

GREENLAWNS SCHOOL, WORLI
FINAL EXAMINATION – 2026
GEOGRAPHY

Std: VI
Date: 27/02/2026

Marks: 80
Time: 2 Hrs

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- NOTE:** 1. Read all questions carefully. Answer all the questions.
2. Do not copy any question in your answer booklet. Write answers only.
3. The maps must be attached behind the answer booklet.
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SECTION A (40 marks)

Q 1] Choose the correct answers from the given options: (10)

- 1) The driest region in the world found in South America:
 - a) Selvas
 - b) Gulf of Panama
 - c) River Orinoco
 - d) Atacama Desert

- 2) Read the statements associated with the mineral 'limestone' and choose the correct option:
 1. It is composed of calcium carbonate.
 2. It is ductile and malleable.
 3. It is found in the layers of sedimentary rocks.
 4. It is used in the fertiliser and chemical industry.
 - a) Statements 1 and 2 are correct while statements 3 and 4 are incorrect.
 - b) Statements 2, 3 and 4 are correct while statement 1 is incorrect.
 - c) Statements 1, 3 and 4 are correct.
 - d) Only statement 2 is correct.

- 3) Cutting broad steps on highlands to create a flat terrain for the cultivation of crops is:
 - a) Shifting Agriculture
 - b) Terrace Cultivation
 - c) Horticulture
 - d) Animal Rearing

- 4) Identify the mineral that is used in the production of nuclear energy.
 - a) Manganese
 - b) Silver
 - c) Bauxite
 - d) Uranium

- 5) When are rabi crops harvested in India?
 - a) March - May
 - b) October - November
 - c) May - August
 - d) All the year round

- 6) Name the overseas territory located in South America that is governed by France.
- French Guiana
 - Peru
 - Falkland Islands
 - Drake Passage
- 7) Where does India obtain its highest production of petroleum from?
- Port of Vishakapatnam
 - Mumbai High offshore oilfield
 - Saudi Arabia
 - The oil fields in China
- 8) Name the scientist responsible for the launch of the Green Revolution.
- George Carver
 - Thomas Edison
 - Isaac Newton
 - Norman Borlaug

9) **Assertion:** South America has opposite seasons to North America.

Reason: It is located in the Southern Hemisphere.

- Both Assertion and Reason are true and Reason is not the correct explanation for Assertion.
 - Both Assertion and Reason are false.
 - Both Assertion and Reason are true and Reason is the correct explanation for Assertion.
 - Assertion is false and the Reason is true.
- 10) Why is the Deccan Plateau suitable for the growth of cotton?
- The terrain provides drainage of water.
 - Farmers get sufficient rain during the monsoon season.
 - The crops cannot be harvested without machinery.
 - It grows extremely well in the black soil found in the plateau.

Q II] A] On the political map of South America, label and colour the following. (4)

- The Tropic of Capricorn
- The South Pacific Ocean
- The second largest country in South America
- The country of Venezuela

Q II] B] On the physical map of South America, label and colour the following. (6)

- The Pampas grasslands
- River Amazon
- The longest chain of fold mountains in the world
- The Bolivian Plateau
- The highest navigable lake in South America
- The Brazilian Highlands

Q III] Name the following.

(10)

- 1) One state in India where gold is mined –
- 2) The world's largest tropical wetland in South America –
- 3) The most important natural passage between the Atlantic Ocean and Pacific Ocean –
- 4) The type of soil required to grow tea –
- 5) The best form of coal found in the world –
- 6) The capital of Chile –
- 7) Two kharif crops that are grown in India –
- 8) One landlocked county in South America –
- 9) The period when the use of alloys began –
- 10) The first state in India that adopted the techniques of the Green Revolution –

Q IV] State whether the following statements are true or false. Correct the false statement and rewrite the answer in a complete sentence.

(10)

- 1) Tierra del Fuego is an archipelago located to the east of South America.
- 2) Machines can operate easily in intensive subsistence farming as the field is large.
- 3) Brazil is the world leader in coffee production.
- 4) Metals that have traces of iron in them are called ferrous minerals.
- 5) Crop production is large in modern farming methods due to the use of machinery.
- 6) Fossil fuels are called 'energy fuels' because miners need immense energy to extract them.
- 7) Minerals occur in the Earth's crust as a result of man-made activities.
- 8) South America lies between 13° N to 55° S latitude and 35° W to 81° W longitude.
- 9) The Green Revolution led to an accumulation of water in the ground water reserves.
- 10) Dust obtained from mining can make the soil infertile.

SECTION B – 40 marks

Q V] Explain the following terms:

(4)

- 1) Geologist
- 2) Crop rotation
- 3) Shaft mining
- 4) Mixed farming

Q VI] Answer the following questions in one sentence only:

(5)

- 1) Highlight the reason that could prevent industrialists from using limonite and siderite.
- 2) Mt. Aconcagua is known as the 'Roof of the Americas'. Justify this statement.
- 3) Why is natural gas considered to be an 'eco-friendly fuel'?
- 4) Highlight the reason that has transformed the Plateau of Patagonia into a cold desert.
- 5) Mention the features that contribute to a better harvest in plantation farming.

Q VII] Give Geographical reasons for the following:

(5)

- 1) Mica is a suitable material for use in electrical equipment.
- 2) Shifting Agriculture can be harmful for the environment.
- 3) The Amazon rainforest acts as the lungs for our planet.
- 4) Increase in population is gradually depleting the Earth's mineral resources.
- 5) Extensive Commercial Farming involves the use of large finance.

Q VIII] Answer the following questions in two or three sentences: (10)

- 1) Differentiate between metallic and non-metallic minerals. (2)
- 2) There is an uneven distribution of population in South America. Mention the physical features responsible for the unevenness. (2)
- 3) How did pesticides and machinery increase the production of crops during the Green Revolution? (2)
- 4) In what way is petroleum transformed into a suitable fuel for vehicles? (2)
- 5) State any four wildlife species that have made South America their home. (2)

Q IX] Answer the following questions briefly: (8)

- 1) What do you understand by the terms 'food crops' and 'cash crops'? Give one example of each. (2)
- 2) What are the features of the Guiana Highlands? (2)
- 3) Why was coal considered to be the backbone of industrial growth in the 20th century? (3)
- 4) 'Minerals need to be used judiciously and preserved well'. Give a reason. (1)

Q X] With reference to the picture given below, answer the following questions. (8)



- 1) Identify the location where the children in the above picture reside. Comment on the climate and its impact in the region. (3)
- 2) Why are the people in this region considered to be skilled hunters? (3)
- 3) How are the people in this region suffering in the face of economic development? (2)

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