

SENIOR SECONDARY COURSE GEOGRAPHY

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Students Assignment - 6A

Maximum Marks : 50

Time : 1½ hours

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer all the questions on a separate sheet of paper.
Give the following information on your answer sheet:

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1. In what three different ways was the old barter system more difficult than the modern Trade? 3x1 =3
2. Which three man-made factors were responsible for promoting territorial specialisation of crops at world level? 3x1 =3
3. Why was man called the first beast of burden? Give three reasons in support of your answer. 3x1 =3
4. Give three examples to show how even the so-called illiterate hillmen make the best possible use of the land they are confounded with. 3x1 =3
5. How did the moon help man to develop the earliest calendar? Give three examples in explaining your answer. 3x1 =3
6. State four major objectives of teaching geography at school level. 4x1 =4

7. Narrate very briefly with one suitable examples of each how travelogue and story telling methods can be used in teaching geography at the primary school level. 2+2 =4
8. Name cardinal directions and sub-directions. How will you find out directions during (a) day and (b) night times? 2+2 =4
9. State the oldest physical division of India. Give in brief an account of its (a) Soils, (b) Kharif cereal crops and (c) Major mineral deposits. 1+3 =4
10. Which are the two major modes of land transport ? State limitations of air, water and rail transport. 1+3 =4
11. Explain how best you can make use of the following :
 (a) a globe (b) a map, (c) a model, (d) a wall-picture or a chart, (e) a scrapbook by taking a specific example in each case, from the geography syllabus at primary school level. 5x1 =5
12. Classify the following concepts diagrammatically :
 (1) Day and night, (b) Identification of points representing Noon and Mid-night, (c) Cardinal Directions, (d) Sub-directions shown on the dial of a Magnetic Compass; and (e) Graphical Scale on the map. 5x1 =5
13. Prepare a small brief for three students dramatizing the role of :
 (1) A Northern Mountain Region, (2) Northern Plains (3) Peninsular Plateau respectively each one trying to convince others how he or she is indispensable to each one of them. 5