

HOLIDAY HOMEWORK

GEOGRAPHY CLASS 12

1. Prepare an atlas comprising of maps given in the map list below:

Fundamentals of Human Geography

Class XII - Textbook I (NCERT)

Map Items for identification only on outline political map of the World.

Unit-1 Ch.-1 Nil

Unit-2 Ch. 2 to 4

1. The largest country in each continent in terms of area

Unit-3 Ch. 5 to 7

Primary Activities

1. Areas of subsistence gathering
2. Major areas of nomadic herding of the world
3. Major areas of commercial livestock rearing
4. Major areas of extensive commercial grain farming
5. Major areas of mixed farming of the World

Secondary Activities

1. Ruhr region, Silicon Valley, Appalachian region, Great lakes

region

Unit - 4 Ch. 8 to 9

1. Transcontinental Railways: Terminal Stations of transcontinental railways– Trans Siberian, Trans Canadian, Trans-Australian Railways

2. Major Sea Ports:

Europe: North Cape, London, Hamburg

North America: Vancouver, San Francisco, New Orleans

South America: Rio De Janeiro, Colon, Valparaiso

Africa: Suez and Cape Town

Asia: Yokohama, Shanghai, Hong Kong, Aden, Karachi, Kolkata

Australia: Perth, Sydney, Melbourne

3. Inland Waterways: Suez Canal, Panama Canal, Rhine waterway and St. Lawrence Seaway

4. Major Airports:

Asia: Tokyo, Beijing, Mumbai, Jeddah, Aden

Africa: Johannesburg & Nairobi

Europe: Moscow, London, Paris, Berlin and Rome

North America: Chicago, New Orleans, Mexico City

South America: Buenos Aires, Santiago

Australia: Darwin and Wellington

Unit - 5 Ch. 10

- Mega cities of the world – Tokyo, Delhi, Shanghai, Mumbai, Sao

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India - People and Economy

Class XII-Textbook II (NCERT)

Map Items for locating and labeling only on the outline political map of India

Units - 6 & 7

- Ch. 1 to 4
- State with highest level of urbanization and lowest level of urbanization
 - One state with highest level of HDI & One lowest level of HDI
 - State with higher level of population density & one state with lowest level of population density (2011)
 - Any city with more than 10 million population – Greater Mumbai, Delhi, Kolkata, Chennai, Bengaluru

Unit - 8 Ch. 5 to 9 Leading producing states of the following crops:

(a) Rice (b) Wheat (c) Cotton (d) Jute (e) Sugarcane (f) Tea and (g) Coffee

Mines:

- Iron-ore mines: Mayurbhanj, Bailadila, Ratnagiri, Bellary
- Manganese mines: Balaghat, Shimoga
- Copper mines: Hazaribagh, Singhbhum, Khetari
- Bauxite mines: Katni, Bilaspur and Koraput
- Coal mines: Jharia, Bokaro, Raniganj, Neyveli
- Oil Refineries: Mathura, Jamnager, Barauni

Iron and Steel Plants: Bhadravati, Bhilai, Bokaro, Durgapur, Rourkela and Jamshedpur

Cotton Textile: Surat, Varanasi, Murshidabad, Solapur and Coimbatore

Software Technology Parks: Gandhinagar, Srinagar, Mohali, Noida, Indore, Hyderabad, Bengaluru and Major Industrial Regions

Unit - 9 Ch. 10 - 11 Transport:

- (i) Important nodes on north south corridor, East west corridor & golden quadrilateral
- (ii) Major Sea Ports: Kandla, Mumbai, Marmagao, Kochi, Mangalore, Tuticorin, Chennai, Vishakhapatnam, Paradwip, Haldia
- (iii) International Air ports: Ahmedabad, Mumbai, Bengaluru, Chennai, Kolkata, Guwahati, Delhi, Amritsar, Thiruvananthapuram & Hyderabad

Unit-10 Ch.12 NIL

All maps of the world and India to be named, numbered and pasted on a thin booklet.

2. Attempt all **NCERT** questions of book 1 chapter 1 in your homework register.
3. Attempt the following questions from chapter 1 in your homework register.
1. What is meant by humanization of nature? (1)

2. Define Behavioural school of thought. (1)
3. What is meant by postmodernism in geography? (1)
4. What is the emphasis of welfare school of thought? (1)
5. Define environmental determinism. (1)
6. How has Ellen C. Semple defined human geography? (1)
7. Explain the systematic approach in geography. (1)
8. Name any two sub-fields of Economic Geography. (1)
9. Name the sub-field of geography which has an interface with Psychology. (1)
10. Name the theory which has inspired the radical school of thought in geography. (1)
11. What is areal differentiation? (1)
12. What are the dualisms in geography? (1)
13. What is meant by Regional analysis? (1)
14. Who introduced the concept of "stop and go determinism"? (1)
15. Name the theory which has inspired the radical school of thought in geography. (1)
16. "Possibilities can be created within the limit, which do not damage the environment and there is no free run without accidents." Analyse the statement. (3)
17. Examine the major schools of thought in geography that emerged in the 1970s. (3)
18. With the help of examples explain neo determinism. (3)
19. Elaborate the salient features in Ellen C. Semple's definition of human geography (3)
20. Explain the interface of geography with other sister disciplines of social sciences. (3)
21. Differentiate between Naturalisation of Humans and Humanisation of Nature. (5)
22. Explain the major approaches in Human Geography which evolved overtime. (5)
23. Examine the interrelationship of Human Geography with other sister disciplines. (5)
24. Examine the concept of environmental determinism with suitable examples. (5)
25. Explain the scope of Human geography. (5)