

CLASS IX	INDIAN SCHOOL MUSCAT SECOND PERIODIC ASSESSMENT SOCIAL SCIENCE-----Marking Scheme	S. Sc. 20 Marks
	SET - B	
Q. NO.	VALUE POINTS	SPLIT UP OF MARKS
1	(c) Chilika Lake	1
2	i) Fresh water lake	1
3	Napoleon Bonaparte crowned himself the Emperor of France in the year <b>1804</b>	1
4	<b>Definition:</b> The disappearance of forests is referred to as deforestation.	1
5	In some parts of the country and the world, candidates and parties with a <b>lot of money and criminals</b> may not be sure of their victory but they do enjoy a big and unfair advantage over smaller parties and independents. <b>(1 mark for justification with an example) or any other relevant points.</b>	1
6	<b>False</b> <b>Correct Answer:</b> Currently, in the Lok Sabha, <b>84 seats</b> are reserved for the <b>Scheduled Castes and 47 for the Scheduled Tribes.</b>	1
7	Internationally accepted uniform standard for the poverty line is <b>\$1.90</b> per person per day.	1
8	<b>C. Youth with matriculation, graduation and post- graduation degrees are not able to find job.</b>	1
9	<b><u>Any three measures taken by the revolutionary government to improve the conditions of women in France. (Any other three relevant points)</u></b> <b><u>In the early years, the revolutionary government did introduce laws that helped improve the lives of women.</u></b> 1. Together with the creation of state schools, schooling was made compulsory for all girls. 2. Their fathers could no longer force them into marriage against their will. Marriage was made into a contract entered into freely and registered under civil law. 3. Divorce was made legal, and could be applied for by both women and men. 4. Women could now train for jobs, could become artists or run small businesses.	3
10	<b><u>Any three functions of the Election Commission (EC) of India.</u></b> 1. EC takes decisions on every aspect of conduct and control of elections from the announcement of elections to the declaration of results. 2. It implements the Code of Conduct and punishes any candidate or party that violates it. 3. During the election period, the EC can order the government to follow some guidelines, to prevent use and misuse of governmental power to enhance its chances to win elections, or to transfer some government officials. 4. When on election duty, government officers work under the control of the EC and not the government. <b>(Any other three relevant points)</b>	3
11	How do social scientists analyze poverty? *Usually the indicators used to define poverty are income and	1½ + 1½ = 3

	<p>consumption.</p> <p>*But now poverty is looked through other social indicators like illiteracy level, lack of general resistance due to malnutrition, lack of access to healthcare, lack of job opportunities, lack of access to safe drinking water, sanitation etc.</p> <p>* Analysis of poverty based on social exclusion and vulnerability is now becoming very common [to be explained] [any other relevant point]</p>	
12	<p><u>Weather</u> refers to the state of the atmosphere over an area at any point of time.</p> <p><u>Distance from the sea:</u> As the distance from the sea increases, its moderating influence decreases and the people experience extreme weather conditions. This condition is known as continentality.</p> <p><u>Relief of an area:</u> High mountains act as barriers for cold or hot winds; they may also cause precipitation if they are high enough and lie in the path of rain-bearing winds. The leeward side of mountains remains relatively dry.</p>	3