



# Jaffna Hindu College

## 1<sup>st</sup> Term Evaluation Exam - 2022

Grade - 08

Geography

time : 2 hour

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### Part - I

❖ Underline the correct answer.

01. What is the main celestial body located at the centre of the solar system?  
1) Venus                                      2) Mercury                                      3) Sun                                      4) Earth
02. The path of each planet around the sun?  
1) Orbit                                      2) Axis                                      3) Equator                                      4) Longitude
03. The planet known as the "Red Planet"  
1) Earth                                      2) Mars                                      3) Jupiter                                      4) Mercury
04. Which planet contains gases like hydrogen and helium?  
1) Dwarf Planets                                      2) Satellites                                      3) Outer Planets                                      4) Inner Planets
05. Which planet has sixty seven natural satellites?  
1) Jupiter                                      2) Saturn                                      3) Mars                                      4) Uranus
06. What is called "Thumakethu"?  
1) Comet                                      2) Meteoroids                                      3) Asteroids                                      4) Satellites
07. The surface temperature of the Sun is  
1) 610<sup>0</sup>c                                      2) 6610<sup>0</sup>c                                      3) 6000<sup>0</sup>c                                      4) 600<sup>0</sup>c
08. Which planet has the most carbon dioxide?  
1) Mercury                                      2) Uranus                                      3) Neptune                                      4) Mars
09. A planet which has satellites like Phobos and Deimos  
1) Mercury                                      2) Uranus                                      3) Neptune                                      4) Mars
10. Which gas has the largest percentage in the atmosphere of the Earth?  
1) Carbon dioxide                                      2) Oxygen                                      3) Nitrogen                                      4) Argon
11. Which is named as "Ceres"?  
1) Outer planets                                      2) Dwarf planets                                      3) Satellites                                      4) Asteroids
12. Which planet was analysed through soil sample by the Curiosity spacecraft?  
1) Saturn                                      2) Mercury                                      3) Jupiter                                      4) Mars
13. The average temperature of the Earth is  
1) 51<sup>0</sup>c                                      2) 27<sup>0</sup>c                                      3) 15<sup>0</sup>c                                      4) 25<sup>0</sup>c



03. 1) What do you mean by 'Solar system'? (3 Marks)
- 2) Name 4 celestial bodies found in the solar system Except main planets. (4 Marks)
- 3) Give 4 Special features of the sun. (4 Marks)
- 4) Beliefs connected with the solar system. Mention 2 ceremonies or activities based on the following.
- i. Festival events                    1. .... 2. ....
- ii. Economic activities            2. .... 2. ....
- (4 Marks)
04. 1) What is meant by "Rotation of the Earth" (3 Marks)
- 2) Give 4 names of Dwarf planets. (4 Marks)
- 3) Show the inner planets and outer planets in a chart or Table. (4 Marks)
- 4) Write 4 names of persons who were enthusiastic in finding information about the space in the past. (4 Marks)
05. 1) Give the definition of "revolution of the earth?" (3 Marks)
- 2) Define the word "latitudes" and "longitudes". (4 Marks)
- 3) Mention 4 features of the earth. (4 Marks)
- 4) Give the undermentioned basic informations of the earth.
- A. Distance from the sun            .....
- B. Equatorial diameter            .....
- C. Polar diameter                    .....
- D. Duration of revolution           .....
- (4 Marks)

