

**REVISION ASSIGNMENT
SOCIAL SCIENCE (087)CLASS-VIII**

I. MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

1. Assertion- The introduction of the Enfield rifle was a significant cause of the Revolt of 1857..

Reason- The cartridges of the Enfield rifle were believed to be greased with cow and pig fat, which offended both Hindu and Muslim soldiers.

- (A) A is correct but R is wrong
- (B) Both A and R are wrong
- (C) Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A
- (D) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A.**

2. What is Sulabh?

- a) Sulabh is a government organization working for the welfare of children and their education in rural areas.
- b) Sulabh is non-governmental organization that has been working against poor conditions of electricity in rural areas.
- c) Sulabh is a non-governmental organization working against increasing crimes against women in India.
- d) Sulabh is a non-government organization that has been working for 3 decades to address the problems of sanitation being faced by low-caste, low-income people in India.**

3. Identify the Ruler given in picture

- a)Tantia Tope
- b)Peshwa Baji Rao
- c) Bahadur Shah Zafar**



II CASE STUDY

Being a plant of the temperate zones, woad was more easily available in Europe. It was grown in northern Italy, southern France and in parts of Germany and Britain. Worried by the competition from indigo, woad producers in Europe pressurised their governments to ban the import of indigo. Cloth dyers, however, preferred indigo as a dye. Indigo produced a rich blue colour, whereas the dye from woad was pale and dull. By the seventeenth century, European cloth producers persuaded their governments to relax the ban on indigo import. The French began cultivating indigo in St Domingue in the Caribbean islands, the Portuguese in Brazil, the English in Jamaica, and the Spanish in Venezuela. Indigo plantations also came up in many parts of North America.

Answer the following questions based on above given source –

1. Why did cloth dyer prefer indigo in place of woad?

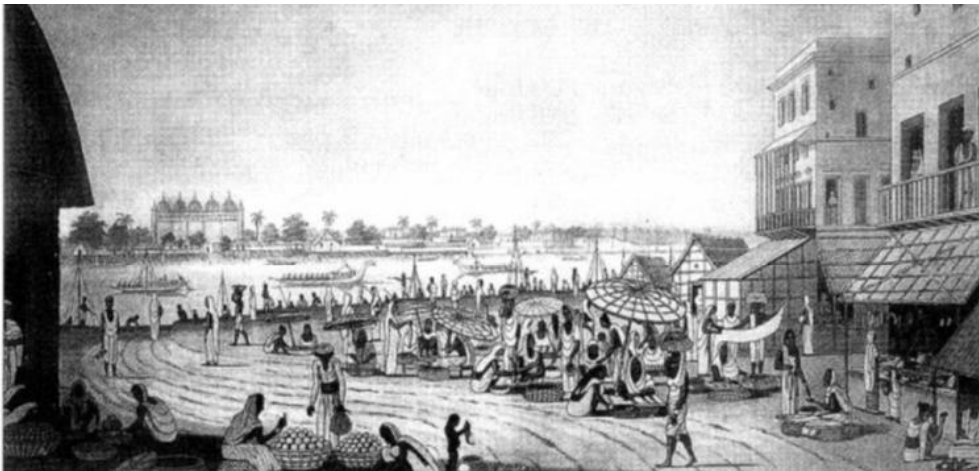
Ans: Rich blue colour, whereas the dye from woad was pale and dull.

2. What do you understand by the term Plantation?

Ans: Commercial Farming where a single crop of tea, coffee, sugarcane is grown.

3. European cloth producers persuaded their government to relax the ban on indigo import. This statement is **true** or false.

III Look at the picture given below and answer the following questions:



- a) The above picture is related to a **weekly market** of Murshidabad in Bengal.
- b) Why was artisanal production declined there?

Ans: Due to economic crisis.

- c) Why was one-third of population wiped out in Bengal?

Ans: In 1770, a terrible famine killed ten million people of Bengal.

IV**GIVE ANSWER IN SHORT (2 to 3 SENTENCES)**

1. Why are human resources important?

Ans: Because the development of other resources depend upon this resource as people can make the best use of nature to create more resources by applying knowledge skill & technology.

V**GIVE ANSWER IN BRIEF (4 to 5 SENTENCES)**

1. Water is essential for survival .Imagine what the situation will be on the Earth If all the sources of water dry up. To avoid such a situation, What suggestions would you like to give to conserve water so that life is there for long?

Ans: i) The impurities of water should be treated before releasing them into water bodies

ii) Different methods of irrigation should be used to conserve water like rainwater, harvesting, irrigation, and sprinkler

iii) Wastage of water should be checked at home also

VI**GIVE ANSWER IN DETAIL**

- 1 . What impact did Bahadur shah Zafar's support to the rebellion have on the people and the ruling families?

Ans: i) Ruling families felt inspired and enthused. It gave them courage, hope, and confidence to act.

ii) With his support, revolt spread to different parts of India. Many local rulers supported the struggle against the Britishers

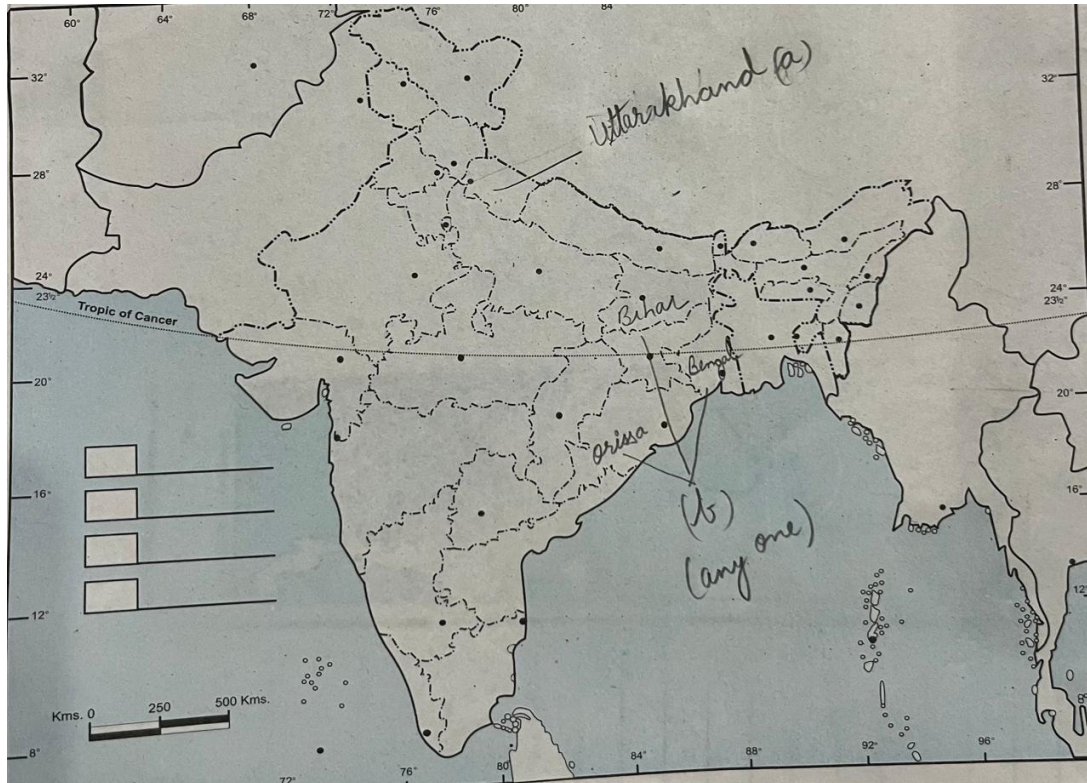
iii)Nana Sahib adopted son of Peshwa Baji Ra oll gather armed forces and expelled the British from the city. He declared himself that he was a governor under emperor Bahadur Shah Zafar., iv) Birjis qudar acknowledged the mastery of Bahadur Shah Zafar and was made the new Nawab in Lucknow.

VII.

MAP SKILL

Locate and label the following on the political map of India

1. A state where Dehradun is located
2. A place for which Diwani rights were granted by Mughal emperor to east India company



Class-VIII Social Science September Examination Syllabus

- 1.Ch-1(Geo)Resources
- 2.Ch-2 (Geo)Land, Soil, Water, Natural Vegetation and Wildlife Resources+Map work
- 3.Ch-2(His)From Trade To Territory +Map work
- 4.Ch-3(His)Ruling The Countryside+Map work
- 5.Ch-5 (His)When People Rebel 1857,and After+Map work
- 6.Ch-1(SpL)The Indian Constitution
- 7.Ch-7(SPL)Public Facilities
- 8.Ch- 2 (SPL)Understanding Secularism

Map Work

Land Locked States and Seven Sister states.

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Ch-14 Jumbled up words

Chapter -15 Ports in India

Chapter -16 The state quiz

Chapter -17 India Unscramble

Chapter-18 Indian places of faith

Chapter- 19 The Parliament of India

Chapter -20, Indian mythology

Chapter -21 Indian monument quiz

Revise all the chapters from the book ,Chapter end assignments,Website assignments thoroughly.