

Time: 3 HRS

1. The question paper comprises of six sections – A, B, C, and D. There are 25 questions in the Question paper. All questions are compulsory.
2. **Section A** – From questions 1 to 15 are MCQs of 1 mark each.  
Question no.16 -Match the column of 5 marks.  
Question no. 17- True or False of 5 marks
3. **Section B**- Question no. 18 and 19 are VSA- (15 Marks)
4. **Section C**- Question no. 20 and 21 are LSA- (20 Marks)
5. **Section D**- Question no. 22 -25 are picture based questions, graph, map and diagram based, carrying 5 marks each.

Q.1) Which one out of the following is not an ocean?	a) Indian	b) Atlantic
	c) Mediterranean	d) Arctic
Q.2) Which of the following longitudes experiences sunrise first?	a) 50°W	b) 120°E
	c) 30°E	d) 120° W
Q.3) Many _____ begin their journey in the mountains.	a) holiday resorts	b) slopes
	c) rivers	d) invaders
Q.4) In which form is petroleum available from the Earth?	a) petrol	b) crude form
	c) plastic	d) refined form
Q.5) The earliest human shelters were _____ and _____ .	a) caves, huts	b) trees, huts
	c) trees, caves	d) houses, trees
Q.6) The place in a desert, where water is found is called _____ .	a) a plateau	b) a sand dune
	c) an oasis	d) a river
Q.7) Places near the _____ experience hotter climate.	a) sea	b) poles
	c) hills	d) equator
Q.8) Guglielmo invented _____ .	a) Computer	b) Printing press
	c) Radio	d) Steam engine
Q.9) The candidate must be an Indian citizen of _____ and above to contest elections for Lok Sabha.	a) 35	b) 25
	c) 18	d) 30
Q.10) The Electronic Voting Machine can only be unlocked by a _____ .	a) Commisioner	b) government officer -in- charge
	c) Minister	d) Governor
Q.11) _____ invented the electric telegraph.	a) JL Baird	b) Marconi
	c) Samuel Morse	d) James Watt

Q.12) The members of Rajya Sabha are elected for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ years.

- a) Three
- b) Six
- c) Four
- d) Five

Q.13) Which one of the following latitudes is closer to the equator?

- a) 50°S
- b) 10°N
- c) 5°S
- d) 80°N

Q.14) \_\_\_\_\_ is an example of a search engine.

- a) Yahoo
- b) Website
- c) Webpages
- d) Gmail

Q.15) The election campaign ends \_\_\_\_\_ hours before the poll takes place.

- a) 48
- b) 32
- c) 24
- d) 72

**Q.16) Match the column.**

**(5Marks)**

- | A                      | B                        |
|------------------------|--------------------------|
| a) Tropic of Capricorn | i) 366                   |
| b) Leap year           | ii) 23½°S                |
| c) Tropic of Cancer    | iii) Head of the Country |
| d) Governor            | iv) 23½°N                |
| e) President           | v) Head of the State     |

**Q.17) State whether the following statements are true or false.**

**(5Marks)**

- a) Rotation causes day and night.
- b) The hand axes were made of large stone flakes.
- c) Landforms are the relief features of the Earth.
- d) Since 1996, the Election Commission has started using Electronic Voting Machines instead of ballot boxes.
- e) Key is a sign that shows a meaning.

**SECTION B (VSA-15 Marks)**

**Q.18) Explain the following terms.**

**(5 Marks)**

- a) Scale
- b) Non- renewable resources
- c) websites
- d) Weather
- e) Fossils

**Q.19) Answer the following questions. (Any 5)**

**(10 Marks)**

- a) Name the imaginary lines on the globe. What is the 'Great Circle'?
- b) Name the tools used during different phases of the Stone Age.
- c) Distinguish between orbit and globe.
- d) Differentiate between weather and climate.
- e) Why is a plateau also called a tableland?
- f) What are natural resources?

**SECTION C (LSA- 20 Marks)**

**Q.20) Answer the following questions. (Any 4)**

**(3\*4 =12 Marks)**

- a) How are mountains useful to us?
- b) Make a flowchart to show the different levels of the Judiciary in India
- c) Why are wind farms gaining importance?
- d) Why do places near the poles have cold climate?
- e) How were documents on various events maintained before the invention of printing press?

**Q.21) Answer the following questions. (Any 2)**

**(2\*4 =8 Marks)**

- a) Compare a globe and a map. List the advantages and disadvantages of each.
- b) List the various steps involved in the preparation of elections.
- c) As a responsible citizen of the Earth, what steps should we take to conserve our natural resources?

**SECTION D (15 Marks)**

**Q.22) On the given outline map of world mark the following.**

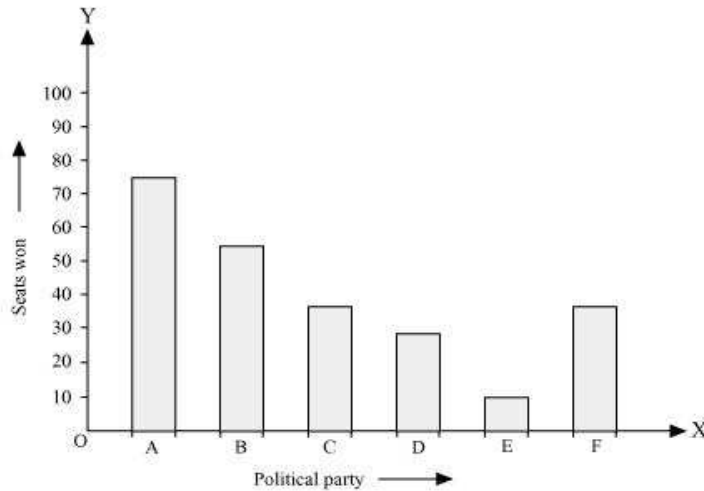
**(5 Marks)**

- a) Australia
- b) Antarctic Ocean

- c) Europe
- d) Pacific Ocean
- e) Antarctica

**Q.23) With reference to the given graph answer the following questions:**

**(5 Marks)**



- i) Which Political Party won the least number of seats?
- ii) Which Political Party Won the Highest number of seats?
- iii) Which Political Part won the same number of seats?
- iv) Name the Political Parties, who got more than 50% of seats?
- v) Name the Political Parties who got less than 50% of seats?

**Q.24) With reference to the given picture answer the following questions:**

**(5 Marks)**



- i) Identify the machine shown in the picture.
- ii) Where are these polling stations set?
- iii) What role does it play in an election?
- iv) How does this work?

**Q.25) Draw a neat and labeled diagram of the different climatic or heat zones of the Earth.**

**(5 Marks)**