

TEACHING OF SOCIAL STUDIES

SECTION A

LONG QUESTIONS

1. Discuss the aims and objectives of teaching social studies at secondary school level.
2. Discuss importance of teaching social studies at secondary level.
3. Discuss the meaning and scope of social studies.
4. Explain topical approach of curriculum construction in detail.
5. What is the difference between aims and objectives? Discuss aims and objectives of teaching social studies at secondary level.
6. Discuss in detail approaches of organizing social studies curriculums – concentric, topical and unit approach.
7. What do you understand by curriculum? Discuss the basic principles of organizing social studies curriculum.
8. Discuss the nature and scope of social studies as a composite and integrated subject of school curriculum.
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10. Discuss the nature and scope of social studies as a composite and integrated subject of school curriculum.
11. What are social sciences? How are they different from social studies?
12. What are instructional objectives of teaching social studies at the primary stage as well as the middle and secondary stage?
13. What is concentric method of organizing materials in social studies? State its merits and demerits.
14. Discuss the need and importance of social studies curriculum.
15. Critically examine the curriculum of social studies of your state.

SHORT QUESTIONS

1. Two aims of teaching of social studies.
2. Chronological approach for organization of subject matter of social studies.
3. Topical approach of organization of social studies curriculum.
4. Merits of social studies.
5. Give a clear view of the scope of social studies in modern times.
6. Discuss the importance of concentric system in framing syllabus of social studies.
7. Why should a teacher of social studies know the aims of teaching of the subject?
8. Write 3 principles of making the syllabus of social studies.
9. Aims and objectives of social studies at secondary stage.
10. Concentric approach.
11. One principle of curriculum construction.
12. Importance of social studies
13. Difference between aims and objectives
14. Define curriculum.

SECTION B

LONG QUESTIONS

1. What are the different methods of teaching of social studies? Explain problem solving method in detail.
2. Enlist the various devices of teaching of social studies. Explain assignments and questioning as devices of teaching social studies.

3. Which method of teaching social studies you like the most? Explain in detail.
4. Enlist the various devices of teaching social studies. Explain any two in detail.
5. How discussion method can be used for teaching of social studies?
6. Compare and contrast illustration and exposition devices.
7. What do you mean by problem solving method? Discuss its procedure, merits and demerits.
8. Discuss illustration as a device of teaching social studies.
9. What do you understand by the term 'method'? Explain the characteristics of a good teaching method.
10. Explain the meaning, nature, purposes, merits and demerits of lecture method.
11. Give your suggestions for the effective use of lecture method.
12. Explain the meaning, nature, essential constituents, procedures, merits and demerits of discussion method.
13. Explain purposes and types of questioning. What are the characteristics of good questions? When and how should a social studies teacher ask questions?
14. Explain the meaning, principles and steps involved in project method.
15. What are the essentials of good project? Mention agencies of project method?
16. What are the merits of storytelling method? Give your practical suggestions for making story telling effective.
17. What is source method? Mention different types of sources. What are objectives of source method in social studies?
18. Explain the purposes and importance of text book method. What are the demerits of this method? Give your suggestions for making effective use of textbook method.
19. What is the project method of teaching social studies? Elaborate. Name 5 important projects that can be taken at secondary level.

20. What are devices of teaching social studies? Explain the assignment and exposition in detail.

SHORT QUESTIONS

1. Merits of storytelling method.
2. Illustration as device of teaching social studies
3. Merits of discussion method
4. Demerits of source method
5. Merits of storytelling method
6. Assignment of social studies as a device
7. Importance of social studies text book
8. Merits of source method
9. Questioning technique
10. Write down characteristics of questing device
11. Enumerate practical difficulties in discussion method in social studies
12. Write down characteristics of good assignment device.

SECTION C

LONG QUESTIONS

1. Describe the qualities of a successful teacher of social studies
2. Why is it necessary to have a separate room for teaching social studies?
3. What is the need and importance of a social studies room? As a teacher, how can you maintain it?
4. Discuss various teaching aids. Explain the use of overhead projector and graph in social studies?
5. What are the essential qualities of a good social studies teacher? Examine his role in the changing modern scenario.

6. What is the meaning of audio visual aids? Discuss any two teaching aids in detail?
7. What do you understand by the social studies room? Discuss in detail the need and importance of social studies room?
8. What is the importance of audio visual aids? Explain any two audio visual aids in detail.
9. Make a lesson plan of your choice of class VI.
10. "Social studies teacher is an agent of social change". Discuss this statement highlighting the qualities and role of social studies teacher.

SHORT QUESTIONS

1. Importance of social studies room
2. Use of overhead projectors
3. How would you equip social studies room
4. What is the place of text book in teaching of social studies?
5. Discuss the criterion of a good text book in social studies.
6. Need of social studies room
7. Use of globe in teaching of social studies
8. Importance of social studies text book
9. Role of social studies teacher
10. What are audio visual aids?
11. Qualities of a good social studies teacher?
12. Explain chalk board and chart as a good teaching aid.

SECTION D

LONG QUESTIONS

1. Discuss various types of tests? Discuss the merits and demerits of essay type tests.
2. What do you mean by objective type tests? In what way are they better than essay type test?
3. Prepare a lesson on any topic of social studies of class IXth.
4. Make a lesson plan of your choice for class VII.
5. What is the importance of evaluation in teaching of social studies? Discuss the different types of tests of evaluation.
6. Make a lesson plan of your choice for class VI.
7. Define the term 'evaluation'? Discuss its need and importance in teaching of social studies.
8. What are current affairs? What are the methods to apprise students about current affairs in the classroom?

SHORT QUESTIONS

1. Essay type tests.
2. What is the modern concept of evaluation in teaching of social studies?
3. What is the importance of good lesson plan?
4. Meaning of lesson plan
5. Five examples of objective type tests
6. Suggest reforms of examination
7. Importance of current affairs in social studies
8. Merits of objective type tests
9. Need of lesson planning
10. Give any 3 new type tests in social studies
11. What is the value of objective tests in social studies?
12. Importance of lesson plan
13. Purposes of current affairs teaching in social studies

