

Quarterly Examination - 2017-2018

Geography

Time : 2 Hrs. + 15 min.

F. M. : 80

Std. : VI

SECTION A

- I. Fill in the blanks (Do not copy the questions) (10)
1. Australia is located in the _____ hemisphere
 2. Most of the Australian native mammals are _____
 3. Temperate grassland of Australia is known as _____
 4. The finest quality wool is obtained from _____ sheep
 5. Workers in the sheep station are called _____
 6. _____ is called the sporting and cultural capital of Australia.
 7. _____ is the nutritious grass given to the sheep.
 8. The _____ passes through the middle of Australia.
 9. _____ is the capital of Australia.
 10. _____ is the deepest lake of Australia.
- II. Choose the correct alternative (Do not copy the questions) (5)
1. The _____ also known as the laughing jackals
i. Cookabura ii. Emu iii. Lyrebird iv. POlalypus
 2. Which of the following is not a self-governing state of Australia?
i. Queensland ii. Auckland iii. Victoria iv. New South Wales
 3. The Stuart Highway lines _____
i. Melbourne to Sydney ii. Canberra to Canes iii. Adelaide to Darwin
iv. Perth to Darwin
 4. The indigenous Australians had no knowledge of _____
i. hunting ii. gathering iii. agriculture iv. fishing
 5. Which is the busiest seaport in Australia
i. Melbourne ii. Sydney iii. Perth
- III. Mark the wrong statement and correct them. (copy the question) (5)
- i. Captain James Cook reached the western coast of Australia in 1770

- ii. The Murray - Darling Basin is a large area of inland drainage in the Central part of lowland.
- iii. Maize is the primary crop of Australia.
- iv. The bamboo is the most common tree found in Australia
- v. Australia is located in the Northern Hemisphere.

IV. Give the geographical term for the following : (5)

- i. Natural or man made lake or storage pond used to store water.
- ii. Tall trees with grey-green leaves.
- iii. Removal of fleece from the body of sheep
- iv. Very large sheep farms in Australia
- v. The native people of Australia

V. Name the following (Do not copy the question) (5)

- i. A crescent - shaped Indigenous Australian weapon _____
- ii. The largest single rock _____
- iii. Popular instrument played by the Indigenous Australian _____
- iv. The famous native animal of Australia.
- v. The famous fishing spot in Australia.

VI. Match the following : (Make pairs) (5)

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| i. Opera house | dingo |
| ii. Wild dog | emu |
| iii. Flightless bird | lyre bird |
| iv. Musical bird | roos |
| v. Kangaroos | Sydney |

VII. Complete the table : (10)

- i. Main industrial states _____, _____
- ii. Main deserts of Australia _____, _____
- iii. Self governing states _____, _____
- iv. Two explorers of Australia _____, _____
- v. Terms of imports _____, _____

VIII. Explain the structure of Great Arterian Basin with a neat labelled diagram. (3+2=5)

IX. Answer the following question (Do not copy the question) (6x2=12)

1. How is Great Barrier Reef formed?
2. What are the two main factors affecting the climate of Australia?
3. Name three mineral based and agro based industries of Australia.
4. When and why was Common Wealth of Australia established?
5. When does the shearing starts and how it is done?
6. Where in Australia is sugarcane cultivated?

X. Give reasons : (4)

- i. Christmas is celebrated in summer season in Australia.
- ii. The Great Barrier Reef is a great hazard for ships

Picture Study (4)



1. Identify this animal.
2. What type of animal is it?
3. Name one state of Australia where these animals are found.
4. In the outline map of Australia show the following feature : (10)
 1. Tropic of Capricorn ii. Gulf of Carpentaria iii. Great Australian Bight
 - iv. Pacific Ocean v. Rivers Murray vi. Great Sandy Desert vii. Great Dividing Range
 - viii. Lake Eyne ix. Tasman Sea x. Indian ocean