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Class: VIII
Subject: GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

Full Marks: 75
Time: 3 Hr

All Questions are compulsory

SECTION-A

A. Tick / choose the correct words: 15x2=30

1. Which is the most poisonous fish in the world?

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| a. Wolf Fish | b. Rifer Fish |
| c. Cling Fish | |

2. Which is considered the most dangerous shark and its also called the Man-Eater?

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| a. Tiger Shark | b. Whale Shark |
| c. Great White Shark | |

3. Which fish is popularly known as the "hilsa" in India?

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| a. White Bait | b. Indian Tarpon |
| c. Ilish | |

4. The origin of its name may come from the sucking sound they make when hunting for prey in the sand. Which vaguely resembles that of a nursing baby?

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| a. Nurse Shark | b. Barracudina |
| c. Pearl Eye | |

5. What are the eggs of fish called?

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| a. Spawn | b. Brod |
| c. Rae | |

6. Which is the fastest fish in the world that can run as fast as 112 Km/hr?

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| a. Sailfish | b. Hake |
| c. Mackerel | |

7. How can the age of fish be precisely determined?

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| a. By its color | b. By its scales |
| c. By its teeth | |

8. Which is the supreme law making body of our country?

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| a. Vidhan Sabha | b. Parliament |
| c. Loksabha | |

9. How many members are there in the lower house of parliament or the Lok Sabha?

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| a. 545 | b. 250 |
| c. 503 | |

10. How many members are there in the upper house of parliament or Rajya Sabha?

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| a. 260 | b. 250 |
| c. 281 | |

11. How many states and union territories are there in India besides the National capital Territory of New Delhi?

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| a. 29 states and 6 UTs | b. 27 States & 7 UTs |
| c. 30 States & 8 UTs | |

12. The constitutional head of our country is

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| a. President | b. Prime Minister |
| c. MLA | |

13. Which one of the following cities is located on the bank of Yamuna?

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| a. Madurai | b. Patna |
| c. New Delhi | |

14. Guwahati is located on the bank of the river?

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| a. Sabarmati | b. Brahmaputra |
| c. Ganga | |

15. Varanasi is located on the bank of river.

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| a. Kali | b. Bhadra |
| c. Ganga | |

SECTION-B

B. Match the column A and Column B :

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| Column A | Column B |
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| i. Lucknow | a. Ganga |
| ii. Kannauj | b. Godavari |
| iii. Mathura | c. Hooghly |
| iv. Pune | d. Brahmi |
| v. Surat | e. Mahanadi |
| vi. Kota | f. Gomti |
| vii. Kolkatta | g. Yamuna |
| viii. Nanded | h. Chambal |
| ix. Cuttack | i. Tapti |
| x. Rourkela | j. Mula mutha |

C. Match the following countries with the names of their parliaments: 10

| Column A | Column B |
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| i. Spain | a. Congress |
| ii. Saudi Arabia | b. Majlis Al Umma |
| iii. Kuwait | c. Cortes generates |
| iv. United States of America | d. Rashtriya Panchayat |
| v. Nepal | e. Parliament |
| vi. Australia | f. National People congress |
| vii. Japan | g. Federal Assembly |
| viii. Switzerland | h. Majlis Al Shura |
| ix. India | i. Majlis |
| x. United Kingdom | j. Federal Parliament |
| xi. Iran | k. Storting |
| xii. Norway | l. Diet |
| xiii. China | m. Sonesed |
| xiv. Israel | n. Knesset |
| xv. Germany | o. Bundestag |

D. Answer any seven questions:

5x6=30

- 1. Who was the famous British architect who designed the president house?**
- 2. Who was VasCo Da Gama? Write few lines about Vasco da Gama?**
- 3. Who was fa- Hien? Write few lines about Fa-Hien?**
- 4. Write five lines on Nitish Kumar (Chief Minister of Bihar)**
- 5. Write five lines of Sachin Tendulkar. (A famous cricketer)**
- 6. Write the few lines on Ram Nath Kovind (President of India)**
- 7. When did the constitution of president house begin?**
- 8. For whom was the president house originally built?**

