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POST MID TERM TEST, 2025-26 SOCIAL SCIENCE 087

Class: IX
Date: 9.01.2026
Admission no:

Time: 1Hr.
Max Marks: 25
Roll no:

INSTRUCTION:

- I. Question paper comprises five Sections–A, B, C, D and E. There are 11 questions in the question paper.
- II. All questions are compulsory.
- III. Section A –Question 1 to 4 are MCQs of 1 mark each.
- IV. Section B–Question no.5 to 8 is Very Short Answer Type Questions, carrying 2 marks each. Answer to each question should not exceed 20-40 words.
- V. Section C–Question no.9 is Short Answer Type Questions, carrying 3 marks. Answer to this question should not exceed 40-60 words.
- VI. Section D–Question no.10 is Long Type Question, carrying 5 marks. Answer to this question should not exceed 80-100 words.
- VII. Section E–Question no.11 is Map based question, carrying 5 marks.

SECTION-A

1. There are two statements marked as Assertion (A) and reason (R). Read these statements and choose the correct answer from the given options- 1

Assertion (A): Karl Marx believed that workers would overthrow capitalism.

Reason (R): According to him, capitalist profit was produced by workers while capitalists earned without labour.

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

2. Who among the following wanted a nation that tolerated all religions? 1

- a) Conservatives
- b) Liberals
- c) Radicals
- d) Socialists

3. What was a major problem faced by industrial workers? 1

- a) Very short working hours
- b) High wages
- c) Poor housing and sanitation
- d) Free medical services

4. Match the houses of Parliament with their features: 1

Column A	Column A
a. Lok Sabha	1. Presiding Officer of Lok Sabha
b. Rajya Sabha	2. Represents the States
c. Speaker	3. Directly elected by the people
d. Vice President	4. Chairperson of Rajya Sabha

- a) a-2, b-1, c-3, d-4
- b) a-3, b-1, c-2, d-4
- c) a-3, b-2, c-1, d-4
- d) a-1, b-3, c-2, d-4

SECTION –B

- 5. What was the Second International? 2
- 6. Explain the economic condition of the workers before the Russian Revolution. 2
- 7. What is judicial review? 2
- 8. Why is the Lok Sabha considered more powerful than the Rajya Sabha? 2

SECTION C

- 9. Describe the events of Bloody Sunday and its impact. 3

SECTION D

- 10. During a school's annual civic education fair, students were asked to simulate how the Indian Parliament works. The coordinator selected two students to form their own political parties and prepare for forming a government. She then gave them a choice: they could decide whether their party would enjoy a majority in the simulated Lok Sabha or in the simulated Rajya Sabha. If you were participating in this activity, which House would you prefer to have a majority in, and why? 5

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SECTION E

11. Locate and label any two Central powers and Three Allied powers on the outline political map of World: 5



*****ALL THE BEST*****