



विद्या सर्वार्थ साधिका

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Periodic Test-1

Class: XII

Subject : Geography

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General Instructions:

- i. This Question paper is divided into three sections-Sections A, B, C.
- ii. All questions are compulsory.
- iii. Section-A: Question no. 1 to 8 are Multiple Choice questions of 1 marks each.
- iv. Section-B: Question no. 9 to 12 are short answer type questions, carrying 3 marks each. Answer to each question should not exceed 80 words.
- v. Section-C: Question no. 13 and 16 are long answer type questions, carrying 5 marks each. Answer to each question should not exceed 150 words.

SECTION-A

1. The study of Population Geography is called_____. (1)
(A) Anthropology (B) Demography
(C) Sociology (D) Economics
2. Ratzel defined Human Geography as_____ (1)
(A) Synthetic study of relationship (B) Dynamism in the relationship
(C) Interrelationship of Earth and Humans (D) Relationship of Earth and Technology
3. Surpreet is a main worker as he works for : (1)
(A) Atleast 183 days in a year (B) Atleast 175 days in a year
(C) Less than 183 days in a year (D) Less than 180 days in a year
4. “Ranganath migrated from Appaikonda village to Gajuwaka town for earning his livelihood better”. Identify the correct form of migration and factor: (1)
(A) Rural to Urban due to a push factor (B) Urban to rural due to a push factor
(C) Rural to Urban due to a pull factor. (D) Urban to rural due to a pull factor
5. Which one of the following is Physiological density? (1)
(A) Total population/net cultivated area (B) Total agricultural population/net area
(C) Total population/total area (D) Total area/total agricultural population
6. Identify the correct combinations from the options: (1)
Name of the Language Family Percentage Distribution of Population
1. Austric (Nishada) a) 73%
2. Dravidian (Dravida) b) 0.85%
3. Sino-Tibetan (Kirata) c) 1.38%
4. Indo –European (Aryan) d) 20%
Options:
(A) 1-d), 2-a), 3-c), 4-b) (B) 1-a), 2-b), 3-d), 4-c)
(C). 1-c), 2-d), 3-b), 4-a) (D) 1-b), 2-d), 3-c), 4-a)

7. Sunil has migrated from Devpur village to the nearby city. Choose the most appropriate pull factor from the given options, which might have been the cause of Sunil's migration: (1)
- (A) Sunil's father's farm house needs a supervisor in Devpur village.
- (B) Sunil being a qualified engineer got a suitable job in the city.
- (C) Disguised unemployment in agricultural sector is a common feature in Devpur village.
- (D) Epidemic in Devpur village pushes the village people out.
8. Two statements are given in the question below as Assertion and Reasoning. Read the statements and choose the appropriate option. (1)
- Assertion: "Developed countries take more time to double their population as compared to developing countries."
- Reason: "The growth rate of population is high in developed countries as compared to developing countries."
- (A) Both Assertion and Reason are true, and Reason is the correct explanation of Assertion.
- (B) Both Assertion and Reason are true, but Reason is not the correct explanation of Assertion.
- (C) Assertion is true but Reason is false.
- (D) Assertion is false but Reason is true.

SECTION-B

9. Analyze the view of Welfare, Radical and Behavioral school of thoughts respectively. (3)
10. "The neo-determinism conceptually attempts to bring a balance nullifying the 'either' 'or' dichotomy". (3)
- (a) Justify the statement by giving any two examples of human activities, which balance environmental determinism and possibilism following a middle path.
- (b) Name the Geographer, who has introduced the concept of neo-determinism.
11. "An important aspect of population growth in India is the growth of its adolescents. At present the share of adolescents i.e., up to the age group of 10-19 years is about 20.9 per cent (2011), The adolescent population, though, regarded as the youthful population having high potentials, but at the same time they are quite vulnerable if not guided and channelized properly. There are many challenges for the society as far as these adolescents are concerned". (3)
- (a) Do you think that society faces many challenges as far as adolescents are concerned? If yes, discuss any three major challenges.
- (b) Write any three measures that can help to channelize the youthful population of India having high potentials in the correct direction.
12. Explain the main point of view of Thomas Malthus in terms of preventive checks on population growth and increasing food supply in order to maintain the sustainability of our resources in a nation. (Write any three points) (3)

SECTION-C

13. Name and explain any three Geographical factors and any two economic factors that influence the distribution of population of the world. (5)
14. Write the significance of the year 1921 as population divide. Write any two characteristic features of the population growth of India from "1901-1921" and "1921-1951" respectively. (5)
15. (a) "There is a direct dependence of human beings on nature for resources which sustain them". Justify the statement in the light of environmental determinism. (Explain two points) (5)
- (b) Define "human geography". Mention any four fields of "human geography".
16. Explain the three-staged model of Demographic Transition Theory with a diagram. (5)