

HISTORY AND POLITICAL SCIENCE PRELIM: PAPER 1

Q.1 (A) Choose the correct option from the given options and complete the sentences : (3)

- 1) The letters 'Shatpatre' published in Prabhakar were written by
 - a. Lokmanya Tilak
 - b. Lokhitvadi
 - c. Mahatma Gandhi
 - d. Justice Ranade
- 2) 'Primitive communism to Slavery' represents the historiography.
 - (a) Colonial
 - (b) Orientalist
 - (c) Nationalistic
 - (d) Marxist
- 3) The temple architecture in India began to develop during the period.
 - a. Maurya
 - b. Maratha
 - c. Gupta
 - d. Chalukya



(B) Identify the wrong pair in the following and rewrite it : (3)

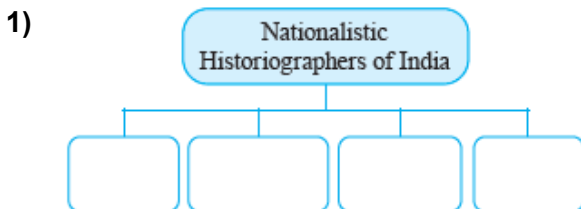
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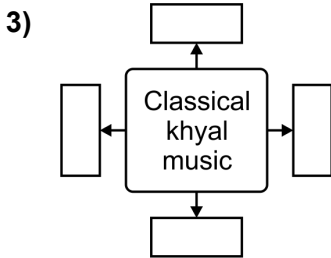
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ii.	Bharatvarshiya prachin aithasik kosh - Raghunath Bhaskar Godbole
iii.	Maharashtriya Dnyankosh - Shridhar Vyankatesh Ketkar
iv.	Krantikarkancha charittrakosh - N.R. Phatak
- 2)

i.	Hasan Nizami – Tajul-Ma'asir
ii.	Minhaj-i-Siraj – Tabaqat-i-Nasiri
iii.	Ziauddin Barani – Tarikh-i-Mubarakshahi
iv.	Timur (-i) Lang – Tuzuk-i-Timuri
- 3)

i.	Prabhakar - Acharya P.K. Atre
ii.	Darpan - Balshastri Jambhekar
iii.	Deenbandhu - Krishnarao Bhalekar
iv.	Kesari - Bal Gangadhar Tilak

Q.2 (A) Complete the following concept chart/map (any two) : (4)





(B) Write short notes on (Any two) :

(4)

- 1) Dialectics
- 2) Need of entertainment.
- 3) Nationalistic historiography.

Q.3 Explain the following statements with reasons (Any two) :

(4)

- 1) Toys can tell us about cultural history.
- 2) Bharuds composed by Saint Eknath are popular in Maharashtra.
- 3) It is essential to study the history of technology.
- 4) Only trained person, who are duly qualified can take up the task involved in the work of conservation and preservation.

Q.4 Read the following extract and answer the questions below :

(4)

The ruler of Bijapur, Ibrahim Adilshah II wrote a text in Persian language, entitled 'Kitab-e-Navras'. This text is about Indian classical music. It includes verses sung in the Dhrupad style and enables the audience to experience the joy of excellent poetry. Dr Arun Prabhune has edited this text in Marathi. The translation of the verse printed on the cover of this text reads as follows:

"Oh, Mother Saraswati, you are the divine light in the world and you are complete with all qualities. If Ibrahim receives your grace (blessings), the poetry of the navras will become eternal."

- i. Who wrote 'Kitab-e-Navras' and in which language?
- ii. What is the significance of 'Kitab-e-Navras'?
- iii. What according to you are the important things needed to translate any work of literature?

Q.5 Answer the following question in detail (Any two) :

(6)

- 1) What are the thoughts put forth by Leopold ?
- 2) How can we correlate applied history with our present ?
- 3) Describe any three types of tourism.
- 4) Why is library managements important.



POLITICAL SCIENCE

Q.6 Choose the correct option from the given options and complete the sentences :

(2)

- 1) ensures transparency and accountability of government.
 - a. Right to Information Act
 - b. Dowry Prohibition Act

c. Food Security Act

d. POSCO Act

2) The total number of members in Lok Sabha is

- a. 250 b. 453 c. 345 d. 543

Q.7 state whether the following statement are true or false. Give reasons for your answers (Any two) (4)

- 1) Minorities should have no role in democracy.
- 2) The facility of VVPAT in EVM machines ensures to stop malpractices in elections.
- 3) After winning elections, political parties cannot concentrate on just one issue.

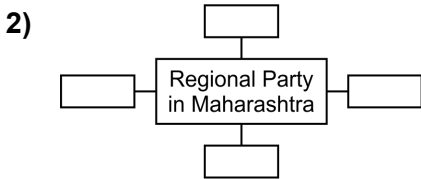
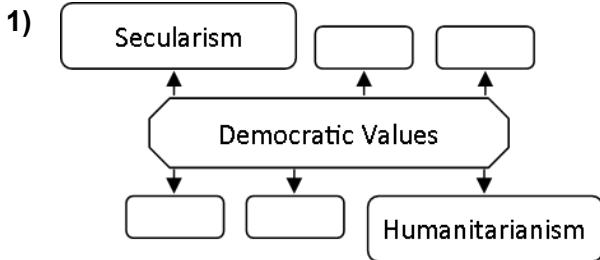
Q.8 A) Write the following concept (any one) :

- 1) Policy of reservation of seats.
- 2) Recognition of a regional party by the Election Commission



(2)

B) Do as directed (any one) :



(2)

Q.9 Answer in brief. (Any one) :

- 1) What is meant by establishment of social justice?
- 2) What are the effects of criminalization of politics?

(2)

