

Chapter – 2
Land, Soil, Water, Natural Vegetation
and Wildlife Resources
Worksheet - 4

Choose the correct option:

1. Land, soil, water, natural vegetation and wildlife are _____ resources.
 - a. Natural resources
 - b. Human made resources
 - c. Human resources
 - d. None of the above

2. Ninety per cent of the world population occupies only _____ per cent of land area.
 - a. Twenty per cent
 - b. Thirty per cent
 - c. Forty per cent
 - d. Fifty per cent

3. The uneven distribution of population in different parts of the world is mainly due to varied characteristics of _____.
 - a. Land
 - b. Climate
 - c. Both (a) and (b)
 - d. None of the above

4. _____ are the densely populated areas of the world.
 - a. Plains and river valleys
 - b. Desert areas
 - c. Thick forested areas
 - d. None of the above

5. _____ areas are normally sparsely populated areas of the world.

- a. Desert areas
 - b. Thick forested areas
 - c. Both (a) and (b)
 - d. None of the above
6. The use of land is determined by physical factors such as _____.
- a. Topography, soil, climate
 - b. Minerals and availability of water
 - c. Both (a) and (b)
 - d. None of the above
7. Human factors such as _____ are important determinants of land use pattern.
- a. Population
 - b. Technology
 - c. Topography
 - d. Both (a) and (b)
8. On the basis of ownership land can be classified as _____.
- a. Private land
 - b. Community land
 - c. Desert landforms
 - d. Both (a) and (b)
9. The _____ lands are also called common property resources.
- a. Private lands
 - b. Community lands
 - c. Both (a) and (b)
 - d. None of the above
10. Private land is owned by _____.
- a. Individuals
 - b. Community
 - c. Both (a) and (b)
 - d. None of the above

Answer the following Questions:

- 11.** Describe in detail the methods used to conserve soil.
- 12.** Give a brief description on the threats to natural vegetation and wild life.
- 13.** How can you say “Vegetation and Wildlife are valuable resources”?
- 14.** Explain in brief about the various factors that affecting soil formation.
- 15.** Explain in brief the importance of Wildlife.
- 16.** Describe in detail how does rainfall affect vegetation.
- 17.** Give the reason why there is uneven distribution of population in different parts of the world.
- 18.** Give a brief note on CITES.
- 19.** Give a brief note on fresh water on earth.
- 20.** Give a brief note on conservation of water.

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