

Class 11 21-12-2017

## ST. XAVIER'S SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL, DELHI – 110054

Pre-Annual Test in HISTORY

Time : 1½ hrs. M. Marks : 40

General Instructions:

- i) Questions 1-10 carry 1 mark each, it should not exceed 20 words.
- ii) Question 11 is a value based question and carries 4 marks. It is compulsory.
- iii) Questions 12 and 13 carry 8 marks each. There is no internal choice provided.
- iv) Question 14 is a source based question of 5 marks. It is compulsory.
- v) Question 15 is a map question. Attach the map with the answer sheet. It is of 5 marks.

# PART 1 : SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS

- 1. Who were Conquistadores?
- 2. Who was Marco polo?
- 3. Who was Abraham Darby?
- 4. What was initially used for the process of smelting?
- 5. Define the term Native.
- 6. List any 2 terms used to describe native people of the new world.
- 7. Name the 2 crops grown by Europeans on their land in America.
- 8. Name any 1 invention that inspired sailors to sail in different regions.
- 9. Who made the historic declaration regarding slavery?
- 10. Who was Thomas Newcomen?

# PART 2 : VALUE BASED QUESTION (COMPULSORY)

11. Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow:

Industrial Revolution brought about a momentous change in England and also in different parts of the World. It revolutionized techniques and organization of production. Hydel power, steam power, canals, waterways and railways were being harnessed and used for furthering the development of mankind. However, many lives were also adversely affected by the Industrial Revolution. The workers worked for 15-18 hours in a day. There was no proper arrangement for their safety. Women and children were exploited. However, in the latter part of the Industrial Revolution the standard of living improved.

In light of the above passage, how do you view the impact of Industries on society in today's times?

Also, what values were being imbibed by the new class of workers during Industrial Revolution?

# PART 3 : LONG ANSWER QUESTIONS

12.	a) b)	List the 4 greatest achievements of the Mayans. Discuss in detail the Spanish policy towards the Arawaks. What were its consequences?	(4)
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13.	a)	Define Industrial Revolution.	(4)

b) List 7 factors responsible for Industrial Revolution in England. (4)

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### PART 4 : SOURCE BASED QUESTION

### 14.

### DONA MARINA

Bernard Diaz Del Castillo (1495-1584) wrote in his 'True History of the conquest of Mexico' that the people of Tabasco gave Cortes a woman attendant called 'Dona Marina'. She was fluent in three languages, and was able to play a crucial role as an interpreter of Cortes. "This was the great beginning of our conquests, and without Dona Marina we could not have understood the language of the new Spain and Mexico". Diaz thought she was a princess, but the Mexicans called her 'Malinche', a word meaning 'betraval'. Malinchista means someone who slavishly copies the costumes and language of another people.

- a) Who is the author of the book 'true History of the conquest of Mexico'? (1)What do you know about Dona Marina? (2) b) (1)
- Who was Cortes? c)
- What does Malinchista mean? d)

## **PART 5 : MAP BASED QUESTION**

- 15. On the given map of Britain, mark and locate the following Iron manufacturing industries / areas:
  - Sheffield Liverpool a) Leeds b) c)
  - London d) Bristol e)

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