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### Third Term Test - 2023

Subject :- Geography - I , II

School Name : .....

Index Number : .....

Time : 2 hours

❖ Answer all the questions

• Select the most suitable answer and write it on the given space for the questions no. 1 to 5

1. The average population density of Asia is .....per kilometre.  
(100, 85, 87, 92)
2. The two main agricultural season of Pakistan are..... and.....  
( Khariff and Rabi, Yala and Madda, Rabi and Madda , Akalahasa and Pitadhadahasa)
3. The world's largest mall known as “Dubai Mall” is located in  
.....(China, Japan, Dubai, Arabia)
4. The height of the Samanala mountain range in Sri Lanka is.....  
( 2237 m, 2456 m, 2257 m. 2468 m)
5. The rivers that starts from undulated lands in dry zone, flows during the rainy season and becomes dry during the dry season are known as .....  
(Dry Rivers, Seasonal Rivers, Permanent Rivers, Main Rivers)

• Underline the most suitable answer for the question No. 6 to 10

6. The average annual temperature in Sri Lanka is  
I. 27 °C                      II. 25 °C                      III. 22 °C                      IV. 29 °C
7. The period in which Sri Lanka receive the second inter Monsoon rain is,  
I. March - April                      II. October - November  
III. December - January                      IV. May –June
8. The correct answer indicating the average annual rainfall in the Semi Arid Zone is,  
I. 650mm -1250 mm                      II. 700 mm - 1400 mm  
III. 600 mm - 1200 mm                      IV. 900 mm - 1500 mm
9. Not an area where mangroves are distributed,  
I. Kalamatiya                      II. Bundala  
II. Muthurajawela                      IV. Kodikamam
10. The number of people per square kilometres in Sri Lanka as per 2012 census is,  
I. 323                      II. 325                      III. 355                      IV. 340

- If the following statements are correct put ( ✓ ) if not put ( ✗ ) for questions no 11 to 15

11. The Rakwana and Buluthota hills which extend from Northwest to Southeast are example for Parallel mountains ( )
12. The overall drainage pattern of Sri Lanka is aerial drainage pattern ( )
13. Excessive burning of fuel cause environmental imbalance ( )
14. Montreal convention aims at the conservation of wetland ( )
15. Literacy of Sri lanka's Urban population is 95. 6%. ( )

- Select the correct answer from the part B and write the correct English letter in the given space for the question no. 16 to 20

**A**

**B**

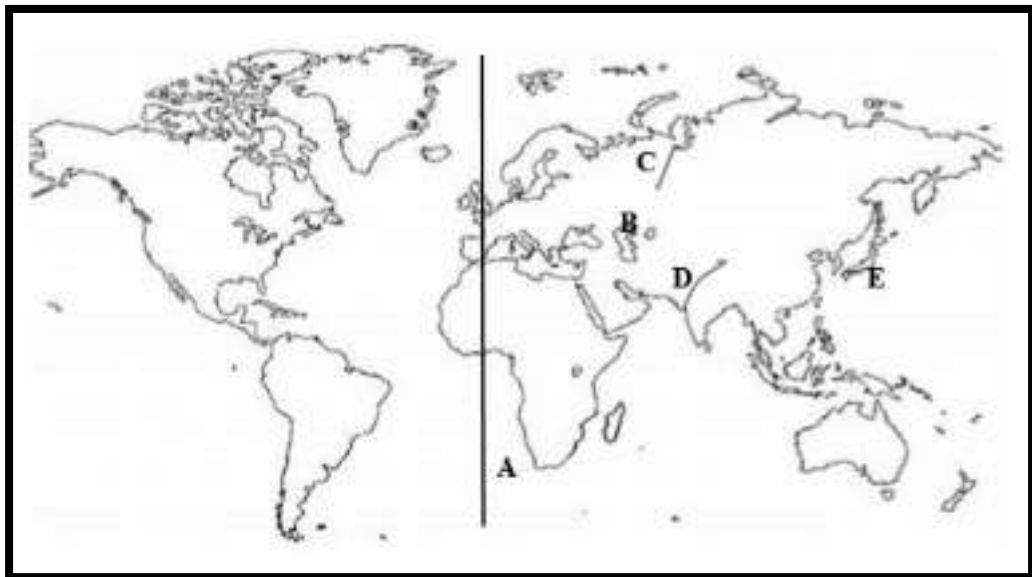
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| 16. The place where the Mahawali river falls into the sea ..... | A. Kumana           |
| 17. Natural rainforest of Sri Lanka .....                       | B. Muthurajawela    |
| 18. The most attractive Marshy land in Sri Lanka .....          | C. Trincomalee      |
| 19. One of the bird sanctuaries in Sri Lanka. ....              | D. Colombo          |
| 20. The district with the largest population in Sri Lanka.....  | E. Sinharaja Forest |

( 2 × 20 = 40 )

**Part II**

- The first question is compulsory.
- Answer four questions out of other questions.
- The number of questions to be answered is 5

1)



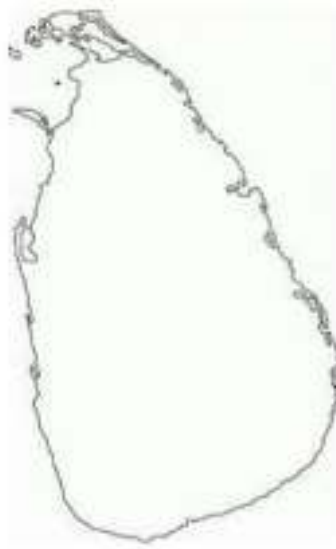
- A.
- I. Name the longitudinal line indicated by the letter A .....
  - II. Name the sea indicated by letter B .....
  - III. Name the mountain range indicated by letter C .....
  - IV. Name the river indicated by letter D .....
  - V. Name the letter which depicts the Japanese Island. ....
- (2×5 =10)

- B. Draw the following symbols using conventional signs, symbols and colours used in the 1:50000 topographic maps.
- I. District boundary
  - II. School
  - III. Lighthouse
  - IV. Tea cultivation
  - V. Woodland
- (2×5 =10)

- 2)
- I. Write two large Island States belongs to the Asian region (2 Marks)
  - II. Write an example of each of the following topographical features found in the physical landscape of Asia
    - Mountain ranges
    - Plateaus
    - Plains (3 Marks)
  - III. Write three importance of Pakistan as an agricultural country among economic activities in Asian region. (5 Marks)

- 3)
- I. Write two topographical features found in the coastal plain (2 Marks)
  - II. Write three factors that influence the variation of temperature (3 Marks)
  - III. Name three types of settlements in Sri Lanka and explain one of them. (5 Marks)

- 4)
- I. Mark and name the Jaffna Peninsula and the mountainous regions in the given model map of Sri Lanka (2 Marks).
  - II. Mention three industries found in the human landscape of the coastal region (3 Marks)
  - III. Mention three reasons for the increase of tourist attraction in the mountainous region and explain one of them (5 Marks)



- 5)
- I. Name two ways in which Sri Lanka receives monsoon rain (2 Marks)
  - II. Explain what is “lapse rate” (3 Marks)
  - III. Name three natural vegetation Zones in Sri Lanka and describe the uniqueness of one of them. (5 Marks)
- 6)
- I. Various indicators are used to show the development of countries in the world. Mention two of them. (2 Marks)
  - II. Write how maternal mortality rate is calculated (3 Marks)
  - III. Explain what is infant mortality rate and Write down the three districts in Sri Lanka which have the highest infant mortality rate in the year 2010 (5 Marks)
- 7)
- I. Write two effects of deforestation on the environment (2 Marks)
  - II. Write three procedures that have been taken nationally and internationally to protect the environmental balance. (3Marks)
  - III. Explain what environmental ethics are and explain the needs for environmental ethics (5 Marks)