## ST. XAVIER'S SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL, DELHI-54

Class: 6 FIRST TERM UNIT TEST 2014-15 Marks: 20

Date: 23.07.14 SOCIAL SCIENCE Time: 45 Minutes

**Note:** All the answers should be done on the answer sheet.

## **HISTORY**

I. Answer the following questions in one word or two:  $(\frac{1}{2}x4=2)$ 

- 1. Name the source material which is both archaeological and literary.
- 2. Write the full form of AD.
- 3. Name the language used in ancient India.
- 4. Write the name of a non religious literature.
- II. Answer the following questions in 1-2 sentences: (1x3=3)
  - 1. Define the term prehistory.
  - 2. What are the two main types of source material available to a historian?
  - 3. Mention two materials on which manuscripts were written in ancient India.
- III. Answer the following questions in 40 words:

 $(1\frac{1}{2}x2=3)$ 

- 1. What kind of information can a historian get from a study of inscription?
- 2. What are artefacts? Of what importance are artefacts in the understanding of man's past?

## **GEOGRAPHY**

I. Answer the following questions in one word:

(½x4=2)

- 1. Name the celestial body nearest to the earth.
- 2. Name the brightest planet.
- 3. What is group of stars forming a definite pattern called?
- 4. Name the only star in the solar system.
- II. Answer the following questions in 2-3 sentence:

(1x3=3)

- 1. How can you recognise the planets Mars and Saturn in the sky?
- 2. Why were pointers important to the navigators?
- 3. Explain revolution.
- III. Answer the following questions in 40 words:

(2)

1. Give four differences between a star and a planet.

## **CIVICS**

I. Answer the following questions in one word:

(½x2=1)

- 1. What are the families in which property passes from mother to daughter known as?
- 2. Write the name of the group to which south Indian languages belongs to.
- II. Answer the following questions in 1-2 sentence:

(1x2=2)

- 1. Why do people in cold places eat a lot of nonvegetarian food?
- 2. What does the snake-boat race of Kerala tell us about the people?
- III. Answer the following questions in 40 words:

(2)

1. Give one example to show that climate influences the way people dress.

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