

Practice Assignment -2

Subject -Social Science

Class -7th

Q1 The Earth is dynamic in nature. Weathering is the breaking up of the rocks on Earth's surface. A number of factors like heat, cold, frost, chemical reactions and work of plants and animals help in weathering. Running water is perhaps the most powerful agent of erosion. Rain causes some water to flow in small streams so it can be joined together to form a river.

(i)What is meant by Erosion?

(ii)_____ is a term used for a place from where the river originates.

(iii)Where is Chilika lake located in India?

(iv)Write only one work of wind.

Q2 Grasslands make up almost a quarter of the total land surface. The types of plants that grow here greatly depend on what the climate and soil are like. The temperate grasslands of North America are known as Prairies. These are located in the USA and Canada. They stretch between 40 degree N and 55 degree N.

(i)Write only one salient feature of natural vegetation of Prairies grassland.

(ii)The most important crop of Prairies is _____.

(iii)What is meant by Chinook?

(iv)Which season is best suited for growing wheat in Canada?

Q3 Identify the animal domesticated for its wool.

(a)Merino

(b)Mohair

(c)Angora goats

(d) Savana

Q4 Besides agriculture, other economic activities in Ladakh are_____.

(a) Trading and Tourism

(b) Cattle rearing

(c) Both (a) and (b)

(d) None of the above

Q5 There are two statements marked as Assertion (A) and Reason (R).

(i) Assertion (A) The tree of date palm is considered valuable in Sahara desert.

Reason (R) Nomadic tribes are found in Sahara.

(ii) Assertion (A) Leh and Kargil are two districts into which Ladakh was divided in 1979.

Reason (R) Pangong Tso is a lake in Ladakh which also extends into China.

(a) Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A.

(b) Both A and R are true, but R is not the correct explanation of A.

(c) A is true, but R is false.

(d) A is false, but R is true.

Q6 Answer the following questions:-

(i) How are the Sand dunes and Sea cliffs formed?

(ii) Discuss the upper most layer of the atmosphere.

(iii) Define the location of Amazon river.

(iv) Distinguish between the climate of Prairies and Velds.

(v) Where does Ladakh mean? Where is Ladakh situated?

(vi)What are the advantages that support agriculture in the Ganga-Brahmaputra basin?

(vii)Why is Johannesburg regarded as the gold capital?

Q7 Identify this image.



(a)Contour Ploughing

(b)Step Ploughing

(c)Natural Ploughing

(d)Climate Ploughing