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Time: 3 Hours

Weightage: 30

Part A (Short Answer Questions)

*Answer any **eight** questions.*

Weight 1 each.

1. Examine the reasons for the decline of Dutch rule in Kerala.
2. Examine the factors that led to the formation of Travancore-Cochin State.
3. What is the significance of the Royal Proclamation of 1859?
4. Examine the reasons for the emergence of Abstention Movement.
5. Explain the role of religious pressure groups in the political decision-making of Kerala.
6. Do you think that decentralisation programmes led to the inclusion of women in the development processes?
7. Describe about Public Education Protection Mission
8. Identify some criticisms for Kudumbashree programme
9. Evaluate the problems of women in Kerala.
10. Write a short note on Chaliyar Agitation.

(8×1=8 weightage)

Part B (Short Essay/Problems)

*Answer any **six** questions.*

Weight 2 each.

11. Explain the role of caste in the society of Kerala.





12. Evaluate the role of Poikayil Appachan in empowering Dalits.
13. Examine the role of Dr.Palpu in the preparation of Second Ezhava Memorial.
14. Analyse the importance of Guruvayoor satyagraha in the history of national movement in Kerala.
15. Assess the performance of the first Communist government in Kerala.
16. Write a note on the electoral process in Kerala.
17. Describe the positive social development indicators in Kerala
18. Discuss the major types of Dalits movements in Kerala.

(6×2=12 weightage)

Part C (Essay Type Questions)

*Answer any **two** questions.*

Weight 5 each.

19. Bring out the significance of social reform movements in Kerala.
20. Examine the contributions of Peasant Movement towards the political mobilisation of Kerala.
21. Discuss the emergence of Political parties in Kerala.
22. How lockdown affected the migrant workers in Kerala? Explain the state initiatives to support migrants labours of Kerala

(2×5=10 weightage)

