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Class- VIII

Social Science

Revision Assignment

1. Identify the National Park located in Assam, known for its high population of the Great Indian one-horned rhinoceros.

- a. Kaziranga b. Corbett c. Manas d. Karakoram

2. Equity in the schooling facilities available to all children is an important aspect of:

- a. Right to life b. Right to education c. Right to school d. Right to safety

3. Assertion (A): There are so few cases of private water supply in the world.

Reason (R): Private companies work for their profit only, making it unaffordable for many people.

- a. A is correct but R is wrong.
b. Both A and R are wrong.
c. Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A.
d. Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A.

4. Assertion (A): Land can be classified on the basis of ownership as Private Land and Community Land.

Reason (R): People make houses on Community Land.

- a. A is correct but R is wrong.
b. Both A and R are wrong.
c. Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A.
d. Both A and R are true but R is not the correct explanation of A.

Q5. If land is a limited resource, why do you think people continue to misuse it through deforestation, mining, and overgrazing? What long-term impacts might this have?

Q6. Arjun saw a documentary where a rare species of tiger was being protected in a national park. He asked, “Why can’t animals just live anywhere they want in the wild?”

Why is it important to create protected areas like wildlife sanctuaries and national parks for wild animals?

Q7. Rina lives in a slum area where there is no proper drinking water facility. She notices that in nearby colonies, water tankers are sent regularly. She decides to write a letter to the local municipal authority. What values does Rina show in this situation, and how does this action reflect the concept of public facilities as a right?

Q8. Why do you think private companies are not interested in providing public facilities like water and sanitation in poor areas? What problems can this create in the long run?