



# KPC PUBLIC SCHOOL, KHARGHAR

## ASSESSMENT – I, 2023-24

**GRADE : VII**  
**SUBJECT: SST**

**TIME: 2 HRS.**  
**MARKS: 50**

### SECTION A

This Question comprises Multiple Choice type questions one mark each:

1. What does the term pan-regional empire mean? 1  
A. The empire enforced the rules and regulations for the people of their village.  
B. The empire had their own language and cultural characteristics  
C. The empire crossed its region and spread over several other regions.  
D. All of these
2. \_\_\_\_\_ was the founder of Rashtrakuta dynasty 1  
A. Dantidurga                      B. Rajaraja II                      C. Mayurasharma                      D. Harichandra
3. When were Samantas declared Maha-samantas? 1  
A. When they bring gifts for their kings                      B. When they provide kings with military support  
C. When they gain power and wealth                      D. None of the above
4. Who was Nagabhatta? 1  
A. Gupta ruler                      B. Chakrayudha                      C. Malava                      D. Pratihara king
5. Hydrosphere is a part of \_\_\_\_\_ 1  
A. Lithosphere                      B. Atmosphere                      C. Biosphere                      D. None of the above
6. Which one of the following is not a threat to environment 1  
A. Growing population                      B. Growing plants                      C. Growing industries                      D. All of these
7. The oceanic crust purely made of silicon and magnesium is termed as \_\_\_\_\_ 1  
A. Sial                      B. Sima                      C. Nife                      D. None of the above
8. Match the following: 1  
I. Ur                      - a) Great lord of a region  
2. Al-Biruni                      - b) peasant serving three kings  
3. Muvendavalen                      - c) settlement of peasants  
4. Maha-Mandaleshvara                      - d) Arabic scholar  
A. 1-a, 2-c, 3-b, 4-d                      B. 1-c, 2-d, 3-a, 4-b  
C. 1-c, 2-d, 3-b, 4-a                      D. 1-b, 2-c, 3-d, 4-a
9. Kalhana composed a poem about rulers of \_\_\_\_\_ 1  
A. Ajmer                      B. Delhi                      C. Kolkata                      D. Kashmir
10. The Indian constitution recognises 1  
A. All people are equal                      B. Unequal right to vote  
C. Discrimination                      D. All of these
11. Tax money is used to fund which of the activities? 1  
A. Education                      B. Defence                      C. Health                      D. All of these
12. There are two statements as Assertion(A) and Reason (R). Mark your answer as per the codes provided below: 1  
Assertion (A): Balban followed the policy of blood and iron  
Reason (R): He tackled internal and external opposition firmly  
A. Both A and R are true and R is correct explanation of A  
B. Both A and R are true but R is not correct explanation of A  
C. A is true but R is false  
D. A is false but A is true
13. Find the odd one out from the following groups: 1  
A. Igneous rocks, sedimentary rocks, metamorphic rocks and mantle  
B. Chera, Chola, Pandyas and Chalukyas  
C. Mountains, rivers, seas, and streams  
D. Lithosphere, biosphere, hydrosphere and atmosphere

- 14. Kharaj was a type of tax on** **1**  
 A. Houses                      B. Cattle                      C. Trade                      D. Cultivation
- 15. What was the language of administration under the Delhi Sultans?** **1**  
 A. Urdu                      B. Persian                      C. Hindi                      D. English
- 16. \_\_\_\_\_ held power in the Kaveri region** **1**  
 A. Chola                      B. Brahmanas                      C. Muttaraiyar                      D. None of the above
- 17. Identify the correct statements about abiotic environment** **1**  
 A. The world of living organisms                      B. The world of non-living organisms  
 C. Both A and B are correct                      C. None of the above
- 18. Limestone under excessive heat and pressure changes into \_\_\_\_\_** **1**  
 A. Iron                      B. Aluminium                      C. Marble                      D. All of these
- 19. Name the dynamic planet in the Milky Way Galaxy** **1**  
 A. Earth                      B. Jupiter                      C. Uranus                      D. Mars
- 20. The full form of RMP is** **1**  
 A. Recognised Medical Practitioners                      B. Retired Medical Practitioners  
 C. Registered Medical Practitioners                      D. All of these

### SECTION B

**This Question comprises Very Short Answer type questions two marks each:**

21. What are the two categories of healthcare services? **2**  
 22. Define the term fossil **2**  
 23. Who was involved in the tripartite struggle? **2**

OR

Who were Samantas? What services do they provide to the kings?

### SECTION C

**This Question comprises Short Answer type questions three marks each:**

24. We cannot go to the centre of the earth- Give reasons **3**  
 OR  
 Which way humans modify the environment?  
 25. How did Mongols force the Delhi Sultans to mobilize a big army? **3**  
 26. Explain the main features of Private Health Services. **3**

### SECTION D

**This Question comprises Long Answer type questions five marks:**

27. What is the contribution of the medieval period to Indian history? **5**  
 OR

Describe the interior of the earth.

### SECTION E

**This Question comprises Case Study Based Questions one mark each:**

**28. Read the source given below and answer the question that follows:** **3**

Human beings interact with the environment and modify it according to their needs. Early humans adapted themselves to the natural surroundings. They led a simple life and fulfilled their requirements from the nature around them. With time, needs grew and became more varied. Humans learn new ways to use and change the environment. They learn to grow crops, domesticate animals and lead a settled life. The wheel was invented, surplus food was produced, barter systems emerged, trade started and commerce developed. The Industrial Revolution enabled large scale production. Transportation became faster. Information revolution made communication easier and speedy across the world.

- 28.1. What does the industrial revolution enable? **1**  
 28.2. What made communication easier and speedy across the world? **1**  
 28.3. Fill in the blanks: **1**  
 Early humans fulfilled their requirements \_\_\_\_\_

**29. Read the source given below and answer the question that follows:** **3**

Chola temples often became the nuclei of settlements which grew around them. These were centres of craft production. Temples were also endowed with land by rulers as well as by others. The produce of this land went into maintaining all the specialists who worked at the temple and very often lived near it—priests, garland makers, cooks, sweepers, musicians, dancers, etc. In other words, temples were not only places of worship; they were the hub of economic, social and cultural life as well.

29.1. How do priests and other temple workers survive? 1

29.2. Which were the centres of craft production? 1

29.3. Complete the statement:

Temples were not only the places of worship but also \_\_\_\_\_

### SECTION F

**This Question comprises Map Skilled Based questions one mark each:**

**30. On an outline map of India locate and label any 4 of the following with suitable symbols.**

1. Uraiyur
2. Chittor
3. Palas
4. Kaveri
5. Warangal