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PERIODIC TEST-II (2023-24)

- Please check that this question paper contains 1 printed page and 14 questions.
- Write down the serial Number of the question at the left side of the margin before attempting it.

CLASS-VII

SUBJECT: SOCIAL SCIENCE

Time Allowed:1hr.30minutes

MaximumMark:40

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

- There are 14 questions in all. All the questions are compulsory.
- Marks are indicated against each question.
- Questions from 1-5 are Very Short Answer Type Questions carrying 1 mark each.
- Questions from 6-10 are Short Answer Type Questions carrying 3 marks each. Answer to each of these questions should not exceed 60 words.
- Questions from 11-14 are Long Answer Type Questions carrying 5 marks each. Answer to each of these questions should not exceed 100 words.

SECTION – A

1. Choose the correct option.

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The gas having a property of absorbing heat of the sun is :

- a. Carbon dioxide
- b. Oxygen
- c. Nitrogen
- d. Hydrogen

2. Correct and rewrite the statement :

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Krishnadevaraya had a group of eight celebrated intellectuals, known as eight gems.

3. Identify and name the picture.

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- a. Hemu Vikramaditya
- b. Ibrahim Lodi
- c. Shah Jahan
- d. Babur

4. In the question given below, there are two statements marked as Assertion (A) and Reason (R). Read the statements and choose the correct option. 1

Assertion (A): Most people opt to buy packaged items believing them to be better than the items sold without packaging.

Reason (R): The small businesses fail to convince the people that they can buy quality goods even if they do not carry a brand name on the package.

- a. Both (A) and (R) are true and (R) is the correct explanation of (A).
- b. Both (A) and (R) are true but (R) is not the correct explanation of (A).
- c. (A)is correct but (R) is incorrect.
- d. (A) is incorrect but (R) is correct.

5. State one example of social or public service advertising. 1

SECTION – B

6. Distinguish between Hot desert and Cold desert. 3

7. Throw light on the administrative reforms of Vijaynagar Empire. 3

8. Highlight the difficulties faced by Humayun after coming to the throne. 3

9. Advertising creates discrimination in the society. Justify with examples. 3

10. State any three positive effects of advertising. 3

SECTION – C

11. Explain the mechanism of rainfall with the help of a neat and labelled diagram. (3+2)

12. State the various problems related to ecological imbalances. Suggest three steps taken to maintain ecological balance on the earth. (2+3)

13. List any five factors responsible for the downfall of the Mughal empire. 5

14. ‘ Consumerism is all about protection of the interest of the consumer .’ Discuss any five features of consumerism. 5
