

Quarterly Examination 2018-2019

Geography

Class : VIII

Time : 2 hrs.+15 Mins.

Full Marks : 80

Attempt all the questions :—






Section A

[10 marks]

1. On an outline map of Asia. mark and label the following features.

River - Ob, Tigris, Huang He, Persian Gulf Caspian sea.
Sea of Japan,
Arctic Ocean, Pacific Ocean
Aral sea, Ural mountains.

2. Identify the following conventional symbols : [5]

(a)  ,  ,  ,  , 
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3. Fill in the blanks :— [5]

- a) Urban areas generally have a _____ population density.
- b) Asia has some of the world's busiest cities such as _____.
- c) There are _____ Independent countries in Asia.
- d) A resource is something that a country, an individual can _____.
- e) All governments should ensure that people get _____ food to stay healthy.

{Turn Over}

3. Name the followings :— [10]

- a) Human resource includes two types of workers —
- b) Two chief occupation of the people in rural areas —
- c) Any two important mountain peaks of the Himalayas —
- d) Any two factors which have led to a decline in death rate in India.
- e) Two great river valleys or basins of Asia —

Section B

[6x2=12]

4. a) Why did major civilizations developed along the river valleys of Asia ? Give 2 reasons.
- b) How are mountains useful to us ?
- c) Name any four countries which are together called "South Asian" countries.
- d) Name the rivers which constitute the great Siberian plain ? In which ocean do they drain.
- e) What are intermontane plateaus ? Give one example.
- f) Which are the important passes in the Himalayas ? How are they useful ?

[6x2=12]

5. a) What do you mean by the term Human resources ?
- b) How is education important for the development of Human resource of a country ? Give two reasons to support your view.
- c) Define : manpower and sex ratio.
- d) Differentiation between skilled and unskilled human resources.

- e) Name the factors which affect the distribution of population in India.
- f) Why is population migrating from Rural areas to Urban areas. Give two reasons.

[2x7=14]

6. a) What do you understand by the term demographic structure ?
- b) Mention any four causes of over population.
- c) What doe the term "working population" mean ?
- d) What are the negative effects of under population ?
- e) Define :- Birth rate and Death rate.
- f) Distinguish between :- immigration and emigration.
- g) Which areas in India are thickly populated Name any two areas.

[2x6=12]

7. a) Mention two factors which have led to population growth in developed countries.
- b) Mention any four problems faced in India due to over population.
- c) Name the capital cities of the following countries - Afghanistan, Indonesia, Russia, Nepal
- d) What is the latitudinal extent of Asia ? What is the time difference between the eastern and Western ends of Asia.
- e) Mention any two states each in India which are thinly populated and thickly populated.
- f) What is the sex ratio in Haryana ? Why is it low.

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