



ANGEL'S PUBLIC SCHOOL

SAMPLE PAPER

HALF YEARLY EXAM SESSION 2025 – 26
CLASS – VI

TIME: 3 HRS

SUBJECT: SOCIAL SCIENCE

M.M:80

General Instructions.

- (a) Section –A comprises ten multiple choice questions, carrying 1 mark each.
- (b) Section –B comprises ten one-word answers questions, carrying 1 mark each.
- (c) Section– C comprises twelve short answer questions, carrying 3 marks each(do any 10)
- (d) Section –D comprises six long answer questions , carrying 5 marks each.(do any 4)
- (e) Section –E comprises two map or diagram, carrying 5 marks.

SECTION – A

Choose the correct option:

1. Most of the seals in the Indus–Sarasvati civilisation were made of _____.
(i) Copper (ii) Steatite (iii) Bones (iv) Metal
- 2.What name did the French use to refer to India?
(i) Indika (ii) Indus (iii) Inde (iv) Hindustan
- 3.What is the study of human history through excavated artifacts called?
(i) Geology (ii) Anthropology (iii) Archaeology (iv) Palaeontology
- 4.Places on a map can be correctly located by using _____.
(i) sketch (ii) symbols (iii) geographic coordinates (iv) plan
- 5.The word history is derived from the Greek word _____.
(i) historia (ii) historica (iii) history (iv) historica
6. Which Veda is known as the oldest of the four Vedas?
(i) Samveda (ii) Yajurveda (iii) Rigveda (iv) Atharavaveda
7. The statue of the 'Dancing Girl' was made of _____.
(i) bronze (ii) iron (iii) copper (iv) faience
- 8.How many years are there in a millennium?
(i) 10 (ii) 100 (iii) 1000 (iv) 500
9. Which ocean is bordered by Asia to the north and Australia to the east?
(i) Atlantic ocean (ii) Indian Ocean (iii) Southern Ocean (iv) Arctic Ocean
10. Which Chinese name for India reflects admiration for its religious importance?
(i) Yindu (ii) Tianzhu (iii) Hindustan (iv) Bharatavarsha

SECTION – B

Give the answers of the following questions in one word.

1. Name the materials Indus–Sarasvati seals are made of.
2. Who were the Aryans?
3. Which religion from India greatly influenced China?
4. Who studies about fossils?

5. What do you mean by 'Bight'?
6. Which ocean is located to the east of Africa?
7. What do you mean by the term prehistory?
8. What is meant by the term 'millennium'?
9. Which foreign civilisation referred to India as "Hindu"?
10. In which region the Rakhigarhi Indus–Sarasvati civilisation located?

SECTION – C

Short answer type questions.

1. How did the Chinese refer to India?
2. Explain the drainage system of the Indus–Sarasvati civilisation.
3. Why is timeline useful in studying history?
4. Write a short note on North America.
5. Write a short note on the religious beliefs of the people during the Indus–Sarasvati civilisation.
6. How did the name 'Hindustan' originate?
7. What was the importance of fire in early human life?
8. What are the two main types of islands? Describe any one of them.
9. What are the three major classification of historical sources?
10. Describe any five characteristics of a civilisation.
11. What is the significance of Pacific Ocean?
12. What influence did the Persian language have on naming India?

SECTION – D

Long answer type questions.

1. Discuss the cultural and geographical importance of the Sindhu(Indus River) in shaping the names and identity of ancient India.
2. Explain the different types of archeological resources in detail. How do they help us understand our past?
3. Describe the distribution of land and water on Earth.
4. Why do you think the Indian subcontinent was an important region of the world in the past?
5. How did Harappan people carry out trade?
6. How is the Southern Ocean different from the other oceans? Explain.

SECTION – E

Map/ Diagram.