.

5. Explain the modern period of Indian history. 2

Ans- The modern period of India started around **1757** when the **British came to India**. During this time, the British ruled the country, built railways and schools, and changed farming and trade. Many Indian leaders worked to **reform society** and fight for **freedom**. It ended in **1947** when India became **independent**.

6. Name the neighboring countries of India. 2

Ans- India's neighboring countries are Pakistan, China, Nepal, Bhutan, Bangladesh, Myanmar, Afghanistan, Sri Lanka, and the Maldives. Seven countries share a land border: Pakistan, China, Nepal, Bhutan, Bangladesh, Myanmar, and Afghanistan, while Sri Lanka and the Maldives are separated by sea.

SECTION-C

(2×3=6)

7. Write a note on China by stating the mixed relationship with India. 3

Ans- India and China are two very big countries in Asia. They share a long border high up in the mountains.

Their relationship is a little mixed, kind of like two friends who sometimes play well together and sometimes argue. Times they get along:

They both want their countries to be strong and successful. They trade a lot of toys, electronics, and other goods with each other. Leaders from both countries meet sometimes to talk and try to work out problems.

8. Explain the role of industries in our life. 3

Ans- Industries play an important role in the economic development of any nation without industries, economic development is impossible.

The various favourable factors present in the country for the development of industries are: The country is rich in natural resources, such as minerals, forests, fisheries, etc. Industries provide machinery like tractors and modern inputs to the agricultural sector.

It improves the working and live-style of the farmers.

Industries also provides arms and ammunition for the defence of a country, without these the country will become extremely vulnerable

OR

Imagine you were in the Ancient period with other ancient people. Throw a light on the lifestyle of those people.

SECTION-D

(2×4=8)

Case Study:-

9. Greenfield is known for its small toy-making factory. The factory makes wooden toys like cars, animals, and puzzles. The wood is brought from nearby villages. Around 20 workers paint, polish, and pack the toys. These toys are sold in local shops and also sent to nearby towns. The toy factory helps many families earn a living and makes Greenfield a happy place for children who love toys.

Questions:-

1. What does the toy factory in Greenfield make? 1

Ans- wooden toys like cars, animals, and puzzles.

2. How many workers work in the toy factory? 1

Ans-Around 20

3. From where does the factory get wood? 1

Ans- The wood is brought from nearby villages

4. What is industry? 1

Ans- An industry is a place or a group of businesses where people make or process goods, or provide services, using tools and machines.

10. Old River Village is a place where people lived many years ago. There were no cars, televisions, or mobile phones at that time. People traveled by bullock carts and walked long distances. Houses were made of mud and straw. Children played outdoor games like spinning tops and flying kites. People cooked food on clay stoves using firewood. They used earthen pots to store water. Life was simple, and people spent a lot of time together with their families.

1. What kind of houses did people in Old River Village live in? 1

Ans- Houses were made of mud and straw.

2. How did people travel in the past in Old River Village? 1

Ans- People traveled by bullock carts and walked long distances.

3. What types of games did children play in the past? 1

Ans- Children played outdoor games like spinning tops and flying kites.

4. What did people use to cook food in the past? 1

Ans- People cooked food on clay stoves using firewood.

SECTION-E

(1×2=2)

11. Map Based:-

In the given outline map of world locate and label the countries. (Any 2)

a. Australia b. India

c. Russia

Ans-On the Map of World

