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**Class- 6**

**Social Science**

**Answerkey of Revision Assignment**

**Section-A**

1. Why is there no separate word for 'cousin' in Indian languages?

**a.Because all cousins are considered as brothers and sisters**

b.Because all Indian families are small

c.Because there are no cousins in Indian culture

d.Because cousins are not considered family members

2. The economic activities in which people are directly dependent on nature to produce goods are known as.....

a.Tertiary Activities

b.Secondary Activities

**c.Primary Activities**

d.Service Sector

3.Haji Ali dargah is in.....

a.China

b.Nepal

**c.India**

d.Sri Lanka

4 Assertion (A): Harappans use metals like gold and silver to make ornaments.

Reason (R):They knew the art of writing and their script was pictographic .

a.A is correct but R is wrong.

b.Both A and R are wrong.

c.Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A.

**D. Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A.**

**Section-B**

**Very short answer questions**

**5Q. What are Panchayati Raj Institutions?**

Ans.Panchayati Raj Institutions are a local-self democratic government at rural/ village level. They are mainly to solve problems at village level and enhance the participation of local people in democratic process.

**6Q. How do cities like Indore achieve cleanliness rankings?**

Ans. Cities like Indore achieve cleanliness rankings through active citizen participation, efficient waste management systems, and the efforts of local bodies in maintaining hygiene standards and ensuring compliance with cleanliness norms.

**Section-c**

**Short answer based questions**

**7Q. Describe the Harappan seal. Why was it used?**

Ans. a. Harappan seal was generally rectangular and it usually had an animal carved on it. Some seals had signs/letters on the top.

b. Seals were used for stamping bags or packets containing goods that were sent from one place to another. After a bag was closed or tied, a layer of wet clay was applied on the knot and the seal was pressed on it. The impression of seal is known as sealing.

**8Q. What is the role of technology in modern families and communities?**

Ans. Technology has both positive and negative effects on modern families and communities.as:

- 1.It helps us to stay connected with each other through social media and messaging apps
- 2.It provides access to information and education
- 3.It can also create distractions and reduce face-to-face interactions

**Section- D**

**Long answer based questions**

**9Q. .‘Water is a precious gift of nature and needs to be used judiciously’. Do you agree with the statement? List some ways to save water.**

Ans.Yes, I agree with the statement. Some ways to save water are as follows.

- 1.Turn off the tap while brushing teeth or washing hands.
- 2.Use bucket and mug for bathing, instead of showers.
3. Ensuring the water tank does not overflow when it is being filled.
- 4.Install rainwater harvesting system.
- 5.Fix the leaky taps.
6. Plan a water saving week in school calendar to spread awareness and save water.

**Section-E**

**10. Read the source given below and answer the following questions.**

The vast plains of Punjab (today divided between India and Pakistan) and Sindh (now in Pakistan) are watered by the Indus river and its tributaries. This made those plains fertile and therefore favourable to agriculture. A little further east, few millenniums ago, another river, the Sarasvati, used to flow from the foothills of Himalayas. The archaeologists gave this civilization several names- Indus, Sarasvati, Harappan etc.

IQ. Which civilization is being talked about in the source?

Ans. Harappan/ Indus/ Sarasvati civilization is being talked about in the source.

IIQ. What is a tributary?

Ans. A river that flows into a larger river is known as a tributary. Eg. The Yamuna is a tributary of the Ganga.

**Section-F**

**11. Look at the picture given below and answer the following questions.**

IQ. Identify the picture.

Ans. This is the picture of the Madras Corporation

Now known as Greater Chennai Corporation.

IIQ. When was it established?

Ans. It was established on 29 September 1688.



**Section-G**

**12. Locate the following in the political map of India**

a. State whose capital is Dispur- Assam

b. Lothal