FORMATIVE ASSESSMENT – SECOND MID TERM

SOCIAL SCIENCE

Max. Marks: 50

Std - VIII   **Time: 2 Hrs**

Name of the School:	Name of the Student:
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Place:	**Roll No.:**
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I.   Choose the correct answer: **5**

1. The word 'Veda' is derived from _____.

    a) Sanskrit   b) Latin   c) Prakrit   d) Pali

2. When did the UNESCO declare (Takshashila) Taxila as a world heritage site?

    a) 1970   b) 1975   c) 1980   d) 1985

3. A metropolis has a population of _____.

    a) 11,000,000   b) 1,00,000   c)10,000   d)10,00,000

4. The fastest growing city is _____.

    a) Sao Paulo   b) Mexico city   c) Delhi   d) New York

5. India is a land of _____.

    a) multi religious faiths   b) multi cultural beliefs

    c) both a and b   d) none of these

II.   Fill in the blanks: **5**

6. _____ was the first ruler to establish a madrasa at Delhi.

7. The new education policy was revised in _____.

8. Towns grew originally from local _____.

9. The basic aim of our constitution is to promote _____ and _____.

III. State True or False: **5**

10. Jainism originated in China. _____

11. There is a state religion in India. _____

12. Slums are generally found in cities. _____

13. Mass migration is absent in the modern period. _____

14. The process of an urbanization has a short history. _____

IV. Match the following: 5

15. Wood's dispatch   -   Out Migration

16. Emigration   -   Saraswati Mahal

17. Constitution   -   Future Citizen

18. Sarafoji II   -   Magna Carta of Indian Education

19. Children   -   1950

V. Answer the following: 5 x 3 = 15

20. Expand SSA and RMSA.

21. Name the most notable universities that evolved in ancient India.

22. What is urbanization?

23. List any four most popular cities in the world.

24. State the objectives of secularism.

VI. Answer the following in detail: [any 2] 2 x 5 = 10

25. Describe the National policy on Education.

26. List some of the pull and push factors of migration.

27. Why do we need secular education?

VII. Map work: 5

28. Mark the following places on the outline map of India.

1. Madras

2. Cochin

3. Calcutta

4. Delhi

5. Nalanda