

**INTERNATIONAL INDIAN SCHOOL DAMMAM**

**SUMMATIVE 1 2012-2013**

**SET B**

**CLASS : VI**

**MAX MARKS : 90**

**SUBJECT: SOCIAL STUDIES**

**DURATION : 3 HOURS**

**GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

- A. Read the question paper carefully.**
- B. Mention the SET in your answer paper.**
- C. All questions are compulsory. Internal choice is given.**

**GROUP A**

**CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER**

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1. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a narrow passage of water connecting two large water bodies.  
a. Continent      b. Strait      c. Panama      d. None of these
2. Increase in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_ leads to increase in global temperatures.  
a. Carbondioxide      b. Nitrogen      c. Hydrogen      d. Oxygen
3. Name the first Indian women to climb the highest mountain peak  
a. Junko Tabei      b. Bachendri Pal      c. Kiran Bedi      d. Kalpana Chawla
4. The Pacific Ocean is almost \_\_\_\_\_ in shape.  
a. Triangle      b. Rectangle      c. Square      d. Circular
5. The planet which has ring around it \_\_\_\_\_  
a. Jupiter      b. Venus      c. Mercury      d. Mars
6. New moon night is also called as \_\_\_\_\_  
a. Poornima      b. Amavasya      c. Stars      d. None of these
7. Rock shelters found in Vindhya are close to \_\_\_\_\_ valley.  
a. Kaveri      b. Narmada      c. Yamuna      d. Ganga
8. Rock painting show \_\_\_\_\_ drawn with great accuracy and skill.  
a. Cave pictures      b. Wild Animals      c. Paintings      d. None of these
9. Smaller rivers that flow into a larger river are called as \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. Tributaries      b. Lakes      c. Ponds      d. Streams

11. The word India comes from the Indus called Sindhu in \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. Sanskrit      b. Greek      c. Latin      d. Tamil
12. The beginning of agriculture \_\_\_\_\_ years ago.  
a. 7000      b. 6000      c. 8000      d. 4000
13. \_\_\_\_\_ play an important role in the democratic country.  
a. Government      b. Police      c. People      d. MP's
14. Who fought the Apartheid system?  
a. George Bush      b. Nelson Mandela      c. Obama      d. Abraham Lincoln
15. Krishnasagar dam is in \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. Karnataka      b. Tamil Nadu      c. Bihar      d. Orissa
16. In India elections are usually held once in \_\_\_\_\_ years.  
a. One      b. Three      c. Five      d. Seven
17. South Africa became a democratic country in the year \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. 1991      b. 1992      c. 1993      d. 1994
18. Every \_\_\_\_\_ needs a government to make decisions.  
a. People      b. Country      c. Hospitals      d. Court
19. In a monarchy \_\_\_\_\_ has the absolute power to rule the country.  
a. People      b. Police      c. King      d. Court
20. \_\_\_\_\_ is the institution which is part of the government.  
a. Hospital      b. Malls      c. Court      d. None of these

### GROUP B

**ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS. EACH CARRIES 3 MARKS.**

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21. How does the composition of gases help the living organisms?

22. A. Define Asteroids. What is meant by solar system?

OR

B. Define Galaxy. Name the planets according to the distance away from the sun.

23. Why the earth is called a Unique Planet?

24. How does a planet differ from a star?

27. A. Differentiate between manuscripts and inscriptions.

OR

B. Define Language. Name four areas where people settled in the past.

28. What can we learn about the past?

29. Give two main features of democratic government. What do you mean by Universal Adult Franchise?

30. A. Explain the Apartheid system.

OR

B. What are the various ways in which people participate in the process of government?

31. What do you understand by the word Government?

### GROUP C

**ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS. EACH CARRIES 4 MARKS.**

**8\*4=32**

32. A. What are the four major domains of the earth?

B. Why is the Northern Hemisphere called the Land Hemisphere?

33. Define Celestial bodies and Constellations. Why the earth is known as blue planet?

34. A. Name the two continents that lie entirely in the Southern Hemisphere.

B. Why is the Biosphere important for living organisms?

35. List any four uses of stone tools.

36. A. What changes came about in the life of the early people as environmental changes took place?

OR

B. Define Palaeolithic Period and Mesolithic Period. What was fire used for by the early people?

37. Who are Archaeologists? Briefly describe what they do?

38. A. When does a conflict occur among the people?

OR

B. What is the role of the people in a democracy?

39. List any four functions or duties of the government.

**GROUP D**

**ON THE GIVE OUTLINE MAP MARK THE FOLLOWING**

1\*5=5

40. A. From the point of view of commerce it is the busiest ocean.
- B. The third largest continent.
- C. A narrow strip of land joining two land masses.
- D. Ocean named after a country.
- E. An Island Continent.