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THEME A - INDIA AND THE WORLD : LAND AND THE PEOPLE

CHAPTER 1 - LOCATING PLACES ON THE EARTH

I. ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS :

1. What is a globe ?

Ans :

A globe is a three-dimensional representation of the Earth. A globe is a replica of the Earth, showing the actual shape of the Earth. It also shows the relative size, and shape of continents, oceans, countries and more.

2. Define scale.

Ans :

A scale refers to the relationship between the distance on a map and the corresponding distance on the ground.

3. Differentiate between lines of latitudes and longitudes.

Ans :

LINES OF LATITUDES

* The lines that circle Earth's surface, running east and west parallel to the Equator and joining equal latitudes, are called lines of latitude.

LINES OF LONGITUDES

* Lines of longitude, also called meridians, are imaginary lines that divide the Earth. They run from north to south, from pole to pole, but they measure the distance east to west.

4. Why is the meridian passing through Prayagraj selected as the Standard Meridian of India.

Ans :

In India, the longitude $82^{\circ}30'E$ passing near Prayagraj (Allahabad) is situated almost at the centre of the country. So, it has been selected as the Standard Meridian of our country.

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THEME B - TAPESTRY OF THE PAST
CHAPTER 4 - TIMELINE AND SOURCES OF HISTORY

I ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS

1. Name the two sources of history.

SOURCES OF HISTORY

1. Archaeological Sources

2. Literary Sources

2. What is the difference between a millennium and a century?

Ans :

MILLENNIUM

* A millennium is a period of 1000 years.

CENTURY

* A century is a period of 100 years.

3. How is BCE different from CE in terms of historical dating?

Ans :

BCE

* BCE is referred as Before Common Era

* Years are counted backward in BCE

CE

* CE is referred as Common Era

* Years are counted forward in CE

4. What does the term "domestication" mean? Name two animals that were domesticated.

Ans :

Domestication began 12,000 years ago. In this process people grow plants and look after animals. Two animals that

were domesticated are - Sheep and goats.

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THEME - OUR CULTURAL HERITAGE AND KNOWLEDGE TRADITION
CHAPTER - 7 INDIA'S CULTURAL ROOTS

I. ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:-

1. Differentiate between the Hinayana Sect and the Mahayana Sect?

HINAYANA

Followed Buddha's teachings only did not idolise him.

MAHAYANA

Believed the Buddha was an incarnation of God. They started worshipping him in the form of idols and bodhisattvas.

2. What are the three jewels of Jainism?
These three jewels are:-

1. Right faith
2. Right knowledge and
3. Right Action.

3. Name the four vedas?

Four vedas

1. The Rigveda
2. The Yajurveda
3. The Sama Veda and
4. The Atharva Veda



4. What is the Eightfold Path in Buddhism?
The Eightfold path

1. Right belief
2. Right Speech
3. Right Livelihood
4. Right memory
5. Right Thought
6. Right Action
7. Right effort
8. Right Meditation.