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Class: VII	Department: Social Science	
Worksheet No:16	Topic: Struggles for Equality (Civics)	Year: 2021-22

1	Multiple Choice Questions: -
1	Which one of the following makes people of India as equal? a) Religion b) Caste c) Vote d) None of these
2	The TMS was formed in the state of a) Utter Pradesh b) Madhya Pradesh c) Rajasthan d) Tamil Nadu
3	What is the central principle of Indian Democracy? a) religion b) equality c) discrimination d) none of these
4	Ansaris were not getting a flat on rent because of a) caste b) money c) religion d) all of these
II	Fill in the blanks: -
5	Indian Constitution recognizes that all Indians as <u>equal</u> before the law.
6	The work of building the Tawa dam was started in the year 1958 .
7	The fish from the fishermen was bought at a fair price by the Cooperative .
8	Tawa Matsya Sangh demanded their right to continue fishing for their livelihood.
III	State whether the given statements are true or false: -
9	Poverty and lack of resources are the reasons of inequality in lives of people. a) True b) False
10	In 1994, the government gave the right for fishing in Tawa reservoir to locals. a) True b) False
11	Increasing privatization of health services have made easy for poor people to get good quality health care. a) True b) False
12	Tawa Matsya Sangh is a federation of Fisher worker's cooperatives. a) True b) False
IV	Very Short Answer Type Questions: -
13	Why some people are well known and respected in some societies? Because they treat all persons with dignity.
14	Which communities face discrimination in India? Minorities, women, dalits and adivasis face discrimination.
15	What is the provision in our Constitution for equality? The Indian constitution recognizes all Indians as equal before the law and states. No person can be discriminated on any ground.
16	Why people are treated unequally in India? People are treated unequally mainly on the basis of person's religion, caste and sex.
V	Answer in details: -
17	How were the forest dwellers of the Satpura forest in Madhya Pradesh affected by the building of

	<p>Tawa dam? The Tawa dam began to be built in the year 1958 and it took 20 years to complete. The dam submerged large areas of forest and agricultural land. The forest dwellers were left with nothing. Some of the displaced people settled around the reservoir and began fishing for the livelihood. But their income was very little.</p>
18	<p>How do Tawa Matsya Sangh helped the people after their struggle?</p> <p>With the TMS taking over the fish workers were able to increase their earnings substantially. This was because;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• They set up the cooperative which would buy the catch from them at a fair price.• The cooperative would then arrange to transport and sell this in markets where they would get a good price.• They have now begun to earn three times more than they earned earlier.• The TMS has also begun giving the fish workers loans for repair and the buying of new nets.• By managing to earn a higher wage as well as preserving the fish in the reservoir, the TMS has shown that when people's organisations get their rights to livelihood, they can be good managers.