Unit 5 - Week 03: Aurobindo Ghosh

Assignment 03

The due date for submitting this assignment has passed. As per your course guidelines, you are not allowed to submit this assignment.

1. Which one among the following sentences is not correct about Aurobindo's political thought? (1 point)
   - For Aurobindo, patriotism is the mother which he envisioned as divine
   - For him, the struggle for nation and national sovereignty is not just about obtaining political freedom
   - He distinctly believes in the attainment of a spiritual life or self
   - His engagement with socialism or other revolutionary political activities was guided by his understanding of nation as a mother
   - No, the answer is incorrect.
   - Accepted Answers:
     - A.

2. Which one among the following events is not listed as the events which Aurobindo was involved in? (1 point)
   - Alipore bomb case
   - Jalalabad (Bagh) massacre
   - Non-cooperation movement
   - Quit India movement
   - No, the answer is incorrect.
   - Accepted Answers:
     - C.

3. During the freedom struggle in India, Aurobindo was associated with which one of the following groups? (1 point)
   - Moderate section of the Congress
   - Communal section of the Congress
   - Congress party
   - Satyagraha movement of Gandhi
   - No, the answer is incorrect.
   - Accepted Answers:
     - A.

4. Which one among the following is not correct about Aurobindo? (1 point)
   - The ideal of Human Unity
   - Ghatuf
   - Hind Swaraj
   - Swadeshi
   - No, the answer is incorrect.
   - Accepted Answers:
     - B.

5. Which one among the following statements is not correct about Aurobindo’s thought on self? (1 point)
   - Gita is a gospel in all changes and is a self of the self
   - There is only one self which pervades everyone
   - The soul in each self is the portion of universal divinity which he calls ‘atman’ or ‘superman’ being
   - For him, the self is the individual life is the unison development of his ajnaat and anatman on emotional cravings
   - No, the answer is incorrect.
   - Accepted Answers:
     - D.

6. Which one among the following lines is not correct about Aurobindo? (1 point)
   - Gita is a gospel in all changes and is a self of the self
   - There is only one self which pervades everyone
   - For him, the self is the individual life is the unison development of his ajnaat and anatman on emotional cravings
   - No, the answer is incorrect.
   - Accepted Answers:
     - E.

7. Which one among the following sentences is not correct about Aurobindo’s views on nationalism? (1 point)
   - Aurobindo envisioned a nationhood merely as a political programme
   - He had a religious conception of nationalism
   - He believed that nationalism is a religious effort to god and urged that god is the moral to nationalism
   - He believed that nationhood can contribute to the larger human unity
   - No, the answer is incorrect.
   - Accepted Answers:
     - B.

8. Which one among the following sentences is not correct about Aurobindo’s views on Gita? (1 point)
   - He agreed that the text should not be understood in its metaphysical connotations of ancient times
   - He agreed that Gita should be understood in its revealed relevance of living things (not it contains)
   - His interpretations or essays on Gita was born from the interaction of revering the past
   - He did not believe that Gita could be a way to discover the future
   - No, the answer is incorrect.
   - Accepted Answers:
     - A.

9. Which one among the following characteristics is not represented by Sita as described by Aurobindo? (1 point)
   - Share of ignominy
   - The will to live
   - The will to discover the truth of oneself and the world
   - Cheerfulness
   - No, the answer is incorrect.
   - Accepted Answers:
     - C.

10. Which one among the following statements is not correct about Aurobindo? (1 point)
    - He did not believe that Gita could be a way to discover the future
    - He agreed that the text should not be understood in its metaphysical connotations of ancient times
    - His interpretations or essays on Gita was born from the interaction of revering the past
    - He did not believe that Gita could be a way to discover the future
    - No, the answer is incorrect.
    - Accepted Answers:
      - D.

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