



GEOGRAPHY CLASS XI (SET-2)

TIME -3hrs

M.M.-70

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1) There are 26 questions in all.
- 2) All the questions are compulsory.
- 3) Question no. 1 to 10 are very short answer questions of one mark each. Answer to these should not exceed 30 words.
- 4) Question no. 11 to 20 are short answer questions of 3 marks each. Answer to these questions should not exceed 80 words.
- 5) Question no. 21 to 25 are long answer questions of 5 marks each. Answer to these should not exceed 150 words.

- Q1 What are the implications of India having a long coastline? (1)
- Q2 Why is 82° 30' E taken as the standard meridian of India? (1)
- Q3 What do you mean by greenhouse gases? (1)
- Q4 What are sea waves? (1)
- Q5 Name the two rivers which flow through rift valleys. (1)
- Q6 Give any two causes for the depletion of wildlife in India. (1)
- Q7 What is loo? (1)
- Q8 Name the highest peak of the Himalayas in India. (1)
- Q9 What is the difference between a hazard & a disaster? (1)
- Q10 How is it that the lowest temperatures at the tropopause are vertically over the Equator rather over the poles? (1)
- Q11 Distinguish between systematic & regional approaches to study Geography. (3)
- Q12 Discuss the three stages of formation of planets. (3)
- Q13 With the help of a diagram explain the following features of the ocean floor:
a) Continental shelf b) submarine trenches c) guyots (3)
- Q14 Define the following terms:
a) Ecosystem b) vulnerable species c) hotspots (3)



Q15(a) With the help of a diagram explain dendritic pattern of drainage.

(b) What do you mean by drainage basin? (3)

Q16 Discuss any six important characteristics of Tropical Evergreen forests. (3)

Q17 Distinguish between the two island groups of India. (3)

Q18 With the help of diagrams explain the following:

a) sea cliff b) mushroom rock (3)

Q19a) Discuss the three stages of disaster mitigation & management.

b) What values would you display while helping people during any disaster? (3)

Q20 Distinguish between P-Waves & S-Waves (3)

Q21 Discuss the cold weather season under the following:

i) Months ii) Temperature conditions iii) Pressure conditions iv) Winds v) precipitation (5)

Q22 i) Draw a well labelled diagram of Heat Budget of the Earth.

ii) How does hailstorm take place? (3+2)

Q23 i) Discuss the types of droughts on the basis of their cause, nature & characteristics.

ii) Give any two causes of floods due to human activities. (4+1)

Q24 i) Discuss the Himachal & Uttarakhand Himalayas under the following headings:

a) Important rivers b) Important ranges c) Important Duns

ii) Distinguish between khaddar & bhangar (3+2)

Q25 Study the diagram given below and answer the following questions:

i) Name the pressure belts marked as C & D.

ii) How is pressure belt B formed?

iii) Name the winds which blow between pressure belts A & B. What is their direction in the southern hemisphere?

iv) Name the cell marked as Y.

v) What is a cell? (5)



Q26a) On an outline map of India mark the following using appropriate symbols:

i) Chotanagpur plateau

ii) River Indus

iii) Nanda Devi Biosphere reserve

iv) Region of Black soils

v) Palk Strait

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