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History — Core

COLONIALISM AND NATIONALISM IN INDIA

(For those who joined in July 2023 onwards)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — (15 × 1 = 15 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Choose the correct answer :

1. Who replaced Mir Jafar as Newab of Bengal in 1760?  
(a) Mir Qasim                      (b) Siraj-ud-daulah  
(c) Ali Vardi Khan                (d) Farrukhsiyar
2. Which Governor-General separated the executive and judicial duties at the district level?  
(a) Lord Wellesley                (b) Lord Minto  
(c) Lord Hastings                 (d) Lord Cornwallis

3. Who wrote the book Poverty and the Un-British rule in India?  
(a) Maharaja Agrasen  
(b) Bankim Chandra Chattopadhyay  
(c) Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar  
(d) Dadabhai Naoroji
4. The idea of Indian nationalism was based on the twin idea of ————  
(a) Opposition to British colonial rule  
(b) Unity of the Indian people  
(c) Both (a) and (b)  
(d) Support to British colonial rule
5. Who spoke the following words : "In Europe, political ideas form the national unity. In Asia religious ideas form the national unit"?  
(a) Swami Vivekananda  
(b) Dayanand Saraswati  
(c) Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar  
(d) Raja Ram Mohan Roy

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6. Which social reformer advocated remarriage of widows?
- (a) Rammohan Roy
  - (b) Keshub Chandra Sen
  - (c) Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar
  - (d) Jyotirao Govindrao Phule
7. The two main theoretical principles underlying the British judicial system in India were the notions of the \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_
- (a) Rule of power and exploitation of weak
  - (b) Rule of law and equality before law
  - (c) Subjugation and subordination
  - (d) Supremacy of white and rule by white
8. The subsidiary alliance system was introduced by \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ was the 1<sup>st</sup> to join the subsidiary alliance system.
- (a) Lord Wellesley and Nizam of Hyderabad
  - (b) Lord Dalhousie and Mysore
  - (c) Robert Clive and Oudh
  - (d) Hugh Rose and Gwalior
9. Partition of Bengal was ordered by \_\_\_\_\_?
- (a) Lord Hardinge
  - (b) Lord Wellesley
  - (c) Lord Curzon
  - (d) Lord Mountbatten

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10. Who established the Ramakrishna mission?
- (a) Bal Gangadhar Tilak
  - (b) Swam Dayannad Saraswati
  - (c) Swami Shraddhanand
  - (d) Swami Vivekananda
11. Ghadar party was founded at \_\_\_\_\_?
- (a) San Francisco
  - (b) London
  - (c) Tokyo
  - (d) Melbourne
12. Durand Line is a boundary line between which two nations?
- (a) India and Pakistan
  - (b) India and China
  - (c) China and Afghanistan
  - (d) Pakistan and Afghanistan
13. Who among the following leaders joined Netaji Bose to establish the Forward Bloc and participated in the INA movement?
- (a) Sheel Bhadra Yajee
  - (b) Mohan Lal
  - (c) Mahatama Gandhi
  - (d) Motilal Nehru

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14. The main purpose of the Cripps Mission sent to India was
- (a) To get rid of India as soon as possible as it was becoming a liability
  - (b) To stop India from joining Axis powers in the World War II
  - (c) To negotiate between congress and the Muslim League after the war
  - (d) To seek the support of India in World War II
15. Who had given the slogan of "Do or Die" during the quit India Movement?
- (a) Jawaharlal Nehru (b) Sardar Patel
  - (c) BR Ambedkar (d) Mahatam Gandhi

PART B — ( $5 \times 4 = 20$  marks)

Answer ALL the questions, choosing either (a) or (b).  
Each answer should not exceed 250 words.

16. (a) Discuss the effects of the Carnatic wars.
- Or
- (b) Explain the dual government introduced in Bengal.
17. (a) Explain the contribution of the Pabna movement.
- Or
- (b) Explain the significance of the poligar revolt.

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18. (a) Evaluate the emergence of moderates in the Indian political scenario.

Or

- (b) Discuss the causes for rise of extremism in India.

19. (a) Write a note on Rowlatt Act.

Or

- (b) Give an account of the second Round table conference.

20. (a) Write a short note on Cripps mission.

Or

- (b) Examine the contributions of Subhas Chandra Bose.

PART C — ( $5 \times 8 = 40$  marks)

Answer ALL the questions, choosing either (a) or (b).  
Each answer should not exceed 600 words.

21. (a) Highlight the measure adopted by French to expand French power in India.
- Or
- (b) Analyze the British imperialism and its impacts.

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22. (a) Elaborate the causes for the failure of the Revolt of 1857.

Or

- (b) Describe the nature and the significance of the Vellore mutiny.

23. (a) Examine the role of the Indian national congress in the freedom movement.

Or

- (b) Describe the events leading to the partition of Bengal.

24. (a) Examine the unfolding of the civil disobedience movement.

Or

- (b) Elucidate the factors leading to growth of communalism in India.

25. (a) Examine the features of the Indian independence act of 1947.

Or

- (b) Analyze the key events and factors during the final years of the Indian freedom struggle (1945-1947) that contributed to the eventual independence of India.

