



Indian School Al Wadi Al Kabir
Pre-Midterm Exam (2026-2027)
SOCIAL SCIENCE (Code: 087)
SET 2

Class: VI

Date: 19.05.2026

Maximum Marks: 30

Time Allowed: 1 Hour

General Instructions: -

- i. All questions are compulsory.
- ii. The Question paper comprises Five **Sections – A, B, C, D and E.**
- iii. Attempt one section at a stretch and then move to the next section.
- iv. Write the same question number as given in the question paper.
- v. Attach the Map along with your answer script.
- vi. Use of correction fluid (whitener) is prohibited.

I	SECTION – A Multiple Choice Questions: (1X6=6)	Marks
1	 The picture shows an important national symbol of India. What does the pillar represent today? A. National Flag B. National Emblem C. National Animal D. National Flower	1
2	“Jana Gana Mana” was written by: A. Bankim Chandra Chatterjee B. Rabindranath Tagore C. Sarojini Naidu D. Mahatma Gandhi	1
3	In history, AD stands for: A. After Death B. After Discovery C. Anno Domini D. Anno Domus	1

4	Match the following and choose the correct options: <table><tr><td></td><td>Column A</td><td></td><td>Column B</td></tr><tr><td>a</td><td>Intermediate Directions</td><td>i</td><td>180°</td></tr><tr><td>b</td><td>Symbols</td><td>ii</td><td>0°</td></tr><tr><td>c</td><td>Equator</td><td>iii</td><td>Represent features on a map</td></tr><tr><td>d</td><td>International Date Line</td><td>iv</td><td>Northeast, Southwest</td></tr></table> Options: A. a-iv, b-iii, c-ii, d-i B. a-iii, b-iv, c-i, d-ii C. a-ii, b-iii, c-i, d-iv D. a-i, b-ii, c-iii, d-iv		Column A		Column B	a	Intermediate Directions	i	180°	b	Symbols	ii	0°	c	Equator	iii	Represent features on a map	d	International Date Line	iv	Northeast, Southwest	1
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5	A ship crosses the International Date Line from east to west. What happens to the date? A. It decreases by one day B. It increases by one day C. It remains the same D. Time stops for a day	1																				
6	What is an atlas? A. A type of globe B. A book or collection of maps C. A drawing of mountains D. A map of one country only	1																				
II	SECTION – B Very short answer questions: (1X5=5)																					
7	What is History and why is it important?	1																				
8	How is the Equator important in geography?	1																				
9	Who composed our national anthem and national song?	1																				
10	How do the components of a map help us understand it better?	1																				
11	Explain the significance of symbols in understanding a map.	1																				
III	SECTION – C Short answer-based questions: (2X5=10)																					
12	Differentiate between latitude and longitude?	2																				
13	Why is the shape of the Earth not considered as a perfect sphere?	2																				
14	How can understanding coordinates help in locating places?	2																				
15	What is the Prime Meridian, and why is it called the Greenwich Meridian?	2																				
16	Which is more useful to travelers—a map or a globe? Justify your answer.	2																				

IV	SECTION – D Long answer-based questions: (3X2=6)	
17	A student travelling across different cities notices that local times vary, but everyone follows the same standard time. Why is standard time used instead of local time? Explain.	3
18	Draw a labeled diagram of the Earth showing the main heat zones.	3
V	SECTION – E MAP SKILL-BASED QUESTION (3 marks)	
19	On the given outline map of India locate, label and colour the following states. A) Tamil Nadu B) Madhya Pradesh C) Karnataka	1 1 1