

City International School

First Summative Assessment 2015 - 2016

Date : 08/10/2015

Std : VII

Subject : Geography

Marks : 60

Time : 1½ hrs

Attempt all questions.

Q. 1 Fill in the blanks. (Do not copy the sentences.) (6)

- a. The highest position of the sun in the sky is called _____.
- b. _____ is the farthest distance of the earth from the sun.
- c. _____ humidity is expressed as a percentage.
- d. _____ is the scientific study of the ocean.
- e. _____ is the highest peak in North America.
- f. During the conversion of water vapour into water, energy is _____.

Q. 2 State whether the statements are True or False. If False, correct the statement. (4)

- a. Each parallel of latitude is a circle.
- b. USA has two time zones.
- c. The highest point of the wave is called the crest.
- d. The Mississippi river is the longest river in the world.

Q. 3 Name the Following. (Do not copy the sentences.) (6)

- a. A process by which water in the form of water vapour is lost from the aerial parts of the plant.
- b. The temperature at which air gets saturated.
- c. The amount of water vapour present in the air.
- d. The up and down movement on the surface of ocean waters.
- e. The characteristic plant of the desert.
- f. The height above which it is too cold and windy for trees to grow.

Q. 4 Define the following terms. (3)

- a. Solstice
- b. Ocean Current
- c. Hibernation

Q. 5 Give geographical reasons for the following.

- a. After every four years we have a leap year. (2)
- b. Sea water is salty or saline in taste. (2)
- c. The local time of a central meridian is taken as the time for the whole of India. (2)

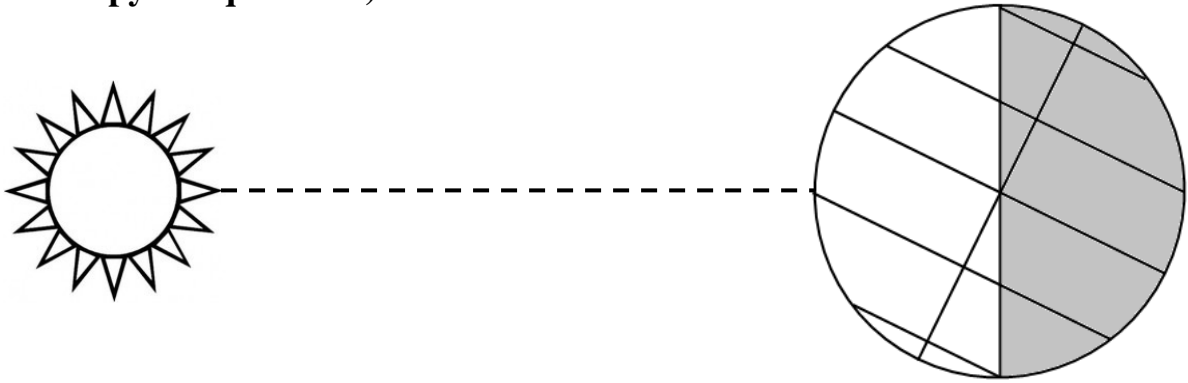
Q. 6 Distinguish between the following.

- a. Latitude and Longitude. (3)
- b. Spring Tide and Neap Tide. (2)
- c. Absolute Humidity and Relative Humidity. (2)

Q. 7 Answer the following. (Any 3) (Do not copy the questions.)

- a. Name and explain the distant phases of seasons. (4)
- b. How does oceans play an important role in the climate of the Earth? (4)
- c. Write any four importance of tides. (4)
- d. Write in detail about the Hot Desert type of climate of North America with reference to location, climate, vegetation and animals. (4)

Q. 8 Observe the diagram and answer the following questions. (6)
(Do not copy the questions)



- a. Which pole is always from the sun?
- b. In which Hemisphere are the nights longer than the days?
- c. Which Hemisphere receives more light?
- d. Which Hemisphere is in complete darkness?
- e. Which season is being experienced in the Southern Hemisphere?
- f. If you are at the South Pole, which day will be colder – June 21 or December 22?

Q. 9 On the outline map of North America provided, mark and label the following. (10)

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| a. Tropic of Cancer | b. Isthmus of Panama |
| c. Cuba | d. Laurentian Plateau |
| e. Lake Michigan | f. Greenland |
| g. Gulf of Alaska | h. Bering Strait |
| i. Bahama | j. Labrador Sea |