

Here are the **Top 100 Social Studies Questions**, organized by core disciplines like History, Geography, Civics (Political Science), and Economics. These are ideal for students (Classes 6–10), competitive exams (UPSC, SSC, NTSE, etc.), and general knowledge purposes.



A. History (1–30)

1. Who was the first Mughal emperor of India?
2. What is the importance of the Indus Valley Civilization?
3. Who built the Taj Mahal?
4. What is the meaning of "Ashoka the Great"?
5. Who were the Vedic people?
6. What are the sources of ancient Indian history?
7. What caused the Revolt of 1857?
8. Who was the first Governor-General of India?
9. What was the Quit India Movement?
10. What was the significance of the Jallianwala Bagh massacre?
11. What was the Non-Cooperation Movement?
12. Who founded the Indian National Congress?
13. What were the main features of the Maurya Empire?
14. What are the teachings of Gautama Buddha?
15. What was the role of Mahatma Gandhi in the freedom struggle?
16. Who was Subhas Chandra Bose?
17. What is meant by colonialism?
18. Who was Rani Lakshmibai?

19. What do you know about the Delhi Sultanate?
 20. What are the causes of World War I?
 21. What is the Cold War?
 22. What is the significance of the French Revolution?
 23. Who was Karl Marx?
 24. What is meant by nationalism?
 25. What is the Renaissance?
 26. Who was Nelson Mandela?
 27. What is the role of UN in world peace?
 28. What is the Holocaust?
 29. What was the impact of the Industrial Revolution?
 30. Who was the first President of independent India?
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B. Geography (31–60)

31. What is geography?
32. What are the five themes of geography?
33. What is the difference between latitude and longitude?
34. What is the Equator?
35. Name the seven continents and five oceans.
36. What are the different types of landforms?
37. What is the water cycle?

38. What causes seasons?
39. What is the structure of the Earth?
40. What is a volcano?
41. What is an earthquake?
42. What is a tsunami?
43. What are the types of forests?
44. What is weather and climate?
45. What is a desert?
46. What are natural resources?
47. What are renewable and non-renewable resources?
48. What is deforestation?
49. What are the effects of global warming?
50. What is a map?
51. What are the components of a map?
52. What is a topographic map?
53. What is a political map?
54. What is a physical map?
55. What is soil erosion?
56. What is sustainable development?
57. What is an ecosystem?
58. What is urbanization?
59. What is a population pyramid?

60. What are the causes of migration?

C. Civics / Political Science (61–85)

61. What is democracy?

62. What is the Constitution?

63. Who is the head of the Indian state?

64. What are fundamental rights?

65. What is the Preamble of the Constitution?

66. What is the role of the President of India?

67. What are the functions of the Parliament?

68. What is the difference between Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha?

69. What is the role of the Prime Minister?

70. What is the Election Commission?

71. What is a political party?

72. What are the duties of a citizen?

73. What is secularism?

74. What is the rule of law?

75. What are the Directive Principles of State Policy?

76. What is a Republic?

77. What is meant by "separation of powers"?

78. What is federalism?

- 79. What is the role of judiciary in a democracy?
 - 80. What is the Supreme Court of India?
 - 81. What is an NGO?
 - 82. What is the Right to Information (RTI)?
 - 83. What is local self-government?
 - 84. What is the Panchayati Raj system?
 - 85. What are the responsibilities of a municipal corporation?
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D. Economics (86–100)

- 86. What is an economy?
- 87. What are the types of economies?
- 88. What is Gross Domestic Product (GDP)?
- 89. What is poverty?
- 90. What are the causes of unemployment?
- 91. What is inflation?
- 92. What is the role of banks in the economy?
- 93. What is the Reserve Bank of India (RBI)?
- 94. What is a budget?
- 95. What is taxation?
- 96. What is supply and demand?
- 97. What is public expenditure?

98. What are the sectors of the Indian economy?

99. What is the difference between developed and developing countries?

100. What is globalization?

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