



ST. MARGARET SR. SEC. SCHOOL

**MID-TERM EXAMINATION (2024-25)
POLITICAL SCIENCE(028)
CLASS-XII (SAMPLE PAPER)**

Time: 3Hrs

M.M: 80

Read the following instructions carefully:

- a) This Question paper consists of 30 questions in sections A to E.
- b) Questions 1-12 are MCQs carrying 1 mark each, Questions 13-18 carry 2 marks each and be answered in 50 -60 words each
- c) Questions 19-23 carry 4 marks each and to be answered in 100-120 words each.
- d) Questions 24-26 are passage, cartoon and map -based. So, do accordingly.
- e) Questions 27-30 are Long Questions carrying 6 marks each and be answered in 150-180 words.

(Section-A)

- 1) Which of the following occurrence happened in November 2016
a) Monetization b) NITI Aayog c) BIS d) demonetization.
- 2) The princely-state joined Pakistan
a) Manipur b) Baroda c) Junagarh d) Gwalior
- 3) Jharkhand was carved out of :
a) Bihar b) M.P. c) Andhra Pradesh c) Rajasthan
- 4) BRICS is composed of:
a) 4 Nations b) 5 Nations c) 6 Nations d) None of these
- 5) Assertion(A) : Balance of Power is to ensure Security.
Reason(R) : India never signed NPT and CTBT
a) Both (A) and (R) are correct, (R) is correct explanation of (A)
b) Both (A) and (R) are correct but, (R) is not the correct explanation of (A)
c) (A) is correct ,(R) is incorrect
d) (A) is incorrect ,(R) is correct
- 6) CIS is not led by which of the following country?
a) Russia b) Belarus c) Ukraine d) Latvia
- 7) Shock Threatening NOT promoted :
a) Socialism b) Capitalism c) Free trade d) Both (a) & (b)
- 8) People are forced to make illegal entry to another country are known as :
a) Refugees b) Immigrants c) Diaspora d) expatriated
- 9) European Union was established in the year:
a) 1991 b) 1992 c) 1995 d) 1998
- 10) Match CORRECTLY :
a) European Economic Community i) 1967
b) Maastrich Treaty ii) 1957
c) Release of Euro iii) 1992

d) ASEAN

iv) 2002

Choose the correct option:

	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
A)	iii)	iv)	i)	ii)
B)	ii)	iii)	iv)	i)
C)	iii)	ii)	i)	iv)
D)	iv)	ii)	iii)	i)

- 11) OPERATION Enduring Freedom was launched by which of the following the US President?
a) Barrack Obama b) Donald Trump c) George W. Bush d) Clinton
- 12) Congress as one party dominance was first shaken in Kerala by which party?
a) BJP b) Communist party c) DMK d) AIADMK

(SECTION-B)

- 13) Write 2 reasons why Nehruji was not interested in creation of Andhra Pradesh.
- 14) One party rule in China took drastic steps to uplift their economy. Explain 2 reasons.
- 15) What made China invade India in 1962? Any 2 reasons
- 16) Why 2 reforms introduced by Mikhail Gorbachev failed?
- 17) What was Dr. Manmohan Singh's "Look East Policy" ?
- 18) When was the U.N. formed? When did India join the U.N.?

(Section-C)

- 19) Trace 4 events that led to merger of Manipur with India?
- 20) India's relations with Pakistan are always strained.
Comment. (OR)
What makes India's relation with Bangladesh strained?
- 21) List out 4 consequences of the Partition of India.
- 22) Why did Soviet Union disintegrate in 1991?
- 23) What is SAARC? When was it formed? What initiatives has it taken to promote co-operation amongst member-nations?

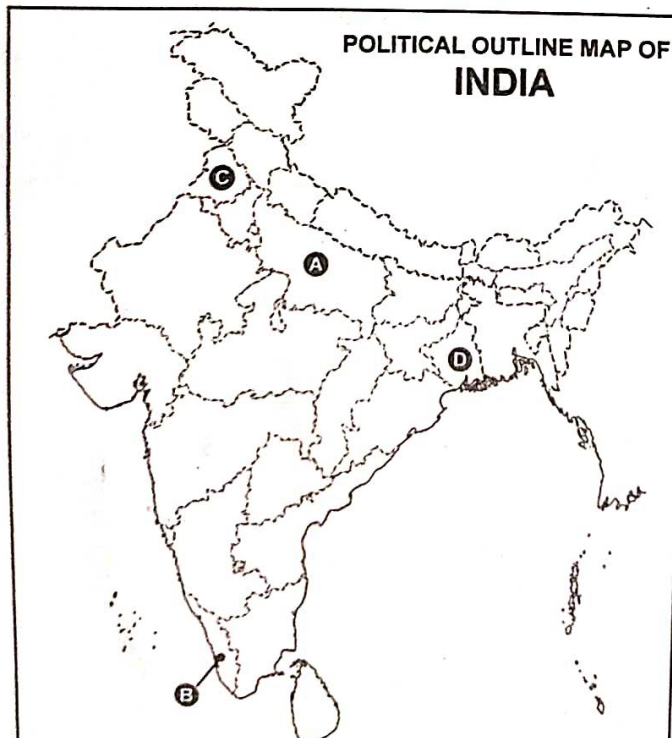
SECTION - D

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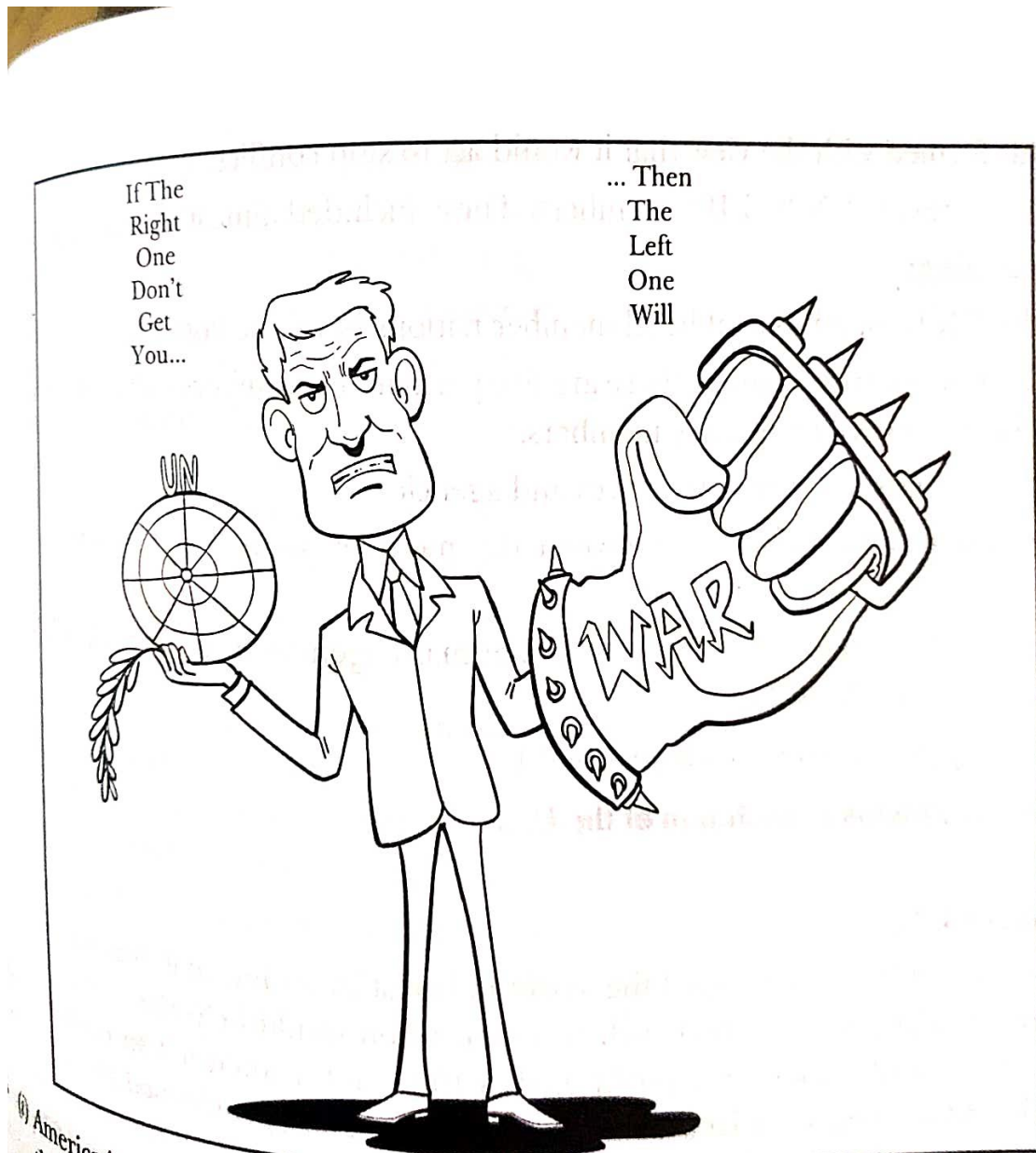
24. In the given Political outline map of India, four states have been marked as (A), (B), (C) and (D). Identify these states on the basis of the information given below and write their correct names in your answer book along with the respective serial numbers of the information used and the concerned alphabets shown in the map as per the format that follows : 4 × 1 = 4

Sr. Number of the information used	Alphabet concerned	Name of the State
(i)		
(ii)		
(iii)		
(iv)		

- (i) The state where the first non-Congress government was formed by E.M.S. Namboodiripad.
- (ii) The state that belongs to Syama Prasad Mookerjee, founder of Bharatiya Jana Sangh.
- (iii) The state to which former Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru belonged.
- (iv) The state related to former Health Minister Rajkumari Amrit Kaur.



Q25. Read the cartoon and answer the questions:



a) Which organisation is in pic?

b) What makes the organization more aggressive?

**c) What is the healthy message in a pic and give one example?
(1+2+1)**

26) Read the passage and answer the questions :

The Muslim League opposed the view of the Indian National Congress to make India Integrated. Sardar Patel played a crucial role fir national integration. He used both force and diplomacy to bring princely-states to the union of India.

26.1) India was partitioned on the basis of?

a) Religion-theory b) Two-nation theory c) Ethnic theory d) Inequality theory

26.2) Sardar Patel was India's first :

a) Defence Minister b) Cultural Minister c) Finance Minister d) None of these

26.3) India had Princely -states in India :

a) 566 b) 565 c) 562 d) 563

26.4) Where did Sardar Patel use force for annexation ?

a) Junagarh b) Hyderabad c) Manipur d) J&K

(Section-E)

27) Democracy and NAM are successful phenomena in India since Independence. .

28) How was Andhra Pradesh created? Did Nehruji accept recommendations of the States Re-organisation Commission in 1956?

29) Trace the evolution of the European Union from 1957 to 1992 from economic organisation to political one. Elaborate.

30) Make a note on Indo- Russian relation. (Any 3 points)

