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**INDIA STUDIES**

**0447/01**

Paper 1 Core Themes

**May/June 2018**

**2 hours**

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

No Additional Materials are required.

**READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST**

Write your Centre number, candidate number and name in the boxes above.

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Answer **three** questions. Answer in the spaces provided.

You are advised to spend equal time in answering each of the three questions.

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The total mark for this paper is 75. The number of marks is given in brackets [ ] at the end of each question or part question.

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Answer **three** questions

**1 This question is about India and Democracy.**

**(a)** This question tests your **knowledge**.

Identify **four** factors which allowed the Janata Dal Party led coalition to win the November 1989 general elections.

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**(b)** This question tests your **understanding**.

Explain how caste-based problems have affected India since 1989.

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**2 This question is about India’s Economic Development.**

**(a)** This question tests your **knowledge**.

Identify **four** types of foreign direct investments in India since 1991.

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**(b)** This question tests your **understanding**.

Explain the importance of privatisation for India since 1991.

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**3 This question is about Social and Cultural Developments within Indian Society.**

**(a)** This question tests your **knowledge**.

Identify **four** problems faced by tribal groups since 1984.

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**(b)** This question tests your **understanding**.

Explain why violence against females is still an important issue in India.

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**4 This question is about India and the World.**

**(a)** This question tests your **knowledge**.

Identify **four** issues that have affected relations between India and China since 1989.

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**(b)** This question tests your **understanding**.

Explain why India carried out nuclear tests in 1998.

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