

Grade 7

Geography

Unit 1

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Work sheet



Geography



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Latitudes and Longitudes



1. Explain what latitudes and longitudes are?

❖ Latitudes -

❖ Longitudes -

2. Name the major latitudes marked in the following diagram.

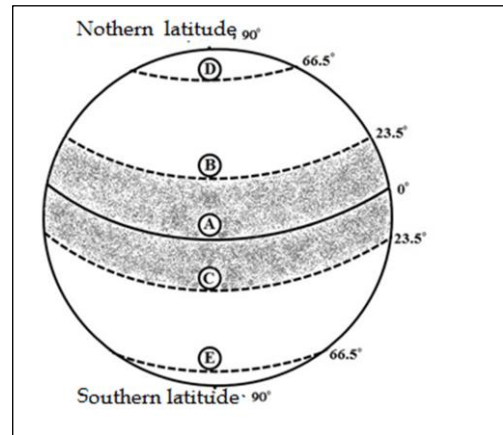
❖ A -

❖ B -

❖ C -

❖ D -

❖ E -



Name the following longitudes.

❖ Longitude 0° -

❖ Longitude 180° -

2. Complete the following table, naming the countries that are crossed by the given latitudes and longitudes. Refer an Atlas to identify the countries.

Latitudes/longitudes	Countries crossed
Equator	1. Brazil 2. 3. 4.
Tropic of Capricorn	1. 2. 3. 4.
Tropic of Cancer	1. 2. 3. 4.
Arctic circle	1. 2. 3. 4.
Greenwich meridian	1. 2. 3. 4.

3. Complete the table mentioning the country that is crossed by the given latitude and the longitude. Refer an Atlas to complete the table.

Latitude	longitude	The country located in the crossed lines
N: Latitude. 10°	E: longitude 40°	Ethiopia
S: Latitude. 30°	E: longitude 20°	
N: Latitude. 50°	E: longitude 10°	
N: Latitude. 40°	E: longitude 100°	
N: Latitude. 20°	W: longitude 100°	
S: Latitude. 10°	W: longitude 50°	
S: Latitude. 30°	E: longitude 140°	

1. Mark a \checkmark selecting the right latitude and longitude, where the following countries are located. Refer an Atlas to complete the table.

City	latitude / longitude			
	N: Latitude	S: Latitude	E: longitude	W: longitude
Colombo	\checkmark	-	\checkmark	-
New york				
Rio de Janiro				
Cairo				
Tokyo				
Melborn				