

# First Term Examination - Super Fun Social Science

Class VI

Total Marks: 30

Time: 2 Hours

## Instructions

- Pick any 6 out of the 8 questions to answer. They're all super cool!
- Each question is worth 5 marks. That's 30 marks of fun!
- Write your answers clearly, and feel free to add a giggle or two.
- Drawings, funny examples, or real-life stories will make your answers shine!

## Questions

### 1. Early Humans and Their Cool Tools

Jawaharlal Nehru talks about the Heidelberg man's skull. What's this skull, and why is it a big deal for learning about early humans? Imagine you find a weird rock in your backyard that looks like a Stone Age tool. Pick one Stone Age period (Palaeolithic, Mesolithic, or Neolithic) and describe one thing that makes it special. Bonus: Would you use this tool to crack coconuts or chase away pesky squirrels? Why? (5 marks)

### 2. Mesopotamian Message Madness

The Mesopotamians wrote on clay tablets with their Cuneiform script. What's one cool thing about this writing system? Imagine you're a Mesopotamian kid sending a clay tablet text to your friend about a fun day by the river. Why do you think they loved living near rivers? Give one reason that made river life awesome. (5 marks)

### 3. Egyptian Pyramids and Mummy Mania

Egyptians built huge pyramids for their Pharaohs. What were these pyramids used for? Describe one step in making a mummy. If you could preserve something from today (like your favorite toy or snack) to show future kids, what would you pick and how would you keep it safe, Egyptian style? (5 marks)

### 4. Athens and the Voting Party

Athens started democracy, where some people got to vote for leaders. Who could vote in Athens? Imagine you're throwing a class party and everyone votes for the theme (like superheroes or unicorns). What's one rule you'd make to keep the voting fair, inspired by Athens? Bonus: What party theme would you vote for? (5 marks)

### 5. Persian Empire and the Super Satraps

The Persian Empire had satrapies, like mini-regions with bosses called satraps.

What's a satrapy, and what did satraps do? Think about your school—maybe the principal is like a king, and class monitors are like satraps. Name one way your school's system is like the Persian satrapies. (5 marks)

**6. Magadha's Mega Rise**

Magadha became a super strong Mahajanapada with leaders like Chandragupta Maurya. Name one reason Magadha got so powerful. If you were the leader of your neighborhood, what's one fun thing you'd do to make it awesome, inspired by Chandragupta's big ideas? (Like a giant slide or free ice cream day!) (5 marks)

**7. What's a State Anyway?**

A state needs sovereignty to make its own rules. What does sovereignty mean? Imagine your town has no government for a week, so no one's fixing the playground or cleaning the streets. Name one problem this might cause. Would you miss the swings or clean roads more? Why? (5 marks)

**8. Globe-Trotting with Maps**

The Equator and Prime Meridian are like the Earth's address lines. What are they? If you're planning a vacation to a sunny place like Australia, how would knowing its location on a map help you pack (like sunscreen or a hat)? Name one way this map info makes your trip better. (5 marks)

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