

**KENDRIYA VIDYALAYA VIJAYAPURA**  
**SOCIAL SCIENCE SAMPLE PAPER**

HALF YEARLY

CLASS-V111th

Time-3hours

M.Marks-80

**Q.1 Give the answer of the following question.( Do any twenty) (1x20=20)**

- (1) Who was the first Governor- General of India ?
- (2) What is colonialisation ?
- (3) Who introduce “Doctrine of Lapse” ?
- (4) In which year “Battle of Plessey” fought ?
- (5) How many types of Resources ?
- (6) What is technology ?
- (7) Name the major threads to the Environment ?
- (8) Define soil Erosion ?
- (9) How are minerals extracted?
- (10) Who is known as “Black Gold” ?
- (11) Write the name of major producers of Petroleum in India ?
- (12) Define the types of Economic Activities ?
- (13) What is an Arable land ?
- (14) Define secularism ?
- (15) Write the name of neighboring country of India ?
- (16) Who has the power to interpret our constitution?
- (17) Define the “Right to Constitutional Remedies”?
- (18) What is the Sedition Act of 1870?
- (19) What do you mean by “Rule of Law”?
- (20) What the main two characteristics of our judiciary system?
- (21) What is Jhum cultivation practised these days in India?
- (22) Santhals tribe rose in revolt in the year\_\_\_\_\_.

**Q.2 Write short Answers**

(3x8=24)

- 1 Why is land considered an important resource ?
- 2 What are different methods of soil conservation ?
- 3 What are the differences between subsistence farming and Intensive Farming ?
- 4 Different crops are grown in different regions . Why ?
- 5 Why the national movement supported the idea that all adults have a right to vote ?
- 6 What did the members of the assembly agree to ?
- 7 Write the functions of Judiciary system in India ?
- 8 What attracted European trading companies to India ?
- 9 Why were ryots reluctant to grow Indigo ?

**Q.3 Write long Answers**

(5x6=30)

- 1 Describe the main features of the Permanent Settlement?
- 2 In what ways did the British change their policies as a result of the rebellion of 1857 ?
- 3 Explain the categories of natural resources?
- 4 Growth of vegetation depends upon moisture and temperature ? Explain.
- 5 Why does a country need a constitution?
- 6 Why is it important to separate religion from the state?

**Q.4 Write On the Outline map of India Locate**

(3)

- (a) One wheat producing state
- (b) One cotton producing state
- (c) One iron ore producing state

**Q.5 On the Outline map of India Locate**

(3)

Three Iron and steel Industry .