

Kline Memorial School of UBS

History & Civics Worksheet/ Questionnaire – Grade 10

(Based on the content taught/learnt prior)

- **Instructions:** i. Write all the answers on a full scape sheet along with the questions.
ii. Every answer to be written in points.
iii. **Read Chp.1 thoroughly and find the answers to the questions given in the exercise (Pg. 22,23).**
iv. Learn the following important dates and events.

- **Important Dates to remember –**
 1. **General Services Enlistment Act** was passed in **1856**.
 2. **Queen’s Proclamation** was made public on **November 1, 1858**.
 3. **Lord Lytton** organized **Grand Delhi Durbar** in **1877**. (Chp. 2)
 4. **Lord Lytton** introduced the **Vernacular Press Act** and **Indian Arms Act** in **1878**. (Chp.2)
 5. **Indian National Congress** founded on **December 28, 1885**. (Chp.2)
 6. **The Rowlatt Act** was passed in **March, 1919**. (Chp. 6)
 7. **The Jallianwala Bagh Tragedy** took place on **April 13, 1919**. (Chp.6)
 8. **Dandi March** began on **12th March,1930** and came to an end on **6th April,1930**. (Chp. 6)

Q1. Short answer questions:

- a.) Name the four ways adopted by the British to expand their political power in India?
- b.) Name two victims to the policy of Doctrine of Lapse.
- c.) What justification did Lord Dalhousie give for the annexation of Awadh?
- d.) Explain: Absentee Sovereignty.
- e.) What is Drain of Wealth?
- f.) How were the peasants economically exploited?
- g.) State any two socio-religious causes for the revolt of 1857.
- h.) What is General Service Enlistment Act?
- i.) State the most significant result of the uprising of 1857
- j.) Name the courts that can issue a writ. (Chp.4 -Civics)

- k.) What is meant by the term writ. (Chp.4-Civics)
- l.) Name the two houses of the Parliament. (Chp.1 – Civics)
- m.) What is the maximum strength of LokSabha and RajyaSabha. (Chp.1 – Civics)
- n.) Name the presiding officers of LokSabha and RajyaSabha. (Chp.1 – Civics)

Q2. Long Answer Questions:

a. With reference to the Revolt of 1857, answer the following questions:

1. Write a note on – i.) Disrespect shown to Bahadur Shah.

ii.) Apprehensions about Modern Innovations.

iii.) Policy of Racial Discrimination.

iv.) Immediate Cause for the Revolt.

v.) Fears regarding Western Education.

vi.) Policy of Expansion.

2. Explain any four economic causes.

3. What were the changes introduced in the **administrative set-up** of the British territories in India? (Hint: Here write the four points given under Consequences –End of Company's Rule.)

4. Write a short note on: Queen Victoria's Proclamation.

5. Picture Study:



Study the picture given above and answer the questions that follow:

- a) Identify the picture. State the event (in the Indian history) with which the picture is associated. Name any one leader who stood in protest against the British in this event.
 - b) Explain **any four causes** that led to a change in the attitude **of these people** towards the British. (Hint: Explain any three military causes).
 - c) State the **changes brought about** post this event, to prevent the reoccurrence of another uprising **by them**. (Hint: Explain the changes in the Army –Pg. 19 write at least 4 complete points.)
6. Explain the Vernacular Press Act and Indian Arms Act. (pg.26, Chp. 2)
7. State the contributions made by Raja Rammohan Roy towards bringing about a change in the Indian society. (Chp.2 pg 26,27)
8. Write short notes on: a.) JallianwalaBagh Tragedy.(Chp.6)
- b.) Dandi March (Chp.6)

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1. With reference to **Lok Sabha** and **Rajya Sabha**, explain the following:

a) Term of both Houses.(Write full para in points –pg. 165 and 170

b) Composition of both Houses.

2. Explain all the five writs given on page 204. (write full para)
