

O. P. JINDAL SCHOOL, SAVITRI NAGAR
Periodic Test - II (2023 – 2024)

Class: VIII ()
Subject: Social Science
Name: _____

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Roll No.: _____

General Instructions: All questions are compulsory and marks are indicated in front of each question

I. Tick the correct answers.

(1x8=8)

- 1) Fort Gloster is located in _____.
a) West Bengal b) California c) Gujarat d) Maharashtra
- 2) _____ industries are owned and operated by the producers and suppliers.
a) Public b) Private c) Joint d) Co-operative
- 3) The first successful mechanised textile mill was established in _____.
a) Mumbai b) Delhi c) Chennai d) Kolkata
- 4) The court that most people interact with are called _____.
a) Supreme b) High c) Subordinate d) None of the above
- 5) Criminal law begins with the lodging of an FIR with the police. (T/F)
- 6) Article 21 provides every citizen fundamental right to _____.
a) Life b) Information c) Education d) Freedom
- 7) A person who can read, write and teach Persian.
a) Orientalist b) Munshi c) Linguist d) General
- 8) Matching:
a) William Jones 1) Promotion of English Education
b) Mahatma Gandhi 2) Respect for ancient culture
c) Thomas Macaulay 3) Gurus
d) Pathshalas 4) Critical of English education

codes: :i) a-2 b-4 c-1 d-3 ii) a-3 b-2 c-1 d-4 iii) a-4 b-1 c-2 d-3 iv) a-1 b-2 c-3 d-4

II. Answer the following Questions

- 9) Why did Mahatma Gandhi want to teach children handicrafts? (2)
- 10) Why did the introduction of Public Interest Litigation (PIL) in the 1980s is a significant step in ensuring access to justice for all? (2)
- 11) Why cotton textile company rapidly expanded in Mumbai? (2)
- 12) Which are the factors which influence the location of and industry? Explain with a diagram. (2+1)
- 13) What was the system of Pathshalas before the introduction of Western education? (3)