

Model- Paper 2023-24

Subject-Geography

Class-12

Time: 3hrs and 15 min

Max. Mark: 70

Note- First 15 minutes are given to the student for reading paper.

Instructions:

- (1) All questions are compulsory.**
- (2) Question No. 1 to 8 are multiple-choice questions.**
- (3) Question No. 9 to 16 are very short answer type questions.**
- (4) Question No. 17 to 22 are short answer type questions.**
- (5) Question No. 23 to 24 are long questions.**
- (6) Question No. 25 to 26 are related to the map.**
- (7) Support your answers with appropriate lines, maps and diagrams.**

(Multiple Choice Questions)

Choose the correct option for the following questions and write in your answer sheet.

- (1) The concept of human development is a contribution of which of the following scholars? 1
 - A. Prof. Amartya Sen
 - B. Dr. Mehbub-Ul-Haq
 - C. Ellen C. Semple
 - D. Ratzel
- (2) Which of the following countries, cooperative agriculture was successfully tested? 1
 - A. Russia
 - B. Denmark
 - C. India
 - D. Netherland
- (3) Which one of the following waterways is located in the Gulf of Mexico? 1
 - (A) Great Lakes Waterway
 - (B) Volga Waterway
 - (C) Danube Waterway
 - (D)Mississippi Waterway
- (4) Which of the following is not a tertiary activity. 1
 - (i) Entertainment Services (ii) Sugar production (iii) Confectionery work (iv) Buying and selling of movable and immovable property

Answer option

- (A)(i), (iii) and (iv)
- (B) (ii) and (iv)
- (C) only (ii)
- (D) All of the above

- (5) In extensive commercial grain cultivation 1
- (A) Per capita production is low
 - (B) Per capita production is higher
 - (C) Farms are smaller in size
 - (D) Agricultural land is less and population is more.

- (6) Which port is not on the east coast of India. 1
- (i) Mumbai (ii) Mormugao (iii) Chennai (IV) Tuticorin
- (A) (i) and (ii)
 - (B) (ii) and (iii)
 - (C) (ii) and (IV)
 - (D) (iii) and (IV)

- (7) The first nuclear station was established at which of the following locations? 1
- (A) Kalpakkam
 - (B) Narora
 - (C) Rana Pratap sagar
 - (D) Tarapur

- (8) A statements and a reasons are given below choose the correct option. 1

Statement - Alluvial soil is useful for crops of paddy, wheat, mango and common pulses crop.

Reason - Alluvial soil is famous for tight moisture

- (A) The statement is correct.
- (B) The reason is correct.
- (C) Both statement and reason are correct and the Reason explains the statement appropriately.
- (D) Both statement and reason are correct but reason does not explain the statement properly.

Very Short Answer Type Question

- (9) Define human geography in words of Ratzel? 2
- (10) Why is demographic transition theory used? 2
- (11) Name of the four major components of human development. 2
- (12) What is Quinary activity? 2
- (13) Into how many types the Indian population is divided from an economic perspective? 2
- (14) In which of the southern Indian states is the use of groundwater more than the total groundwater potential? Write two reasons. 1+1

(15) What are the types of isolated settlement? In which state of India are they found. 1+1

(16) Write any two differences between metallic and nonmetallic minerals? 1+1

Short Answer Type Questions

(17) Gives reason for why 90% of the world's population lives in only 10% of the area. 4

(18) Why is it harmful for a country to have a negative balance of payments? 4

(19) Why is market vegetable farming done near urban areas? 4

(20) Write the names of the four methods to improve the availability of freshwater? 1+1+1+1

(21) What are the unconventional sources of energy? Write about any two. 2+2

(22) Define the concept of sustainable development? 4

Long Answer Type Questions

(23) How are ports helpful in trade? Classify ports on the basis of their location. 3+3

OR

Explain the concept of human naturalization. 6

(24) What are the environmental problems associated with the land resources in India? Write solutions to the problem. 3+3

OR

What important commodities are imported into India? Describe the changing nature of India's international trade. 2+4

(25) In the given outline map of India, indicate the following with appropriate symbols and write their names.

1. India's most populated state. $\frac{1}{2}+\frac{1}{2}$

2. A river flowing from east to west $\frac{1}{2}+\frac{1}{2}$

3. A major copper field in Madhya Pradesh. $\frac{1}{2}+\frac{1}{2}$

4. Gujarat's largest metropolitan city. $\frac{1}{2}+\frac{1}{2}$

5. Major nuclear power centre of Uttar Pradesh $\frac{1}{2}+\frac{1}{2}$

(In place of Q. no 25. Only for visually impaired candidates)

1. Write the name of most populated state of India. 1

2. Write the name of a river flowing from east to west. 1

3. Write the name of a major copper field in Madhya Pradesh. 1

4. Write the name of Gujarat's largest metropolitan city. 1

5. Write the name of main nuclear power centre of Uttar Pradesh 1

(26) In the given outline map of the world, indicate the following with appropriate symbols and write their names:

1. The least populated country in Asia 1/2+1/2
2. The largest country in North America (in terms of area) 1/2+1/2
3. Write the name of the largest city of Japan 1/2+1/2
4. Name of the canal that connects the Atlantic Ocean to the Pacific Ocean. 1/2+1/2
5. Name any two countries connecting to Rhine river waterways. 1/2+1/2

(In place of Q. no 26. Only for visually impaired candidates)

1. The least populated country in Asia 1
2. The largest country in North America (in term of area) 1
3. Write the name of the largest city of Japan 1
4. Name of the canal that connects the Atlantic Ocean to the Pacific Ocean. 1
5. Name any two countries connecting to Rhine river waterways. 1