

GREENLAWNS SCHOOL, WORLI

Terminal Examination 2025

Social Studies

Std: V

Date: 18-09-2025

Time: 2 hours

Marks: 80

QI) Choose the correct option:

[10]

1. _____ is our neighbour across the sea in the South.
 - a. Myanmar
 - b. Bangladesh
 - c. China
 - d. Maldives
2. The International Airport in Hyderabad is known as _____.
 - a. Rajiv Gandhi International Airport
 - b. Priyanka Gandhi International Airport
 - c. Indira Gandhi International Airport
 - d. Shri Guru Ram Das Jee International Airport
3. Ooty is cool even in summers. Which factor influences the climate?
 - a. distance from the sea
 - b. altitude
 - c. distance from the equator
 - d. humidity
4. Which of the following is not larger in size than India?
 - a. Brazil
 - b. Spain
 - c. Australia
 - d. Canada
5. _____ made the first practical steam engine.
 - a. Orville Wright
 - b. James Watt
 - c. Joseph Montgolfer
 - d. Thomas Newcomen
6. Which place is located in the torrid zone?
 - a. Delhi
 - b. Kerala
 - c. Kashmir
 - d. Arunachal Pradesh
7. Europe lies in _____ zone.
 - a. Northern Temperate
 - b. Southern Temperate
 - c. Torrid
 - d. Frigid

8. Hominids are human like animals that _____.
- walked upright
 - made their own tools
 - used sticks and bones
 - all of the above
9. _____ is not a script used on the reverse side of a currency note.
- Nepali
 - English
 - Bengali
 - Konkani
10. Which one of the following places is likely to have a hot and dry climate?
- Mumbai
 - Chennai
 - Jaisalmer
 - Shillong

QII) Map Marking:

[10]

a. On the political map of India and its neighbouring countries mark, label and colour the following places:

- The largest state of India
- Assam
- Bhutan
- West Bengal
- Telangana
- Dadra and Nagar Haveli
- Ladakh

b. On the physical map of India provided mark, label and colour the following places:

- Thar Desert
- The Deccan Plateau
- The Northern Mountainous Region

QIII) Name the following:

[10]

- Number of longitudes on the globe:
- The age in which agriculture was discovered:
- A book which contains stories of previous lives of Gautama Buddha:
- An object which acts as a space bridge between the people of the world:
- The southern most point of India:
- The age which lasted from 10,000 BCE to 8,000 BCE.
- Number of parallels on the globe:
- Any two vedas:
- The process in which people grow plants and look after animals:
- The waterbody to the east of India:

QIV) Match the column:

[10]

Column A	Column B
1. 0° meridian	a. historical accounts written from personal knowledge about a ruler
2. chronicles	b. Chandragupta II
3. numismatics	c. Telegraph
4. Al-Beruni	d. Computer
5. memoirs	e. study of weather
6. Samuel Morse	f. an account of event in order of time
7. 180° meridian	g. study of coins
8. Charles Babbage	h. Prime meridian
9. meteorology	i. International Date Line
10. Fa-Hien	j. Tarikh-al-Hind

QV) State whether the following statements are true or false. If false, write the correct statement:

[10]

1. The Mesopotamians used a wedge-shaped writing called hieroglyphic.
2. Land breeze is when cool wind from the sea blows towards the land.
3. English is written in the Roman script.
4. India has 29 states and 7 union territories.
5. Tsai Lun invented the first printing press.
6. Bronze is an alloy of steel and aluminium.
7. Homo sapiens means 'person who walks upright'.
8. The Indian script today is based on Brahmi script.
9. Name the zone which is neither extremely hot nor extremely cold:
10. The oldest script in India was found on the pots in the remains of the Indus Valley Civilization.

QVI) Draw a neat labelled diagram of the major temperature zones of Earth: [5]

QVII) With reference to the picture given below, answer the following questions:

[5]



1. Identify the arrangement of criss cross roads as shown in the picture. (1)
2. How do they help the traffic to move faster? (2)
3. Which road connects Kolkata to Peshawar in Pakistan? (1)
4. Name any two countries with dense land routes. (1)

QVIII) Give reasons:

[3]

1. Chennai is neither very hot in summer nor very cold in winter.
2. The man in the New Stone Age could cook tastier and more nutritious food.
3. Antarctica has an extremely cold climate.

QIX) Answer the following questions:

[17]

1. State any two features of latitudes. (2)
2. State the location of the western hemisphere? (1)
3. Define humidity (1)
4. What is climate? (1)
5. State the location of the temperate zone. (2)
6. Define the term, fossils. (1)
7. Explain the impact of the wheel on the life of early man. (2)
8. Why were better roads needed after the invention of wheel? (2)
9. How was the way of life different in the Old Stone Age compared with the New Stone Age? (2)
10. How megaliths help to reconstruct the past? (3)
