

## **SAMPLE PAPER SYLLABUS 2024-25**







Total Questions : 50				Time: 1 hr.
PATTERN & MARKING SCHEME				
Section	(1) History	(2) Geography	(3) Social and Political Life	(4) Achievers Section
No. of Questions	20	15	10	5
Marks per Ques.	1	1	1	3



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## **SYLLABUS**

Section – 1: History – Studying the Past, The Early Humans, The First Cities and the Vedic Age, The Early Kingdoms and New Ideas, The First Empire – The Maurya, Life in Towns and Villages, New Empires and Kingdoms, Culture and Science.

Section – 2: Geography – Planet Earth, its Major Domains and Landforms, Globes and Maps, Our Country – India (Physical and Political Divisions, Climate, Vegetation and Wildlife)

Section – 3 : Social and Political Life – Diversity and Discrimination, Government and Key Elements of a Democratic Government, Local Government and Administration, Livelihoods – Rural and Urban

**Section** − **4** : Higher Order Thinking Questions-Syllabus as per Section − 1, 2 & 3.

- Planet 'X' is a cold and dry planet having two satellites – Phobos and Deimos. Which planet is 'X'?
  - (A) Mercury
- (B) Venus
- (C) Mars
- (D) Neptune
- Which of the following cities is not situated on the banks of river Ganga?
  - (A) Haridwar
- (B) Agra
- (C) Allahabad
- (D) Kanpur
- 3. It is a blanket-like layer that surrounds the Earth. It contains a mixture of gases including oxygen, which most organisms need to breathe. It protects us from the harmful radiations of the Sun. What is this layer called?
  - (A) Hydrosphere
- (B) Geosphere
- (C) Atmosphere
- (D) Lithosphere
- The southern part of the western coastal plain is called
  - (A) Konkan Coast
- (B) Northern Circars
- (C) Minicoy
- (D) Malabar Coast

- 5. The script of the Harappans was
  - (A) Roman
- (B) Latin
- (C) Brahmi
- (D) Pictographic
- The pipal tree under which Gautam Buddha attained enlightenment, came to be known as
  - (A) Dharmachakra Vriksha
  - (B) Ashtangika Marga
  - (C) Bodhi Vriksha
  - (D) Bodhisattvas
- 7. Who takes care of the land records at the village level?
  - (A) Patwari
  - (B) District Collector
  - (C) Chowkidar
  - (D) Tehsildar
- Municipal Corporations issue \_\_\_\_\_ to people to run their business in cities.
  - (A) Licenses
- (B) Money
- (C) Areas
- (D) All of these

## **ACHIEVERS SECTION**

- 9. Which of the following statements are correct?
  - (i) As we move away from the equator, the size of the parallels of latitude decreases.
  - (ii) The zone which receives the maximum heat is called the temperate zones.
  - (iii) In India, the longitude of 82½° is E is treated as the standard meridian.
- (iv) The Earth has been divided into twelve time zones of one hour each.
- (A) (ii) and (iv) only
- (B) (i) and (iii) only
- (C) (ii) and (iii) only
- (D) (i) and (iv) only

10. Match column I with column II and select the correct Ρ R S Q option. (A) (i) (ii) (iii) (iv) Column II Column I (P) Small-scale map (i) Small area with greater (B) (iv) (iii) (ii) (i) details (C) (iii) (i) (ii) (iv) Roads and railways (Q) Large-scale map (iii) Map of large regions (R) Thematic map (D) (ii) (iv) (i) (iii) (S) Physical map (iv) Mountains and rivers

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**ANSWERS**ISSO - 1. (C) 2. (B) 3. (C) 4. (D) 5. (D) 6. (C) 7. (A) 8. (A) 9. (B) 10. (C)