

Syllabus Indicator and Exam Portion

Subject: Social Science

CBSE – 2023-24

Grade: IX

PHASE 1				
Ch. No.	Chapter Name	Subtopics	PT1 portion	
			Total Marks: 80	Duration: 3 hours
1	The French Revolution (History)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ French Society During the Late Eighteenth Century ▪ The Outbreak of the Revolution ▪ France Abolishes Monarchy and Becomes a Republic ▪ Did Women have a Revolution? ▪ The Abolition of Slavery ▪ The Revolution and Everyday Life 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ French Society During the Late Eighteenth Century ▪ The Outbreak of the Revolution ▪ France Abolishes Monarchy and Becomes a Republic ▪ Did Women have a Revolution? ▪ The Abolition of Slavery ▪ The Revolution and Everyday Life 	
1	India – Size and Location (Geography)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Location ▪ Size ▪ India and the World ▪ India's Neighbours 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Location ▪ Size ▪ India and the World ▪ India's Neighbours 	
1	What is Democracy? Why Democracy? (Pol. Science)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ What is Democracy? ▪ Features of Democracy ▪ Why Democracy? ▪ Broader Meanings of Democracy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ What is Democracy? ▪ Features of Democracy ▪ Why Democracy? ▪ Broader Meanings of Democracy 	
1	The Story of Village Palampur (Economics) Only for Periodic Test – Not be assessed in Annual/Board Exam.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Overview ▪ Organization of Production ▪ Farming in Palampur ▪ Non-farm activities in Palampur 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Overview ▪ Organization of Production ▪ Farming in Palampur ▪ Non-farm activities in Palampur 	

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Ch. No.	Chapter Name	Subtopics	PT2 portion Total Marks: 80 Duration: 3 hours
			PT1 portion is included
2	Socialism in Europe and the Russian Revolution (History)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Age of Social Change ▪ The Russian Revolution ▪ The February Revolution in Petrograd ▪ What Changed after October? ▪ The Global Influence of the Russian Revolution and the USSR 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Age of Social Change ▪ The Russian Revolution ▪ The February Revolution in Petrograd ▪ What Changed after October? ▪ The Global Influence of the Russian Revolution and the USSR
2	Physical Features of India (Geography)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Major Physiographic Divisions – Himalayan Mountains, Northern Plains, Peninsular Plateau, Indian Desert, Coastal Plains, Islands 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Major Physiographic Divisions – Himalayan Mountains, Northern Plains, Peninsular Plateau, Indian Desert, Coastal Plains, Islands
2	Constitutional Design (Pol. Science)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Democratic Constitution in South Africa ▪ Why do we need a Constitution? ▪ Making of the Indian Constitution ▪ Guiding Values of the Indian Constitution 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Democratic Constitution in South Africa ▪ Why do we need a Constitution? ▪ Making of the Indian Constitution ▪ Guiding Values of the Indian Constitution
2	People as Resource (Economics)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Overview ▪ Economic Activities by Men and Women ▪ Quality of Population ▪ Unemployment 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Overview ▪ Economic Activities by Men and Women ▪ Quality of Population ▪ Unemployment

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PHASE 3			
Ch. No.	Chapter Name	Subtopics	PT3 portion Total Marks: 80 Duration: 3 hours
			PT1 and PT2 portions are included
3	Nazism and the Rise of Hitler (History)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Birth of the Weimar Republic Hitler's Rise to Power The Nazi Worldview Youth in Nazi Germany Ordinary People and the Crimes Against Humanity 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Birth of the Weimar Republic Hitler's Rise to Power The Nazi Worldview Youth in Nazi Germany Ordinary People and the Crimes Against Humanity
4	Forest Society and Colonialism (History)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Why Deforestation? The Rise of Commercial Forestry Rebellion in the Forest Forest Transformations in Java 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This chapter is only for interdisciplinary project as a part of multiple assessments (internal assessment for 5 marks). This chapter will not be assessed in periodic tests/annual or board exams.
5	Pastoralists in the Modern World (History) Only for Periodic Test – Not be assessed in Annual/Board Exam.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pastoral Nomads and their Movements Colonial Rule and Pastoral Life Pastoralism in Africa 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pastoral Nomads and their Movements Colonial Rule and Pastoral Life Pastoralism in Africa
3	Drainage (Geography)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Concept Drainage Systems in India The Himalayan Rivers - Ganga and Brahmaputra River System The Peninsular Rivers- Narmada Basin, Tapti Basin, Godavari Basin, Mahanadi Basin, Krishna Basin, Kaveri Basin Lakes Role of Rivers in the Economy River Pollution 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Concept Drainage Systems in India The Himalayan Rivers - Ganga and Brahmaputra River System The Peninsular Rivers- Narmada Basin, Tapti Basin, Godavari Basin, Mahanadi Basin, Krishna Basin, Kaveri Basin Lakes Role of Rivers in the Economy River Pollution
4	Climate (Geography)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Concept Climatic Controls Factors influencing India's climate – Latitude, Altitude, Pressure and Winds (excluding Jet 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Concept Climatic Controls Factors influencing India's climate – Latitude, Altitude, Pressure and Winds (excluding Jet Streams

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		<p>Streams and Western Cyclonic Disturbances and related figures)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Seasons – Cold Weather Season, Hot Weather Season, Advancing Monsoon, Retreating/Post Monsoons ▪ Distribution of Rainfall ▪ Monsoon as a unifying bond 	<p>and Western Cyclonic Disturbances and related figures)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Seasons – Cold Weather Season, Hot Weather Season, Advancing Monsoon, Retreating/Post Monsoons ▪ Distribution of Rainfall ▪ Monsoon as a unifying bond
3	Electoral Politics (Pol. Science)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Why Elections? ▪ What is our System of Elections? ▪ What makes elections in India democratic? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Why Elections? ▪ What is our System of Elections? ▪ What makes elections in India democratic?
4	Working of Institutions (Pol. Science)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ How is the major policy decision taken? ▪ Parliament ▪ Political Executive ▪ The Judiciary 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ How is the major policy decision taken? ▪ Parliament ▪ Political Executive ▪ The Judiciary
3	Poverty as a Challenge (Economics)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Overview ▪ Two typical cases of Poverty ▪ Poverty as seen by Social Scientists ▪ Poverty Estimates ▪ Vulnerable Groups ▪ Interstate Disparities ▪ Global Poverty Scenario ▪ Causes of Poverty ▪ Anti-Poverty measures ▪ The Challenges Ahead 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Overview ▪ Two typical cases of Poverty ▪ Poverty as seen by Social Scientists ▪ Poverty Estimates ▪ Vulnerable Groups ▪ Interstate Disparities ▪ Global Poverty Scenario ▪ Causes of Poverty ▪ Anti-Poverty measures ▪ The Challenges Ahead

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5	Natural Vegetation and Wildlife (Geography) Only for map pointing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Types of Vegetation – Tropical Evergreen Forests, Tropical Deciduous Forests, Thorn Forests and Shrubs, Montane Forests, Mangrove Forests Wild Life 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Types of Vegetation – Tropical Evergreen Forests, Tropical Deciduous Forests, Thorn Forests and Shrubs, Montane Forests, Mangrove Forests Wild Life
6	Population (Geography)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Population Size and Distribution – India's Population Size and Distribution by Numbers, India's Population Distribution by Density Population Growth and Processes of Population Change – Population Growth, Processes of Population Change/Growth 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Population Size and Distribution – India's Population Size and Distribution by Numbers, India's Population Distribution by Density Population Growth and Processes of Population Change – Population Growth, Processes of Population Change/Growth
5	Democratic Rights (Pol. Science)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Life without Rights Rights in a Democracy Rights in the Indian Constitution Expanding scope of rights 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Life without Rights Rights in a Democracy Rights in the Indian Constitution Expanding scope of rights
4	Food Security in India (Economics)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Overview What is Food Security? Why Food Security? Who are food insecure? Food Security in India What is Buffer Stock? What is the Public Distribution System? Current Status of Public Distribution System Role of Cooperatives in food security 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Overview What is Food Security? Why Food Security? Who are food insecure? Food Security in India What is Buffer Stock? What is the Public Distribution System? Current Status of Public Distribution System Role of Cooperatives in food security