

**PONDA SCHOOL'S ASSOCIATION**

**FIRST TERM EXAMINATION OCTOBER, 2018**

STD : IX

Sub : SOCIAL SCIENCE – II

Marks : 40

Date : 3-11-2018

Seat No : \_\_\_\_\_

Time : 2hrs

**Q.1 A) Choose and write the most appropriate answer from the multiple choices given below. (01)**

1. Which one of the following is the westernmost longitudinal extent of India

- A)  $68^{\circ}7' E$     B)  $8^{\circ}4' W$     C)  $97^{\circ}25' E$     D)  $37^{\circ}6' W$

2. Which state of India has an international border?

- A) Gujarat    B) Rajasthan    C) Haryana    D) Orissa

**B) Answer the following questions in not more than 15 words each. (02)**

1. Why do we need a standard Meridian for India?
2. Which part of the Himalaya is known as Kumaon Himalaya?

**C) Answer the following questions in 20- 30 words each? (04)**

1. How have the land routes contributed the Indian society since the ancient time?
2. Differentiate between the Himadri and the Himachal range of Himalayas.

**D) Answer ANY ONE of the following questions. (03)**

1. Describe how Himalayas formed.
2. Write any three characteristics of the Great Indian Desert.

**Q 2. A. Match the rivers given in column "A" with their sources given in column "B"** (01)

- | A           | B                |
|-------------|------------------|
| 1. Krishna  | a. Chhattisgarh  |
| 2. Mahanadi | b. Mahabaleshwar |
|             | c. Mansarowar    |

**B) Answer the following questions in not more than 15 words each.** (02)

1. What is the local name of the Central Highland?
2. Why eastern coastal plains are more fertile?

**C) Answer the following questions in 20- 30 words each?** (04)

1. Give two point of difference between the West coastal plains and the East coastal plains.
2. What is Lagoon?

**D) Answer ANY ONE of the following questions.** (03)

1. The pollution level of many Indian rivers has been rising. Why?
2. Lakes are of great importance". Explain giving three points.

**Q. 3 A) Choose and write the most appropriate answer from the multiple choices given below.** (01)

1. Which of the following is the highest peak in Eastern Ghats \_\_\_\_\_  
A) Doda Betta      B) Mudi      C) Naga      D) Mahendragiri
2. Which of the following is an example of human made lake \_\_\_\_\_  
A) Guru Gobind Sagar      B) Chilika lake      C) Dal      D) Barapani

**B) Answer the following questions in not more than 15 words each.** (03)

1. Why river Godavari is called Dakshin Ganga?
2. Name the picturesque location created by river Narmada before joining sea.
3. Which Island group Of India has an elevated portion of submarine mountains?

C) Answer the following questions in 20- 30 words each? (04)

1. How did the spread of electricity help farmers in Palampur?
2. State any two distinct features of river Ganga.

D) Fill in the following details on the given outline map of India. Also prepare an index of symbols used by you. (02)

1. State of Kerala
2. Lakshadweep Island
3. River Mahanadi
4. Capital city of Manipur.

Q 4. A) Choose and write the most appropriate answer from the multiple choices given below (01)

1. Which of the following state has the highest consumption of chemical fertilizers \_\_\_\_\_.

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|------------|-------------------|
| A) Haryana | B) Madhya Pradesh |
| C) Punjab  | D) Uttar Pradesh  |

2. Which of the following is an example of a natural resources \_\_\_\_\_.

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|---------|------------|
| A) Book | B) Machine |
| C) Land | D) Dams    |

B) Answer the following questions in not more than 15 words each. (03)

1. Name the fodder crops grown in Palampur.
2. Give two examples of Secondary sector.
3. What do you understand by Disguised Unemployment?

C) Answer the following questions in 20- 30 words each? (04)

1. How does education play an important role in human capital formation?
2. What are the initiatives taken by the government to increase the literacy rate in India?

D) Study the following table showing number of school and number of students during different years and answer the following questions given below. (02)

Years	No. Schools	No. Students
1950-60	860	2,56000
1970-80	6,542	45,6520
1998 - 2000	9,862	563210
2010 - 2016	12,560	74,17000

1. In which year was there a sudden increase in the number of schools in India?
2. What is the difference in the number of students in the year 1970-80 and 1998- 2000.

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