



**Std 8:**

**Subject: Social Studies**

- The worksheet has been made according to Term I syllabus.
- It is a blueprint example of types of questions that can be asked during the exams.
- Students have to attempt all the questions in their notebook(if required)
- It is just revision.

**Q.1(A) Tick the correct option:**

- 1) When did the British Government arrest Birsa Munda?  
a) 1895 AD                      b) 1897 AD                      c) 1898 AD                      d) 1988 AD
- 2) When was Permanent Settlement implemented in India?  
a) In 1751 AD                      b) In 1754 AD                      c) In 1758 AD                      d) In 1793 AD
- 3) Which plant is known as the 'golden leaf'?  
a) Cotton                      b) Castor                      c) groundnut                      d) tobacco
- 4) Of which region was Thomas Munro the governor?  
a) Madras                      b) Mumbai                      c) Calcutta                      d) Surat
- 5) Who undertook the leadership of the First War of Independence in Bareilly?  
a) Jodha Manek                      b) Bahadur Khan                      c) Kunwar Singh                      d) Tatyatope
- 6) Which mineral is used for plating galvanised sheets?  
a) gold                      b) silver                      c) lead                      d) zinc
- 7) How many years did it take the British to build New Delhi?  
a) 10                      b) 15                      c) 20                      d) 25
- 8) Which state ranks first in Biogas production ?  
a) Gujarat                      b) Uttar Pradesh                      c) Assam                      d) Rajasthan
- 9) Which soil has low organic content?  
a) red soil                      b) forest soil                      c) Laterite soil                      d) alluvial soil
- 10) \_\_\_\_\_ soil is suitable for millets.  
a) red soil                      b) loamy soil                      c) low organic soil                      d) black soil

**Q. 1(B) Fill in the blanks:**

1. Lignite coal is found from \_\_\_\_\_ of Bharuch.
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ soil is found in the areas of igneous and metamorphic rock in India.
3. Methane gas is \_\_\_\_\_ .
4. The forests on the slopes of the mountains are destroyed due to \_\_\_\_\_.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ are man-made riots.
6. The first War of Independence actually started in \_\_\_\_\_.
7. In the \_\_\_\_\_ system, the responsibility of collection revenue was given to the headman of each village.
8. \_\_\_\_\_ farming is a modern type of farming.

**Q.1 (C) Answer in one sentence:**

- 1) Which vegetations are used in biological pesticides?
- 2) Which crops are grown in red soil?
- 3) Under whose leadership did the tribals want to establish Mundaraj?
- 4) Who introduced Ryotwari System?
- 5) How many practices were there for indigo production in India?
- 6) Who is considered to be the first martyr of 1857 AD War of Independence?
- 7) Which policy was adopted by the British to break Hindu- Muslim unity of India?
- 8) World's largest geothermal power plant is located in which country?
- 9) Write the names of the minerals of your daily use.
- 10) Where are the hot springs located in Gujarat?
- 11) In which types of farming the yield is less?
- 12) What do you mean by agriculture?
- 13) Which are man-made disasters?
- 14) What is a natural disaster?
- 15) Which are predictable natural disasters?
- 16) Where is our Parliament located?

**Q.2(A) Give two examples of each:**

- 1) Major crops of Gujarat
- 2) Natural disasters
- 3) Non- conventional sources of energy
- 4) Non-metallic minerals
- 5) British Governors in India
- 6) Leaders of the First War of Independence of 1857 AD

**Q.2(B) Give reasons for the following :**

- 1) Indian lost the First War of Independence of 1857 AD.
- 2) Drip irrigation system is the best irrigation system in agriculture.
- 3) Excessive use of chemical fertilizers and chemical pesticides is harmful.
- 4) Parliament is necessary for the country.

**Q.2 (C) Write two points of difference between the following:**

- 1) Natural Gas and Bio gas
- 2) Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha
- 3) President and Prime Minister
- 4) Red soil and Black soil

**Q. 3 (A) Answer the following questions in brief:**

- 1) Write a note on the powers of the President.
- 2) Why is crude oil called 'black gold'?
- 3) How can it be said that it is wise to reduce the use of fossil fuels in the future?
- 4) Where are ores of metallic minerals usually found?
- 5) What does the government do to help farmers develop agriculture?
- 6) Which places of Gujarat were associated with the War of Independence of 1857 AD?
- 7) How were the farmers exploited in the permanent settlement system?
- 8) Describe the activities of the tribes during the British rule.
- 9) Briefly describe the effects of a disaster.
- 10) What would you do to glorify your country if you become a Prime Minister?

**Q. 3 (B) Write short note on the following:**

- 1) Intensive farming
- 2) Types of soil
- 3) Locust's hazard
- 4) Epidemic situation

**Q.4 Locate in the map the following:**

**a) In the map of Gujarat:**

1. Wheat producing district
2. Vadodara
3. Millet producing district
4. Capital city of Gujarat
5. places where cotton are grown

**b) In the map of India**

1. Places where iron ore found
2. Tea growing areas
3. Rice producing states
4. Groundnut producing states
5. Major crops of Maharashtra