General Instructions:
- Handwriting should be very neat.
- All questions are compulsory.
- Attempt your answer in serial order.
- Label the diagram properly of part ‘D’.

I. Multiple Choice Questions: (10X1=10)

1) The planet which does not have any satellite:
   (a) Venus   (b) Mars
   (c) Neptune (d) Earth

2) It is the representation of the earth drawn on a flat surface:
   (a) Map     (b) A globe
   (c) A sketch (d) A plan

3) The heat zone lying between 23½° N and 66½°N is:
   (a) Frigid zone   (b) Torrid zone
   (c) Temperate zone (d) Time zone

4) There is 24 hours darkness at the Arctic Circle on:
   (a) June 21   (b) March 21
   (c) Dec 22    (d) Sep 23

5) Before the invention of paper people wrote on
   (a) notebooks   (b) cloth
   (c) bhoj patra  (d) none of these

6) The granary was the storehouse for:
   (a) Meat      (b) straw
   (c) cotton    (d) wheat

7) How did India’s relations develop with the west?
   (a) Through Jainism   (b) Through Hinduism
   (c) Through Trade     (d) Through Communication
8) Which one of the following is not a goal of democracy?
   (a) Harmony & balance  (b) Dictatorship
   (c) Social equality     (d) Economic equality

9) Aryans came to India from ______ region.
   (a) Africa   (b) Central Asia
   (c) Europe   (d) America

10) The village life has got revolutionized by the use of:-
    (a) Water     (b) pure air
    (c) Community centre  (d) electricity

II. Short Answer Questions: \(12 \times 3 = 36\)

1) Fill ups:-
   (a) Community life promotes a feeling of ________
   (b) India is a large country extending from Kashmir to ________ and from Arunachal to Ankaleshwar.
   (c) Depending on one another is called __________

2) One word answer:
   (a) What is the most positive attitude of life in a conflicting situation?
   (b) What is the minimum age for an Indian to vote?
   (c) Who organises, supervises and controls activities around us?

3) True/False:
   (a) India is the largest democracy of the world governed by a democratic govt.
   (b) Blue Revolution is related to food grains.
   (c) The knowledge of Indian Numerals and decimal system was carried to Europe as Arabic numerals.

4) What were the main reasons for the success of the Magadha?

5) Match the following:
   (a) Epic age   (b) Senani   (c) Shudras
   (i) Labourers  (ii) Later Vedic Period  (iii) Commander of Army

6) Fill ups:
   (a) The _____ was made on a raised platform in the city planning of the Indus Valley civilization.
   (b) A new metal was produced in the later Neolithic period which was mixture of ________ and copper.
   (c) The head of artisans association was known as ______

7) (a) What was the greatest achievement of the iron age?
    (b) Name the different tools of the iron age civilisation?

8) Arrange the following sentences in the order in which they occurred in the life of the early man:
    (a) He invented fire.
    (b) He started wearing his clothes.
    (c) He moved towards water sources.
    (d) He started using bones & horn as tools.
    (e) Metal Age started the stone age.
    (f) He covered his body with skins of animal.

9) State three main characteristics of parallels of latitudes.

10) Distinguish between Torrid Zone and Frigid Zone.

11) Give three characteristics of latitudes.

12) Difference between Rotation and Revolution.

III. Long Question Answers: \(8 \times 5 = 40\)

1) State three features which make the earth a unique planet.

2) State any four uses of map.

3) Describe briefly the life of the people of Indus Valley civilisation with special emphasis on their occupations, amusement and dress.

4) What were the main occupations of the Aryans?
   Or
   Explain the Varna system.

5) Explain the impact of the contact between India & Sri Lanka?
6) (a) How does school help us in our development?
    (b) Distinguish between the rural & urban communities?

7) (a) Define ‘Universal Adult Franchise’?
    (b) Why did India opt for a democratic government?

8) Give two uses of Greenwich Mean Time?

IV. **Draw diagram to show the path of earth’s revolution?**

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