

Nayak's Tutorials

Year : 2025 - 2026

Std:- X SSC

Sample Paper - 1

Social Science I – History & PS

Marks :- 40

Duration :- 2 hours

Instruction :

- (1) All questions / activities are compulsory.
- (2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
- (3) Question No. 1 to 5 are based on History and Question No. 6 to 9 on Political Science.
- (4) It is mandatory to write complete statement in Question No. 1 (A) and Question no.6.
- (5) In Question No. 2 (A) and 8(B) appropriate answer is expected to be written by Pen only in the Concept Map or Diagram.

Q.1. (A) Choose the right option and rewrite the sentence.

(3)

1. The stupa at Borobudur in _____ is the largest stupa in the world.

(Indonesia / Sri Lanka / India)

2. Stripurush Tulana written by _____.

(Tarabaishinde / Pandita Ramabai / Meera Kosambi)

3. Raja Harischandra, a movie directed by _____.

(Dadasaheb Phalke / Dadasaheb Torane/ Baburao Painter)

Q.1. (B) Identify and write the wrong pair in the following sets-

(3)

1. A. Friedrich Max Muller – Orientalist scholar

B. Vinayak Damodar Savarkar – Nationalistic scholar

C. Damodar Kosambi – Marxist scholar

D. V. k. Rajwade – Subaltern scholar

2. A. Tukadoji Maharaj-Khanjiri Bhajan

B. Keertan –Saint Namadev first keertankar

C. Dashavatara – Famous at Satara and Goa region

D. Bharud-composed by Saint Eknath

3. A. Mudiyyett – a ritual theatre of Kerala.

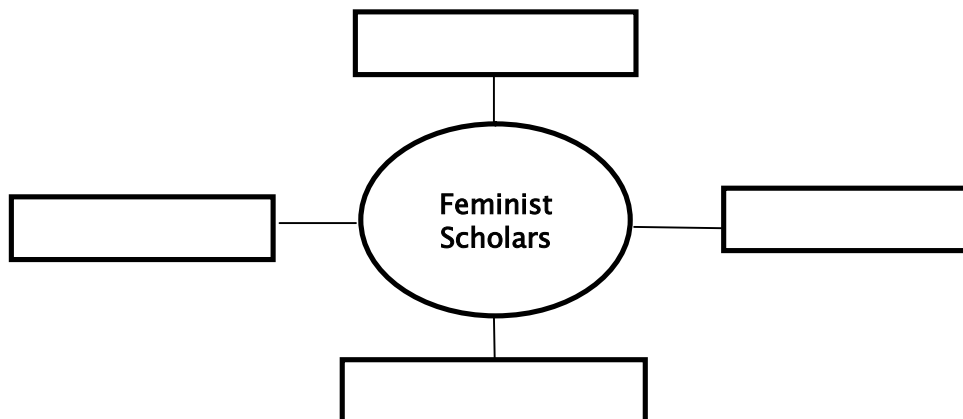
B. Kalbelia – folk songs and dances of Rajasthan.

C. Sankirtana – ritual singing, drumming and dancing of Punjab.

D. Kootiyattam – Sanskrit Theatre, Kerala.

Q.2. (A) Complete the given concept maps – (Any 2)

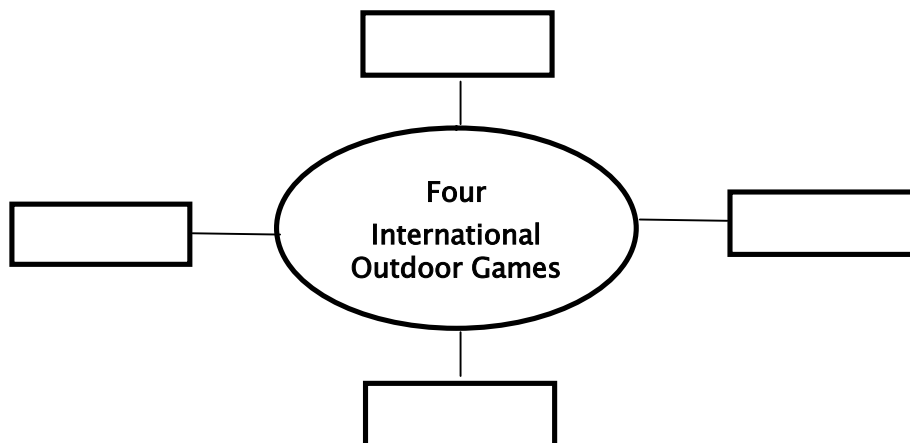
(4)



B)

Books	Author
The Secret of World History'	
'Reason in History'	
'Archaeology of Knowledge'	
'Das Kapital'	

C)



Q.2. (B) Write Short Notes – (Any 2)

(4)

1. Need of entertainment
2. Annales School
3. Louvre Museum, France

Q.3. Explain with Reasons (Any 2)

(4)

1. It is said that Voltaire was the founder of modern historiography.
2. Maharashtra known as the land that nurtured the Indian film industry.
3. Health Tourism is growing in India.
4. Bakhar is an important type of historical documents.

Q.4. Read the paragraph and answer the following –

(4)

Bharat Ek Khoj', a serial telecasted by Doordarshan has a special place in the history of Indian television serials. It was based on 'Discovery of India', a book written by Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru. It was directed by Shyam Benegal. This serial presented the history of India from the ancient to the modern period, throwing light on social, cultural and political history of respective periods. It effectively portrayed many aspects of Indian history like Harappan Civilisation, Vedic history, interpretation of Ramayana and Mahabharata, Mauryan period, Turk-Afghan invasions, Mughal period and the contributions of Mughal emperors, Bhakti Movement, Role of Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj, movements of social reform and Indian struggle for independence, etc. Roshan Seth, the actor who played Pandit Nehru's role in this serial also appeared as a narrator, introducing and explaining various parts of the story by dramatising them, using folklore and informative speeches. The serial was admired in all parts of India because of the comprehensive historical perspective of Pandit Nehru and its equally comprehensive visual presentation.

1. Bharat Ek Khoj It- was based on 'Discovery of India' a book written by Pandit Motilal Nehru. (true or false) (1)
2. Who was the director of Bharat ek Khoj? (1)
3. Name any four aspects of Indian history portrayed in the serial. (2)

Q.5. Answer the following in brief – (Any 2)

(6)

1. Write about the contribution of Leopold von Ranke as a historiographer.
2. Write in brief about Tourism in Maharashtra.
3. Write a detailed note on Puppetry.
4. Write information about historiography in the ancient period of India.

Q.6. Choose the right option and rewrite the sentence.

(2)

1. Constituencies are created by committee of the Election Commission.
(Selection / Delimitation / Voting)
2. To increase agricultural production and become self-sufficient with regard to food grains was initiated. (Water revolution / Green revolution / Industrial revolution)

Q.7. Write whether true or false and explain with reason (Any 2)

(4)

1. The state government decides as to when and in how many stages the elections would be held in a particular State
2. Secrecy in the working of Government has increased due to the Right to Information.
3. People may lose confidence in the democratic process due to corruption during elections.

Q.8. (A) Write notes on – (Any 1)

(2)

1. Consumer Movement
2. Decentralization of Democracy

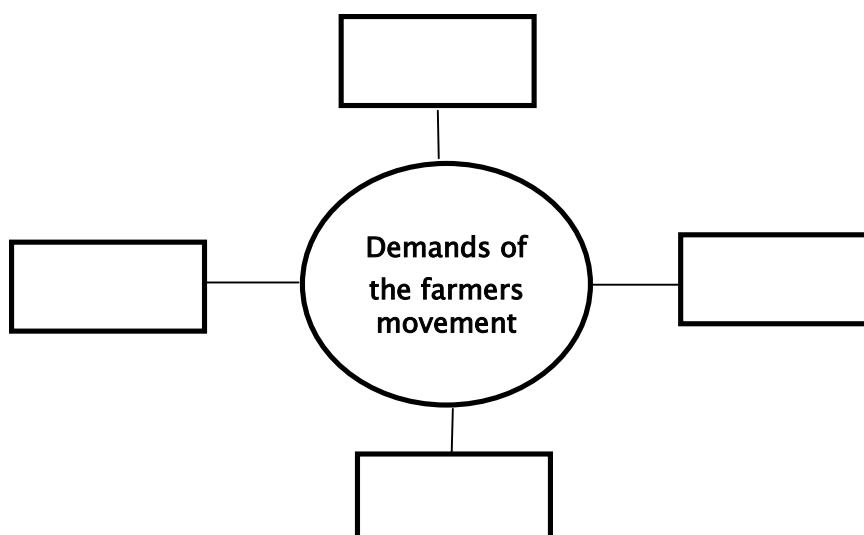
Q.8. (B) Complete the following (Any 1)

(2)

1.

Political Parties	Year of Formation
Shiromani Akali Dal	
Trinamool Congress	
National Conference	
Communist Party of India	

2.



Q.9. Answer in short (Any 1)

(2)

1. Which particular Laws/Acts created a favourable environment for the protection of freedom of women and secure their development?
2. Why is Dr. Rajendra Singh Rana called the Waterman of India?