

**BCM SCHOOL, BASANT AVENUE, DUGRI ROAD, LUDHIANA**  
**Practice Assignment**  
**CLASS X                  SOCIAL SCIENCE**

Q1. The Vernacular Press Act of 1878 was modeled on....

- (a) American Press Laws
- (b) Indian Press Laws
- (c) British Press Laws
- (d) Irish Press Laws

Q2. Which of the following two continents did the silk routes connect?

- (a) Asia and America
- (b) Europe and America
- (c) Asia and Europe
- (d) Europe and Southern Africa

Q.3. Who said 'When France sneezes, the rest of Europe catches cold'?

- (a) Garibaldi
- (b) Bismarck
- (c) Mazzini
- (d) Duke Metternich

Q.4 Why does Kerala have a better human development ranking than Punjab in spite of lower per capita income?

Q5. Suggest some ways to create employment in rural areas.

Q.6 The idea of Satyagraha emphasized the power of truth and the need to search for truth. In the light of the statement, assess the contribution of Mahatma Gandhi towards Satyagraha.

Q 7. Read the source given below and answer the following questions:

In India, the Reserve Bank of India issues currency notes on behalf of the Central Government. As per Indian Law, no other individual or organisation is allowed to issue currency. Moreover, the law legalises the use of rupees as a medium of payment that cannot be refused in settling transactions in India. No individual in India can legally refuse a payment made in rupees. Hence, the rupee is widely accepted as a medium of exchange.

- (i) Name one medium of exchange used in India today?
- (ii) Mention one other role of the reserve Bank of India apart from issuing currency on the behalf of the government.

Why is the Rupee widely accepted as a medium of exchange?