

SOCIAL SCIENCE QUESTION BANK

1. Write any three prudential reason for which power sharing is desirable.
2. Identify the condition when both the parties in a barter economy have to agree to sell and buy each other's commodities? What is it called?
3. A group of companies in India wishes to import high quality ACs from South Korea but have to pay a huge import tax on them which would make the ACs very expensive leading to a decline their sale. Ascertain the role of the import tax in this situation.
4. Sania buys a packet of biscuits and finds detail about ingredients used, price, batch number etc. printed on it except the expiry date. Under which right of the consumers she can claim to know this information from the manufacturer?
5. Distinguish between the Unitary and Federal systems of government.
6. "Three factors are crucial in deciding the outcome of politics of social divisions." Elaborate upon the statement.
7. Do democracies lead to peaceful and harmonious life among citizens? Clarify.
8. Mohit is 28 years of age, has 65 kg of body weight and is 1.4 meters tall. Calculate his BMI. Find out whether he is under nourished or over weight.
9. Amrita is a government employee and belongs to a rich urban household whereas Rani works as a helper on a construction site and comes from a poor rural household, have a crisis at home and wish to take loan. Create a list of arguments explaining who between the two would successfully be able to get the loan from a formal source. Why?
10. How can the government ensure that globalization is fair and its benefits are shared in a better way by all?
11. Create an advertisement for an online Consumer Awareness campaign to help consumers know their rights and save themselves from exploitation.
12. Democracy is more effective than its other alternatives. Justify the statement.
13. Give few examples of public sector activities and explain why the government has taken them up.
14. "Cheap affordable credit is crucial for the country's development". Explain the statement with five points.
15. Describe the three-fold distribution of legislative power between the Union Government and State Government of India.
16. Power sharing is the very spirit of democracy. Justify the statement.
17. Explain any three factors that led to consumer movement in India.
18. How do large companies manipulate the market? Explain with examples.
19. Analyse the role of caste in politics.
20. Self help groups can solve the problem of credit in India. Explain.
21. Explain how a shift has taken place between sectors in developed economy.
22. Discuss the two kinds of routes through which federations have been formed.
23. Why was the need of three tier government felt in our country?
24. When does a social difference become a social division?
25. Explain the two basis of social differences with examples.
26. What is communalism? What are the major beliefs of communalism?
27. Describe any five constitutional provisions that make India a secular country.
28. What conditions led to the development of a new middle class in Europe ?
29. What conditions of Balkans areas led tot world war I ?
30. Write a short note on the unification of Italy
31. Write a short note on unification of Germany
32. In Britain the formation of the nation state was not the result of a sudden upheaval revolution. Validate the statement with relevant arguments.
33. Briefly explain the rise of London as an industrial and modern city.
34. Why is Bombay a city of dreams for some, while a city of hardship for others? Explain.
35. How did various architects develop the concept of Garden city of London ?
36. Give a brief description of land reclamation in Bombay.
37. Summarise the concern in both 19th century Europe and India about woman reading novels.

38. Describe how the issue of caste was included in novels in India. By referring to any two novels, discuss the ways in which they tried to make readers think about existing social issues.
 39. What kind of novels were written for the younger generations ?
 40. How did novels present modernity in their vision ?
 41. Hindi novel achieved excellence with Premchand's writings. Support the statement with examples.
 42. What kind of repressive action was taken by British on the civil disobedience movement ?
 43. What were the causes for launching Khilafat movement in India?
 44. Why did Mahatma Gandhi decide to call off the civil disobedience movement ? Explain.
 45. Why did the initial enthusiasm of the merchants and industrialists fade away during the later stage of civil disobedience movements?
 46. How did large scale participation of women in the civil disobedience movement become an important feature ?
 47. What are the causes of land degradation? What are the ways to solve this problem?
 48. Why is land considered as an important resource?
 49. Why is soil considered as a living system? Mention any two factors that are responsible for soil formation.
 50. Explain the ecological problems being faced due to multi purpose river valley projects.
 51. Which crop is known as a golden fibre? Explain any two geographical conditions essential for the cultivation of this crop.
 52. How have multi purpose projects and large dams been the cause of many new social movements ?
 53. Which is the basic mineral and is the backbone of industrial development ?
 54. What are the major drawbacks for the cotton textile industry ?
 55. What are the factors require to set up an industry in a region ?
 56. What do you about Kandla port ?
 57. What is the role played by the eastern coastal ports of India in trade?
 58. Why is air travel more popular in the north eastern state of India? Explain
 59. Explain any five major problems faced by road transport in India.
 60. Why is the distribution of roads not uniform in India? Explain with examples.
 61. Describe the measures taken for the quick delivery of mails in cities and large towns.
 62. Means of transportation and communication called the lifelines of a nation and its economy. Why?
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