INFORMATION INDIAN SCHOOL DAMMAM

SUMMATIVE-I EXAMINATION 2012-2013

SUB-SOCIAL SCIENCE CLASS-VII TIME-3HRS

INSTRUCTIONS SET-A MAX MARKS-90

1) Read the instructions carefully

2) Number the questions correctly in your answer sheet as given in the question paper.

CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER (21x1=21)

1) The Sanskrit poem composed by Kalhana was about the history of the rulers of ------------

   (a) Sind  (b) Kashmir  (c) Kanauj  (d) Malwa

2) Baromètre measures -------------------------------

   (a) temperature  (b) atmospheric pressure  (c) amount of rain fall  (d) direction of the wind

3) Name the Chola chief who captured Kaveri Delta from the Muttaraiyar family.

   (a) Vijayalaya  (b) Rajaraja 1  (c) Rajendra 1  (d) Nagabhatta

4) The name used for a social group considered outcastes by Brahmanas and Vellalas in

   Periyapuranam.

   (a) Velas  (b) Harijans  (C) Sudras  (d) Pulaiyas

(5) Which of the following gas is the lightest of all?

   (a) hydrogen  (b) oxygen  (c) carbon di oxide  (d) nitrogen

(6) ----------was the 14th century traveller from Morocco.

   (a) Al Biruni  (b) Ibn Battuta  (c) Minhaj I Siraj  (d) Genghis Khan

(7) ----------was the first Delhi Sultan who planned a campaign in the History of Sultanate to

   capture Mongol territory.

   (a) Alauddin Khalji  (b) Sultan Iltumish  (c) Muhammed Tughluq  (d) Ibrahim Lodi
8) The radius of the core is---------------- km
   (a) 6371   (b) 3500   (c) 6173   (d) 6731

9) A fortified settlement with soldiers is known as
   (a) Hinter land   (b) Garrison town   (c) Iqta   (c) Sana

10) Whose administrative measures were followed by the Great Emperor Akbar?
    (a) Raziya Sultan   (b) Sher Shah Sur   (c) Sikandar Lodi   (d) Qutbuddin Aybak

11) -------------------prohibited discrimination on the basis of race, religion or national origin
    (a) Universal Adult Franchise   (b) Civil Disobedience Act of 1964
    (c) The Disabilities Act of 1995   (d) The Civil Rights Act of 1964

12) Thinking of oneself and other persons as worthy of respect refers to----------------------
    (a) dignity   (b) integrity   (c) independence   (d) reliability

13) Which of the following agent is responsible for the formation of mushroom rocks?
    (a) wind   (b) ice   (c) waves   (c) river

14) The ---------------- cuts off from the river and forms an ox bow lake.
    (a) levee   (b) meander   (c) flood plain   (d) river bank

15) Elected representatives who are not members of ruling party are called-------------------
    (a) opposition   (b) majority   (c) ministers   (d) independents

16) The head of the state is---------------------
    (a) Chief Minister   (b) MLA   (c) MP   (d) Governor

17) A particular area from which all the voters living there choose their representatives is
    known as ------------------------
    (a) district   (b) village   (c) constituency   (d) taluk
18) ---------------is associated with cloudy skies and wet weather.

   (a) high pressure  (b) average pressure  (c) low pressure  (d) no pressure

19) The first state in India to introduce Mid day Meal Scheme is---------------------

   (a) Kerala  (b) Tamil nadu  (c) Karnataka  (d) Assam

20) The gas which protects us from the harmful effects of the sunlight.

   (a) ozone  (b) argon  (c) hydrogen  (d) methane

21) The ancestors of African Americans were the ------------------------from Africa.

   (a) emigrants  (b) refugees  (b) slaves  (c) migrants

**ANSWER BRIEFLY**

(11X3=33)

22) What do you understand by tripartite struggle? Who were Samantas?

23) How are extrusive and intrusive rocks formed?

24) Who was Mahmud of Ghazni? What were his interests in India?

25) How are minerals useful? Define fossils

   Or

   How was the revenue put to use in the new kingdoms? Name two titles adopted by new kings.

26) Draw the diagram of a volcano? What is a rock?

27) What are the limitations of the authors of tarikh / tawarikh?

28) How are flood plains formed?

29) How is the increased volume of carbon dioxide affecting earth’s weather?

30) Give reason: Sea caves are turned into stacks. Define waterfall.

31) What is the purpose of a press conference? What do you mean by coalition?
32) What are the 2 ways by which government tried to implement equality? Who is the author of the autobiography "Joothan"?

Or

What will happen if the astronauts do not wear special protective space suits? Define insolation.

**ANSWER THE FOLLOWING**

(9x4=36)

33) How was the administration of the Chola Empire organized?

34) Explain the rock cycle.

Or

Give some common earth quake prediction methods and how can you prepare for an earth quake? Define weathering.

35) What was the purpose behind building of mosques by Delhi Sultans? Name the cities built by Delhi Sultans. Which was the first city built by them?

36) What are the provisions in the constitution of India based on equality?

Or

Describe briefly any four layers of atmosphere.

37) Why had Mohammed Tughlaq's administrative measures been a failure?

38) Define wind. Explain the three types of wind.

39) Who have the main authority in a democracy and how is the work done?

40) What are the positive effects of the Mid Day Meal Scheme?

41) How is delta formed?