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Grade 7 Geography

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Time : 2 hours

Part I

❖ Answer all the questions.

❖ Select the correct answer from the bracket and fill in the blanks.

1. The only planet which has a conducive atmosphere to support plants and animals is,
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2. The diameter from North pole to South pole of the earth iskm.
3. The smallest administrative unit of Sri Lanka is
4. Paddy is cultivated inlands in the central hill country.
5. The lowest temperature is reported fromdistrict in Sri Lanka.
(Grama Niladhari Division, Nuwara Eliya, 12714, Mars, Earth, 12751, terraced)

❖ Read the given statements from 6-10 and put a (✓) if it is correct and a (×) if not.

6. Longitudes are used to calculate the time of different places. ()
7. Sri Lanka is an equatorial country. ()
8. Mangrove lands can be seen in the central hill country. ()
9. "Placton" fish food is grown well on shallow sea bed as it gets direct sunlight. ()
10. Relic mountains can be seen mostly in the dry zone landscape. ()

❖ Underline the correct answer from questions 11 – 15.

11. "Five great lakes" are located in the continent of,

1. Asia 2. Australia 3. Europe 4. North America

12. A human activity seen in coastal area is,

1. Chena cultivation 2. Removing coral reefs
3. Crushing granite by hand 4. Growing paddy in terraced lands

13. A reason for landslide is,

1. Removing the vegetation cover of slopes
2. Irregular constructions at the river basins
3. Constructing buildings by filling low lands
4. Not receiving rain for a long period of time.

14. Mountain Gap is a significant feature which provides easy access to the central hill country. Haputhale Gap is located in,
1. Kurunagala-Kandy Road
 2. Matale-Kandy Road
 3. Balangoda-Bandarawela Road
 4. Wellawaya-Badulla Road
15. "As there is a limestone layer underneath the ground, water is salty. The wells are very deep. Thorny trees such as Andara, Karamba, Pathok, can be seen there." The district described above is,
1. Kegalle
 2. Kurunagala
 3. Matara
 4. Mannar

❖ Study the given map and answer the questions from 16-20

16. The river A is,

1. Kelani
2. Mahaweli
3. Walawe
4. Kalu

17. Hatton plateau is indicated by,

1. P
2. R
3. L
4. N

18. The mountain range indicated by the letter is,

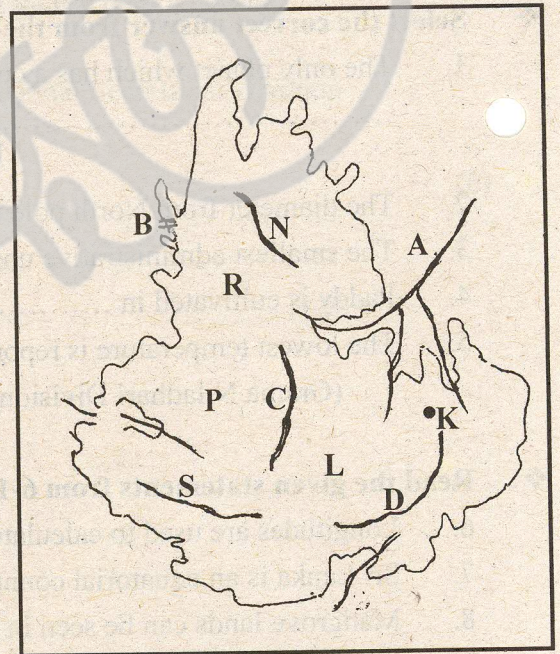
1. Namunukula
2. Knuckles
3. Samanala
4. Hirigalpotta

19. The mountain gap indicated by the letter B is,

1. Balana
2. Galagedara
3. Ella
4. Balakaduwa

20. The town indicated by the Letter K is,

1. Kandy
2. Bandarawela
3. Nuwara Eliya
4. Badulla



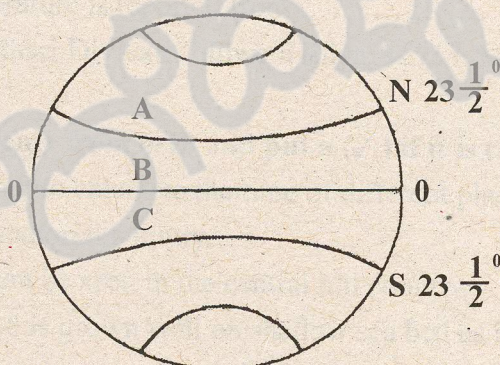
Part II

❖ Answer question number one and any other four questions.

(1) Following questions are based on the assessment you have done during the third term for Geography.

1. What were the two activities you did for the assessment? (2)
2. Mention the names of two lessons of your text book you referred to do the activity. (2)
3. Name two natural disasters you described in the first activity. (2)
4. Write the names of two pictures you used in the first activity. (2)
5. What is the title you gave for the first activity? (1)
6. What is the title you gave for the second activity? (1)
7. Mention two information you included in the second activity. (2)
8. Mention two experiences you received by engaging in these activities. (4)

- (2)
1. Mention the largest ocean and the largest island in the world. (2)
 2. Name A , B , and C lines in the following diagram. (3)
 3. Explain two evidences to prove that the earth is round in shape. (6)



- (3)
1. Name two districts belong to Semi Arid Zone of Sri Lanka. (2)
 2. Write three factors that influence the variation of temperature of Sri Lanka. (3)
 3. Mention two significant human activities seen in the dry zone and write a short account of one of them. (6)
- (4)
1. Supply the following details of tea cultivation of Sri Lanka.
 - a. The person who started tea cultivation as an estate crop. (2)
 - b. The area where "Tea research center" is located. (2)
 2. Write three physical factors that are needed for tea cultivation. (3)
 3. Explain two advantages of tea cultivation for the economy of Sri Lanka in brief. (6)

- (5) 1. Write two districts that frequently get flooded. (2)
 2. Write three reasons for floods. (3)
 3. Explain some steps we should follow to safeguard our good health after a flood. (6)
- (6) 1. Write two common features seen in an urban settlement. (2)
 2. Many people have flocked in wet zone. Write three reasons for this. (3)
 3. There are many problems in urban areas due to crowded housing and dense population. Explain such two problems. (6)
- (7) 1. Write two common features in a map. (2)
 2. State three ways of showing the north in 1:50000 metric map. (3)
 3. Draw the symbols used for the following features in a metric map with their correct colours. (6)
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| a. District boundary | b. Boundary of Divisional Secretariat Division |
| c. Main road | d. Paddy cultivation |
| e. Coconut cultivation | f. Temple |