

Mid-West University
Examinations Management Office
Birendranagar, Surkhet
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Subject: SOC 433/333 – Economic History of Nepal

FM:60

Level/program: Bachelor (B.A) Semester: III Time: 3 Hours

PM: 30

Candidates are required to answer the questions in their own words as far as practicable.

Attempt ALL of the Following Very Short Answer Questions.

10x1=10

1. Clarify the meaning of taxation.
2. What is land right?
3. Write two objectives of land reform of Nepal.
4. What is slavery?
5. What do you mean by Kipat land?
6. When was land reform introduced in Nepal?
7. and were two powerful states north and south of the Kathmandu valley.
8. Define peasantry.
9. Who is known as tenant?
10. Write the name of the three kingdoms of the Kathmandu valley.

Attempt any THREE of the Following Short Questions.

3x8=24

11. Discuss the political division of Nepal before unification.
12. Why did Nepal face financial problems after the Nepal British war?
13. What is forced labour? Why did it become widespread after Nepal-British war?
14. Highlight the condition of trade and commerce of Nepal in the process of unification.

Attempt any TWO of the Following Long Questions.

2x13 =26

15. Define political unification. Discuss the factors behind political unification.
16. Write an essay on politics of land reform in Nepal and discuss the challenges faced in land reform.
17. How did state land policies influence agrarian condition? Justify your arguments.