

GREENLAWNS HIGH SCHOOL
TERMINAL EXAMINATION YEAR 2020- 2021

SUBJECT : GEOGRAPHY
TIME : 2 HOURS

CLASS : VIII
MARKS : 60

SECTION A

I. Name the following – (7)

1. The largest continuous plain in the world -
2. The combined land mass on Europe and Asia –
3. The highest plateau in the world, also called as the ‘Roof of the world’ -
4. The river that forms the Manchurian plain –
5. Another name for the temperate grasslands in Asia –
6. The year Tel Aviv was declared the best smart city –
7. An archipelago in Asia –

II. State whether the following statements are True or False. (5)

1. Among the first countries to be urbanised were UK and some other European countries.
2. The population of Asia forms two-thirds of the entire population of the world.
3. Asia is separated from North America by the Isthmus of Suez.
5. Mount Godwin Austen is the second highest peak in the world.
6. In the year 2010, the total number of immigrants were 2.3 % of the world population.

III. Match the following columns. (7)

- | A | B |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Southern Plateau | a. River Euphrates |
| 2. Deccan Plateau | b. Ring of Fire |
| 3. Turan Plain | c. Shields |
| 4. Mesopotamian Plain | d. River Mekong |
| 5. Shan Plateau | e. Peninsular Plateau |
| 6. Kuril islands | f. Pacific Ocean |
| 7. The Philippines | g. Amu Darya |

Answers –

- 1- _____ 2- _____ 3- _____ 4 - _____ 5- _____
6 - _____ 7- _____ 8- _____ 9- _____ 10- _____

IV. Give one example for the following – (6)

1. Vegetation found in the Tundra region of Asia-
2. Wildlife found in Manchurian type of climate-

3. Fruits found in the Mediterranean region –
4. Animal found in the tropical regions of India, Sri Lanka and China –
5. Animal found mainly on the Indonesia island –
6. Vegetation found in Mid-latitude Desert –

SECTION B

I. Picture Study: (5)



1. Identify the animal given in the picture.
2. How tall is this animal?
3. In which type of climate is this animal found?
4. Where in Asia is this animal found?
5. Name another animal found in this type of vegetation.

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II. Give geographical reasons: [6]

1. Urbanisation is putting immense pressure on transportation. (2)
2. Asia has extreme temperatures in the interior parts of the continent. (2)
3. In India, migration primarily takes place for better educational opportunities. (2)

III. Differentiate between: (one point each) [6]

1. Immigrant and Emigrant. (2)
2. The Oyashio Current and the Kuroshio Current. (2)

3. Lakshadweep islands and Kuril islands. (2)

IV. Answer the following questions: [8]

1. What is reluctant migration? Give one example of the same. (2)

2. What is Brain Drain? (2)

3. Name any two important criteria to define a smart city? (2)

4. State any two pull factors of Urbanisation. (2)

V. Observe the political map of Asia given below and name the following according to the numbers given on your composition sheet:

[10]

A] Countries:

(5)

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

B] Water Bodies:

(5)

6.

7.

8.

9.

10.

