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(SENIOR SECONDARY CO-ED DAY CUM RESIDENTIAL
SCHOOL AFFILIATED TO CBSE NEW DELHI)
PERIODIC TEST II (2024-25)
SOCIAL SCIENCE

CLASS: IX   **Time: 1Hour**
Date: 05/12/2024   **Max. Marks: 25**

INSTRUCTIONS:
1. The question paper consists of four sections (A, B, C & D) with 11 questions in total.
2. All questions are compulsory.
3. Question numbers 1 to 5 are multiple choice questions of 1 mark each.
4. Question numbers 6 and 7 are of 2 marks each. Answers to these questions should not exceed 20 words each.
5. Question numbers 8 and 9 are of 3 marks each. Answers to these questions should not exceed 60-80 words each.
6. Question numbers 10 and 11 are of 5 marks each. Answers to these questions should not exceed 100-120 words each.

SECTION-A
MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

1. The leader of the Bolshevik party was?   **1**
(a) Stalin   (b) Lenin   (c) Karl Marx   (d) Louis Blanc

2. Which among the following groups was against any kind of political or social change?   **1**

(a) Nationalists   (b) conservatives   (c) liberals   (d) radicals

3. Which of these demands is/are referred to as Lenin's 'April Theses'?   **1**
(a) World War I should be brought to an end
(b) Land should be transferred to the peasants
(c) Banks should be nationalized
(d) All the above

4. What is the most common measure used to identify the poor in India?   **1**
(a) Income level   (b) Educational background   (c) Occupation   (d) Age

5. Which of the following is an example of a poverty alleviation program in India?   **1**
(a) Mid-day meal scheme   (b) Aadhaar card registration
(c) Swachh Bharat Abhiyan   (d) Make in India campaign

SECTION-B
Very Short Answer Type Questions
6. Why were socialist against private property?   2
7. Which social groups are most vulnerable to poverty? Explain.   2

SECTION-C
Short Answer Type Questions
8. Describe the incident known as 'Bloody Sunday'. 3
9. What are the indicators used by social scientists to understand poverty? Explain. 3

SECTION-D
Long Answer Type Questions
10. How were the British policies responsible for the increase in poverty in India? 5
11. Critically examine Stalin's collectivization program. 5

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