SOF INTERNATIONAL SOCIAL STUDIES OLYMPIAD

Total Questions : 35   Time : 1 hr.

PATTERN & MARKING SCHEME		
Section	(1) Social Studies	(2) Achievers Section
No. of Questions	30	5
Marks per Ques.	1	2

SYLLABUS

Section – 1 : Our Country – Physical and Political Divisions, India – Resources and Climate, Our Rich Heritage, People Who Made a Difference, Our Constitution and Government, Our History, Earth and Environment, Transport and Communication

Section – 2 : Higher Order Thinking Questions - Syllabus as per Section – 1.

1. _____ is a string instrument.
   (A) Tabla
   (B) Santoor
   (C) Trumpet
   (D) Flute

2. Where did Mohiniyattam develop?
   (A) Uttar Pradesh
   (B) Maharashtra
   (C) Kerala
   (D) Odisha

3. He founded a monotheistic religion of Persia more than 2000 years ago in ancient Iran. Who is he?
   (A) Jesus Christ
   (B) Freni
   (C) Zoroaster
   (D) Manu

4. Select the correct match.

   (A) – School ahead
   (B) – U-turn prohibited

   (C) – Roundabout
   (D) – Men at work

5. Water on Earth comes mainly from which of the following?
   (A) Taps
   (B) Rain
   (C) Wells
   (D) None of these

6. Which of the following causes air pollution?
   (A) Burning leaves
   (B) Traffic noise
   (C) Sewage
   (D) All of these

7. Roshani is living in Canada. Her friend Sanya is living in Gujarat. Which of the following is NOT a useful mode of communication between them?
   (A) Inland letters
   (B) Telephone
   (C) E-mail
   (D) Aerogrammes

8. Which of the following is the largest plateau in India?
   (A) Malwa Plateau
   (B) Chota Nagpur Plateau
   (C) Deccan Plateau
   (D) None of these

9. Select the correct match.

Dance form		State
(A) Bihu	–	Assam
(B) Bharatanatyam	–	Tamil Nadu
(C) Garba	–	Gujarat
(D) All of these		

10. Which of the following options on unscrambling gives the name of a river flowing from East to West?

(A) IREVAK (B) RMNAADA (C) SHANIRK (D) AHAMDINA

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ANSWERS

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