

## Sub-Foundation Course

(2½ Hours)

[Total Marks 75]

- N.B. 1) All questions are compulsory.  
2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

## 1. A) Choose the correct alternative : (any eight)

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- 1) Lord Mahavir is the 24<sup>th</sup> Tirthankar of \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Jainism, Buddhism, Judaism)
- 2) Hinayana & Mahayana are the two major schools of thought in \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Jainism, Buddhism, Hinduism)
- 3) Mental retardation means when Intelligence Quotient score is below \_\_\_\_\_.  
(70, 110, 99)
- 4) Deficiency of Vitamin \_\_\_\_\_ may cause blindness.  
(A, B12, D3)
- 5) \_\_\_\_\_ is a solution to Communalism.  
(Capitalism, Patriotism, Communism)
- 6) Caste system is a form of \_\_\_\_\_ stratification.  
(economic, social, political)
- 7) As per Article 168 of the Indian Constitution the houses of State legislature can be Unicameral or \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Bicameral, Multicameral, Tricameral)
- 8) According to the Indian Constitution there are \_\_\_\_\_ types of emergency.  
(two, three, four)
- 9) According to the \_\_\_\_\_ Amendment Act of Indian Constitution the provisions related to Panchayatiraj are enumerated.  
(73<sup>rd</sup>, 74<sup>th</sup>, 75<sup>th</sup>)
- 10) \_\_\_\_\_ is a national party.  
(Akali Dal, Telugu Desam, Bahujan Samaj Party)

## B) State whether the following statements are True or False: (any seven)

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- 1) Prophet Mohammad Paigambar founded Islam.
- 2) The eight fold path was given by Lord Buddha.
- 3) Raja Rammohan Roy opposed Sati System.
- 4) Cataract is not related to blindness.

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- 5) The Indian Constitution has not taken efforts to prevent economic and caste inequalities.
  - 6) In Hinduism there are five varnas.
  - 7) 26<sup>th</sup> November is observed as the Constitution day.
  - 8) Dr. B.R. Ambedkar is the chief architect of the Indian Constitution.
  - 9) There is 100% political participation of women in India.
  - 10) Defections is a major problem for all political parties in India.
2. Enlist & explain the socio-economic problems faced by women in India.
- OR
2. Discuss in detail the problems faced by Socially Handicapped Persons.
3. What are the measures to overcome the problems of communalism in India.
- OR
3. Discuss the problems of regionalism.
4. Explain tolerance and Communal harmony as crucial values in Indian Society.
- OR
4. Explain the basic features of Indian Constitution.
5. Bring out the role and significance of women in politics.
- OR
5. Write short notes on : (any three)
- a) Tribal characteristics.
  - b) Status of women in the vedic period.
  - c) Linguistic conflicts in india.
  - d) Fundamental duties of Indian Citizens.
  - e) Political party system in India.

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