



CHAPTER-1

WORKSHEET

Resources and development

1. Examine the three major problems created as a result of indiscriminate utilization of natural resources.
2. “Indiscriminate use of natural resources has led to numerous problems”. Justify the statement.
3. How can you contribute to minimize the pollution? Explain.
4. “Land is a natural resource of utmost importance”. Justify the statement with appropriate arguments.
5. “In India, some regions are rich in certain types of resources but deficient in some other resources”.
Explain with examples.
6. Mention any two human activities which are responsible for the process of soil erosion. Explain the two types of soil erosion mostly observed in India.
7. “Indiscriminate use of resources has led to numerous problems”. Justify the statement.
8. Suggest measures to solve the problems of land degradation in India.
9. Explain the types of resources on the basis of exhaustibility and ownership.
10. Explain the importance of conservation of resources.
11. Give the importance of soil. Explain three factors responsible for soil formation.

Map Skills:

Locate and label the following on the political map of India:

- a) Regions cover under Alluvial Soil
- b) Regions cover under Laterite soil
- c) Regions cover under Black Soil
- d) Regions cover under Yellow or Red Soil.
- e) Regions cover under Mountainous soil.