

HISTORY AND CIVICS

Class: VII

Marks: 80

Time: 1 ½ hrs

I. Name the following.

1. The act which protects SCs and STs from cruel acts.
2. The Act that provides for equal pay for both men and women for the same work.
3. The scheme which provides employment to rural households.
4. The country whose constitution has influenced the incorporation of Directive principles in the Indian Constitutions.
5. The force behind the directive principles.

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II. Answer the following questions:

1. What is meant by directive principles of State Policy? (2)
2. What is the purpose of the directive principles of state policy? (3)
3. What are the national objectives highlighted in directive principles (3)
4. Discuss the implementation of Directive principles to ensure economic Welfare. (3)
5. Write the Gandhian principles find in the Directive principles. (4)

HISTORY

III Name the following:

1. The ruins of Vijayanagar empire are found at?
2. The Portugese traveller who visited Vijayanagar empire.
3. The Russian traveller who spent time in the Bahmani Sultanate.
4. The founder of Khilji dynasty.
5. The Governor of Punjab, who invented Babar to invade India.
6. Area lying between two water sources.
7. An extension of the Quwwat-ul-Islam mosque at Delhi, built by Alauddin Khilji.
8. The battles in which Sher Shah defeat Humayun.
9. Sultan of Delhi who introduced the market regulation system.

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VI. Answer the following questions briefly:

1. Who is said to be the greatest of the Lodi kings? Which was his capital?
2. Why did the experiment of taxation in Doab fail?
3. What are the two new taxes introduced by Alauddin Khilji?
4. How did the Bahmani Kingdom get its name?
5. When and between whom was the Battle of Talikota fought?
6. State two causes of the decline of Vijayanagar Kingdom.
7. Name the five smaller Kingdoms into which Bahmani Kingdom was broken up.
8. Who was Firoz Shah? What was his major achievement?
9. When and between whom was the first battle of Panipat fought?
10. Name the auto biography of Firoz Shah Tughlaq and the Madrasa built by him.

V. Answer the following questions in detail:

1. Write a note on the responsibilities of Muhammad Tughlaq in the disintegration of Tughlaq Empire. (5)
2. Write a note on the monuments built during Bahmani rule. (6)
3. Write a note on the literary activities that took place during the Vijayanagar rulers. (4)
4. Who was Muhammad Gawan? Why and by whom was executed? (5)
5. Why did the experiment of token currency fail. (5)
6. Describe the society of the Vijayanagar Kingdom. What was the position of woman in it? (5)
7. What are the causes of Humayuns failure? (5)