

MONTH: AUGUST

CLASS: VI

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

TOPIC - OCEANS AND CONTINENTS

I. ANSWER THE FOLLOWING:

1. Why does the Earth appear blue from space?

Sunlight falls on the surface of the earth and both the land and oceans reflect light.

Oceans reflect blue light and the fact that the Earth appears blue indicates that most of its surface is covered by oceans.

2. Differentiate between a sea and bay.

SEA	BAY
A sea is a body of salty water.	A Bay is a salt water body
It covers a large part of the surface	It is smaller than a sea
It is smaller than an ocean.	It is surrounded on three sides by land.

3. State any two positive effects of oceans.

1. They moderate the climate of the region
2. They are rich source of marine food and salt, they hold huge reserves of minerals.



4. Define Continents? How many Continents are there?

A large continuous landmass is referred to as a Continent.

The Seven major Continents are there.

They are

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| 1. Asia | 5. Antarctica |
| 2. Africa | 6. Europe |
| 3. North America | 7. Australia |
| 4. South America | |

5. List the Main type of Islands.

The Main types of Islands are.

1. Tidal Islands
2. Barrier Islands
3. Oceanic Islands
4. Coral Islands
5. Artificial Islands

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THEME-D - GOVERNANCE AND DEMOCRACY

TOPIC: GRASS ROOTS DEMOCRACY - Part- 1

GOVERNANCE

I ANSWER THE FOLLOWING:

1. Define Government:

The Group of Individuals or the System that forms and enforces rule is called a Governance.

2. Name the three Organs of the Government:

There are three Organs of the Government

They are

1. Legislature - Makes the laws.

2. Executive - Implements the laws.

3. Judiciary - Interprets the laws.

3) How did Abraham Lincoln define Democracy?

Abraham Lincoln defined democracy as
"A Government of the people, by the people and for the people."

4) Distinguish between direct democracy and indirect democracy.

<u>Direct Democracy</u>	<u>Indirect Democracy</u>
Everyone's opinion is considered in decision making.	Selected representatives of the states make the decisions.

5. Compare the legislative powers of the central and state governments with reference to the three lists.

<u>Union List</u>	<u>State List</u>	<u>Concurrent List</u>
The list of subjects on which the National Government	The list of powers pertaining to state Government	Both Governments can make laws on subjects contained in the concurrent list
Ex: Railways Defense	(Ex): health Sanitation	Ex: Education