

Chapter-1
Worksheet-2

Choose the correct option:

1. What is a Palk strait?

- a) A sea that connects two layer bodies of water.
- b) A narrow channel of sea that connects two Islands.
- c) A narrow channel of sea that connects two layer bodies of water.
- d) A wide channel of sea that connects two layer bodies of water.

2. China is the _____ largest country in the world?

- a) Fourth
- b) First
- c) Second
- d) Fifth

3. From Gujarat to Arunachal Pradesh, the time lag is _____.

- a) 3 hours
- b) 12 hours
- c) 5 hours
- d) 2 hours

4. The southernmost point of Indian mainland is _____.

- a) Kanyakumari
- b) Kerala
- c) Tamil Nadu
- d) Bengaluru

5. Suez Canal was opened in year.

- a) 1879
- b) 1869
- c) 1859
- d) 1849

6. India's total area account for about of the total geographical area of the world.

- a) 2.9 %
- b) 7.8 %
- c) 2.4 %
- d) 1.8 %

7. Which neighbouring country of India is an island?

- a) Andaman & Nicobar Islands
- b) Myanmar
- c) Nepal
- d) Maldives

8. Name any two states of India that shares international boundaries.

- a) Punjab and Jammu and Kashmir
- b) Bihar and Madhya Pradesh
- c) Karnataka and Tamil Nadu
- d) Delhi and Punjab

9. State the types of states India had before 1947.

- a) There was only one type of state.
- b) There were two types of states in India such as the Princely States and King's states.
- c) There were two types of states in India such as the states and Union territories.
- d) There were two types of states in India such as the Provinces and Princely States.

10. Which is the largest state (area-wise) of India?

- a) Madhya Pradesh
- b) Rajasthan
- c) Uttar Pradesh
- d) Maharashtra

Answer the following Questions.

11. What is a subcontinent? Name the countries that constitute the Indian subcontinent. How is India different from other countries of Asia?
12. Justify the naming of Indian Ocean after India.
13. What do you know about India and her neighbours?
14. Why do the days and nights are almost of equal duration at Kanyakumari?
15. Why is the knowledge of latitude and longitude important for people?
16. What do you know about the neighbours of India?
17. How does India occupy an important strategic position in South Asia?
18. Why are Ahmedabad and Kolkata able to see the noon sun exactly overhead twice a year but not Delhi?
19. Describe the location of Indian landmass in Asian continent.
20. On the political map locate and label the following.
 - (a) Union Territories- Andaman and Nicobar, Lakshadweep, Chandigarh, Daman and Diu.