

ST.XAVIER'S SCHOOL, DORANDA, RANCHI
SELF ASSESMENT TEST-2020-21
SUBJECT- SOCIAL STUDIES

STD.IV

Time:2hrs
F.M:80

Section-A

Q1. Name the following.

[2x4=8]

- a) A leader of USA who was inspired by Gandhi's teachings.
- b) An astronomer from Poland who wrote about the different movements of the planets.
- c) Two states that lie in the central zone of India.
- d) Two states that lie in the West zone of India.

Q2. State whether the statements are true or false.

[1x4=4]

- a) There are two movements of the Earth that happen at the same time.
- b) The first recorded calendar is said to be used during the Bronze Age.
- c) The southernmost point of India is Kanyakumari.
- d) India shares its North-Western boundary with Myanmar and Bangladesh.

Q3. Choose the correct option and complete the sentences. [1x4=4]

- a) Written record and documents are preserved in places called
(i)museums (ii) archives (iii) libraries
- b) The states of Bihar, Odisha, Jharkhand and West Bengal are known for their
(i) gold mines (ii) rich mineral deposits and dense forest
(iii) cardamom hills.
- c) India and her neighbouring countries formed the South-Asian Association
for Regional Cooperation on
(i) 8th November 1985 (ii) 8th October 1958 (iii) 8th December 1985
- d) Lakshadweep is a group of islands that are located in the
(i)Arabian Sea (ii) Bay of Bengal (iii) Indian Ocean

Q4. Define the following terms.

[2x2=4]

- a) Tributaries
- b) Artefacts

Q5. Match the following.

[1x4=4]

- a) Marco Polo - Jabalpur
- b) Nelson Mandela - Meghalaya
- c) Bheda Ghat - Italian Traveller
- d) Garo and Khasi Hills - South Africa

Q6. Fill in the blanks with appropriate words.

[1x8=8]

- a) People wrote on _____ and _____ before paper was invented.
- b) The earliest calendars were the _____ and _____ calendars.
- c) _____, _____ and _____ are the months of the Saka Calendar.
- d) The _____ in South America is known as the driest desert.

Q7. Complete the following table.

[1x6=6]

State	Capital	Language Spoken
a) Assam		
b)	Bengaluru	
c) Tamil Nadu		

Section-B

Q8. Write the difference between the following terms.

[2x4=8]

- a) Island and Peninsula
- b) BCE and CE
- c) Religious and Non-Religious records of history
- d) Dusk and Dawn

Q9. Give reasons for each of the following.

[2x3=6]

- a) The coldest regions of the Earth are the poles.
- b) A calendar is very important to us.
- c) History is divided into three broad periods.

Q10. Answer the following questions.

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- a) Archaeologists work in stages. Explain (4)
- b) Why are plateaus referred to as tableland? (4)
- c) Mention any two differences between the Gregorian calendar and the Saka calendar. (4)
- d) What is timeline? (3)
- e) What is known as circle of illumination? (3)

Q11. Look at the picture carefully and answer the questions that follow. [10]



- a) What is our national flag called and what does it mean? (2)
- b) What does each colour stand for? (6)
- c) What do you see in the centre of the flag? What does it represent? (1+1)

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