

Important 8 Marks Questions

Social Science – Class X

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Geography – Water Resources

1. What is water scarcity? Explain its causes and the need for water conservation and management.
2. Explain the advantages and disadvantages of multipurpose river projects.
3. Discuss how rainwater harvesting is carried out in semi-arid regions of Rajasthan.

Geography – Agriculture

4. Describe the geographical conditions required for the growth of rice.
5. Write an essay on technological and institutional reforms in Indian agriculture.
6. Suggest initiatives to be taken by the government to increase agricultural production.
7. Explain the main features and importance of agriculture in India.

History – Nationalism in India

8. Explain the Rowlatt Act.
9. Why did Gandhiji withdraw the Non-Cooperation Movement?
10. Explain the Salt March.
11. Describe the Civil Disobedience Movement.
12. Explain the Quit India Movement.

History – Print Culture and the Modern World

13. Explain the role of print in the growth of nationalism in India.
14. Discuss the impact of print culture on women and the poor in 19th century India.
15. How did print introduce debates and discussions in colonial society?

Democratic Politics – Power Sharing

16. What are the different forms of power sharing in modern democracies? Give examples.
17. State one prudential reason and one moral reason for power sharing with an example from India.
18. Discuss power sharing arrangements in Belgium and Sri Lanka.

Democratic Politics – Political Parties

19. What are the main functions/characteristics of political parties in Indian democracy?
20. Why has India adopted a multi-party system? How has it strengthened democracy in India?
21. What are the various challenges faced by political parties?

Economics – Sectors of the Economy

22. Explain the objectives of MGNREGA, 2005.
23. Discuss the difference between organised and unorganised sectors.
24. “Tertiary sector is not playing any significant role in the development of Indian economy.” Do you agree? Give reasons.

Economics – Money and Credit

25. What are the basic ideas behind Self Help Groups (SHGs) for the poor? Explain.
26. The RBI supervises the functioning of banks. Why is this necessary?
27. Draw and explain a relevant graph.