

- Note: 1. All questions are compulsory  
2. Figure to right indicates full marks

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Q.1. (A) Fill in the blanks with the correct option given in the bracket (Any Eight):

1. In India, \_\_\_\_\_ State has highest literacy rate.  
(Goa, Kerala, Bihar)
2. Kannada belongs to \_\_\_\_\_ language family.  
(Dravidian, Indo-Aryan, Austro-Asiatic)
3. \_\_\_\_\_ is a defect due to extra chromosome.  
(Cretinism, Microcephalus, Down's syndrome)
4. Gender is a \_\_\_\_\_ concept.  
(sociological, economic, biological)
5. The \_\_\_\_\_ scheme has improved enrolment in government schools.  
(free books, midday meal)
6. Schedule castes are not found in \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Punjab, Mizoram, Uttar Pradesh)
7. The word \_\_\_\_\_ envisages the goal of a 'Welfare State'.  
(sovereign, secular, socialist)
8. \_\_\_\_\_ means creating peace among a community.  
(Tolerance, Justice, Communal harmony)
9. \_\_\_\_\_ is the head of the Gram Panchayat.  
(President, Chairperson, Sarpanch)
10. India has a \_\_\_\_\_ party system.  
(multi, bi, single)

Q.1. (B) State whether the following statements are true or false (Any seven):

(7)

1. Moksha refers to the state of liberation.
2. Maharashtra was the first state to be formed on linguistic basis.
3. Caste system is a form of social stratification.
4. Glaucoma can be detected during pregnancy.
5. Caste system promotes social progress and modernization.
6. "Sons of the soil" theory implies jobs for all in a state.

7. Equality means bringing about the spirit of brotherhood.
8. Political justice is meaningless without economic justice.
9. Municipal Council has one Standing Committee and eight subject Committees.
10. Municipal Commissioner is appointed by the State Government.

Q.2. A. Discuss the pluralistic nature of Indian Society. (15)

OR

Q.2. B. Comment on the problems of persons with disabilities in India. (15)

Q.3. A. What is regionalism? Examine the causes of regional conflicts in India. (15)

OR

Q.3. B. "Issues related to regionalism are integral to India" Comment. (15)

Q.4. A. State the fundamental duties of Indian citizen under Constitution. (15)

OR

Q.4. B. Explain tolerance and communal harmony as crucial values in Indian society. (15)

Q.5. A. Write a note on Internal project submitted by you. (15)

OR

Q.5. B. Write short notes on the following: (Any three) (15)

1. Features of Indian Party system.
2. Transmission of AIDS
3. Rural-urban divide in India.
4. Status of women in vedic period.
5. Fundamental rights.

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