

BCM SCHOOL, BASANT AVENU E, LUDHIANA

CLASS V, SOCIAL STUDIES

ANSWER KEY ASSIGNMENT NO. 1 (CHAPTER 6 AND 7)

A. MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

1..The Prairies lie in North America.

- a. South Africa b. Asia **c. North America** d. South America

2. The Temperate zone experience **moderate** rainfall.

- a. scanty **b. moderate** c. heavy d. none of these

3. The **frigid** zone has extremely cold climate.

- a. Torrid b. Temperate **c. Frigid** D. Equatorial

B.Fill in the blanks:-

1. Places near the sea coast get **heavy** rainfall.
- 2.The **steppes** lies in Russia.
3. The point at the top of the Earth is called **south** pole.

C. Assertion and Reason

1. **Assertion** :- We feel uncomfortable in hot and humid climate.

Reason (R) : Sweat evaporates faster in humid climate.

- a. B. Both A and R are correct and R is the correct explanation of A.
b.Both A and R are correct and R is not the correct explanation of A.

c.A is true and R is false.

d.R is true but A is false.

2. **Assertion** :- Torrid zone maximum heat and remains hot throughout the year.

Reason :- The mid-day sun is exactly overhead at least once a year on all lattitudes.

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b.Both A and R are correct and R is not the correct explanation of A.

c.A is true and R is false.

d.R is true but A is false.

D. Read the source and answer the questions:-

The zone receives the direct vertical rays of the sun for almost the whole of the year is called torrid zone. The torrid zone lies between the tropic of Cancer and the tropic of Capricorn. It is also known as tropical zone. In this zone climate remains hot and humid throughout the year.

Q1. Which zone receives the direct rays of the sun?

Ans. **Torrid zone receives direct rays of the sun.**

Q2. What is the direction of the rays in the Torrid zone?

Ans. **The direction of the rays of the sun is vertical.**

E. Answer the following questions:-

Q2. How do winds affect the climate of a place?

Ans. **Winds have great affects on the climate of a place .**

1. Winds blowing from desert areas are hot and dry and they make the place hot and dry.

2. Winds blowing from sea are cool and makes the places cool and moist.

3. Cold wind from a snowy regions can make the climate very cold.

Q2. Describe the vegetation found in the temperate zone.

Ans. **The Temperate zone has different types of climate.**

- 1. In grassland, acacia trees and grasses grow.**
- 2. In desert areas, plants with fleshy stems and thorny leaves are found.**
- 3. In the north, big trees such as oak, pine trees, fir are found.**
- 4. In the south, deciduous, coniferous and bushes are found.**