

**MOTITHANG HIGHER SECONDARY SCHOOL
MID TERM EXAMINATION: 2017**

HISTORY (Paper I)
Class : 10

Writing time: 2 hrs
Total marks: 80

READ THE FOLLOWING DIRECTIONS CAREFULLY:

1. Do not write during the first fifteen minutes. This time is to be spent on reading the questions. You will be given TWO hours to answer after reading the questions.
2. In this paper, there are Parts: I and II. Each part has three Sections: A, B and C. **ALL** the questions in **Part I are compulsory. You are expected to attempt any one question from part II Section A, any three from Part II Section B and any one from Part II Section C. Remember question 1, 2 and 3 are compulsory.**

Part I
Section A: Civics
Answer All Questions

Question 1a.

Directions: Each question has four possible answers. Choose the correct answer and write it in space provided **[1x4]**

- I. The executive body of our country is...
 - A. Gyelyong Tshogdu
 - B. Thrimzhung Chenmo
 - C. Lhengye Zhungtshog
 - D. Lyenpos
- II. What do you mean by The Office of the Attorney General?
 - A. The highest appellate authority in the judiciary system
 - B. Responsible for enhancing the socio-economic development of the country
 - C. Implements the law formulated by the legislature
 - D. Legal representative of the Royal Government.
- III. The difference between Gyalyong Tshogdu and Gyalyong Tshogde is ...
 - A. the parliamentary houses of Bhutan
 - B. responsible for passing ordinary and money bills
 - C. the law making body
 - D. the houses which meet twice a year
- IV. All the following are the membership criteria of the Parliament EXCEPT
 - A. Not be under foreign protection

- B. Is in arrears of taxes or other dues to the Government
- C. Have attained the age of twenty five years
- D. Not married to a person who is not a citizen

Question 1b.

[2+1]

- (i) What would your role be if you were asked to be the Chief Justice of the High Court? Explain any TWO duties? [2]
- (ii) What is the most important function performed by you as a member of Political Parties? [1]

Section B: Bhutan History

Attempt *ALL* questions.

Question 2a.

[1x7]

Directions: Each question has four possible answers. Choose the correct answer and write it in the space provided.

- (i) JigmeNamgyel waswhen he reunified Sharchog Khorlo Tshebgye

A. Trongsa Zimpoen	C. Lhuntse Dzongpoen
B. Trongsa Tshongpoen	D. Trongsa Droenyer
- (ii) The BEST outcome of Duar war of 1864-1865 to the people of Bhutan was
 - A. Reception of annual subsidy of 50,000 Rs
 - B. Capture of two cannons
 - C. Not stationing British agent in Bhutan
 - D. Free trade
- (iii) The year 1885 is significant in the history of Bhutan because...
 - A. Bhutan and British India further cemented a bond between each other
 - B. It marked the end of civil war in Bhutan
 - C. The defeat of Alu Dorji and Phuntsho Dorji brought a great success to Ugyen Wangchuk
 - D. Ugyen Dorji was appointed as Gyadrung
- (iv) “I have known Bhutan for many years.....it is not only a gain to Bhutan but also is of great advantage to the British Government”. The above quotation is from one of the speeches delivered in one of the occasions. Who gave this speech and on what occasion?
 - A. Colonel Francis Young husband on the presentation of KCIE to Ugyen Wangchuk
 - B. F.M Bailey on the coronation of Jigme Wangchuk
 - C. Sir Charles Bell on the coronation of 1st King
 - D. John Claude White on the coronation of 1st King

- (v) The treaty of India Bhutan was signed in the year
 A. 1947
 B. 1948
 C. 1949
 D. 1950
- (vi) Druk Gyelpo Jigme Wangchuk received more help from the British government in the area of
 A. Public health
 B. Foreign relations
 C. Military training
 D. Modern education
- (vii) Trongsa Poenlop Jigme Namgyel played a major role in the Lungtenphu battle of 1863. What was the significant outcome of the battle?
 A. Jigme Namgyel gained power to appoint Druk Desis.
 B. Jgme Namgyel became famous for challenging and killing Mikthoem.
 C. Jigme Namgyel built Wangduecholing palace to commemorate victory.
 D. Jigme Namgyel assume the post of DrukDesi.

Question 2b.

[3+3+2]

- (i) Jigme Namgyel had exhibited violent behavior on two occasions. Identify the two occasions and justify his actions with two points. (3)
- (ii) Why did Ugyen Wangchuk take up arms against his two adopted brothers? Give THREE reasons? (3)
- (iii) The policy of isolation maintained by Druk Gyelpo Jigme Wangchuk was a blessing in disguise to the country. Write TWO justifications.(2)

Section C: Indian History and World Developments since 1945

Attempt *ALL* questions

Question 3.a.

Directions: Each question has four possible answers. Choose the correct answer and write it in space provided [1x4]

- (i) The Congress adopted the Non-Cooperation resolution in Nagpur Session in 1920. The main cause of the movement was:
 A. Rowlett Act
 B. The arrest of two leaders Dr. Satyapal and Dr. Saifuddin Kitchlew
 C. Jallianwalla Bagh Massacre
 D. Khilafat movement

- (ii) The United Nations was devised by the President Roosevelt and was used for the first time in the
- A. The Atlantic Charter
 B. Tehran Conference
 C. San Francisco Conference
 D. Washington Declaration
- (iii) Which Specialized Agency of the UN is guided by the belief “the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of health is one of the fundamental rights of every human being without distinction”.
- A. UNICEF
 B. WHO
 C. UNDP
 D. UNESCO
- (iv) The following are the techniques of resistance evolved by Gandhiji in South Africa EXCEPT...
- A. Founded Passive Resistance Organization
 B. Advised people to fight injustice with honesty and courage
 C. Set up Indian Party to arouse Indian opinion
 D. Enunciated his philosophy of action

Question 3.b.

[2+2]

- (i) Explain briefly the method adopted by Gandhiji and his inmates to particularly disobey a salt law after 1930? [2]
- (ii) Write down Two Principles of UN which appeals you the most? [2]

Part TWO

Section A: Civics

Attempt any *ONE* question

Question 4

[3+3+4]

- (i) List and explain THREE Procedural reforms initiated by the judiciary system [3]
- (ii) Would you like to be the Head of the Lhengye Zhungtshog. Why or why not? Give Three reasons to support your answer. [3]
- (iii) What do you understand by the term ‘Legislature’? Briefly explain any two functions of legislative powers? [4]

Question 5.

[3+3+4]

- (i) In order to dispense justice impartially and promptly, the judiciary has to function independently. Mention any Three measures taken to make the Judiciary body an independent one. [3]

- (ii) If you were the Minister of Ministry of Home and Cultural Affairs, what Three things would you do for the socio-economic development of the country? [3]
- (iii) Under what circumstances will a person be removed from the membership of the Parliament? List any FOUR circumstances. [4]

SECTION B: BHUTAN HISTORY

Attempt any **THREE** questions.

Question 6. (10)

- i) If Trongsa Poenlop Ugyen Wangchuk had not joined the British Expedition to Tibet, what would have been the consequences? Mention any THREE (3)
- ii) Druk Gyelpo Jigme Wangchuk strictly followed the policy of isolation. Mention any THREE demerits ? (3)
- iii) For Jigme Namgyel, defeat in the Duar war of 1864-65 did not mean disgrace or downfall. Give Four reasons to support the statement?(4)

Question 7. (10)

- i) Write down any THREE conscious steps taken by our First King to develop a very good relationship with India? (3)
- ii) Explain any TWO internal reforms brought about by Druk Gyelpo Jigme Wangchuk in the country? (3)
- iii) Jigme Namgyel is referred as the Architect of United Bhutan. Give FOUR reasons to support the statement? (4)

Question 8. (10)

- i) “Ugyen Wangchuk sowed the seeds of modern education and now we are enjoying the fruits.” Explain the statement with reference to the role played by Ugyen Wangchuk? (3)
- ii) Write down any three steps taken by Druk Gyelpo Jigme Wangchuk to fulfill his father’s wish to create a **fair and just society**? (3)
- iii) Explain how the event of 1877 grew into a general uprising? [4]

Question 9. (10)

- i) The system of hereditary monarchy was established with enthronement of Sir Ugyen Wangchuk as the first monarch of Bhutan. How important was the enthronement to the people of Bhutan. Give Three reasons (3)
- ii) Was the independence of India during the reign of King Jigme Wangchuk favourable to Bhutan? Give three reasons to support your answer? (3)
- iii) What would have happened, if Ashley Eden Mission had been a success? Give Four possible outcome? (4)

Question 10. (10)

- i) Gongzim Ugyen Dorji served his life time in the service of Druk Gyelpo Ugyen Wangchuk. Support the statement with three reasons? (3)
- ii) Druk Gyelpo Jigme Wangchuk was, therefore, able to make only tentative beginnings towards modern development during his reign. Why was he able to make only tentative beginnings? In which area the British government proved more forthcoming with assistance? What was the result of their assistance? (3)
- iii) Prepare a time line of any FOUR important events of Jigme Namgyel starting from his birth till the final years of his life. (4)

Section C
Indian History and World Development since 1945
Attempt any ONE Question.

Question.11

[3+3+4]

- (i) Examine the situations of workers and planters in the three areas, Champaran, Ahmadabad and kheda in Gujarat during 1917 and 1918. How did Gandhi support them? [3]
- (ii) How are the Judges of International Court of Justice elected? Give two major functions of the Organ. [3]
- (iii) You have been selected by UNICEF to promote the sale of UNICEF cards in your school. Write a promotional leaflet (a small sheet of paper containing information to advertise) explaining why the students and the teachers should buy UNICEF cards? [4]

Question .12

[3+3+4]

- (i) How different was Mahatma Gandhi as a leader comparing to other leaders of Indian National Movement? What are the Three special qualities of Gandhiji for you support him as a true leader. [3]
- (ii) What do you mean by Veto power in UN? Mention any Two functions of Security Council?[3]
- (iii) Choose the Specialized Agency that you like it the most and answer the following questions:
 - a. Aim of the establishment of the agency [1]
 - b. Write Two functions of your agency [2]
 - c. The personal reason you choose this agency [1]