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Terminal Examination (2024-25)
Subject –Geography

Std- XII
Date- 21/10/2024

Marks - 50
Time:9 am to 11.30am

Note:

1. All questions are compulsory.
2. Draw relevant diagram/graphs where ever necessary.
3. Use of color pencil is allowed.
4. Use of map stencil is allowed.
5. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
6. Tie your supplements of map to your main Answer sheet.

Q.1) Answer the sub-questions as per given instruction. (10m)

A) Choose the correct option and complete the sentence. (3m)

- 1) Patterns of population distribution and density help us understand the _____ characteristics of any area.
a) climatic b) political c) demographic d) ecological
- 2) China plans to increase retirement age for both men and women to _____ years by 2045.
a) 60 b) 70 c) 65 d) 75
- 3) _____ are usually located on the periphery of the urban areas.
a) Plots layouts b) Wastelands c) Industrial areas d) Recreation areas

B) Complete the chain (4M)

A	B	C
Antarctica	Modern type of agriculture	No permantaly resident population
Market Gardening	International	Commercial area
Migration	Industrial area	India to Australia
Urban land use	Permafrost	More use of capital

C) Identify the correct correlation.

(3M)

a. Only A is correct

b. R is correct

c. Both A and R are correct and R is the correct explanation of A.

d. Both A and R are correct but R is not the correct explanation of A.

(Note.-The above options are for all questions given below.)

1) A: Population of a region does not change.

R: Birth rate, death rate and migration affect the population of a region.

2) A: When cities grow, their functions also grow.

R: Cities can have only one function.

3) A: The percentage of forest in the world is decreasing drastically.

R: Today, wood is used on a very large scale for various purposes.

Q.2) Give geographical reasons.(Any 2)

(6M)

1) Population density is a function of population and area of a region.

2) Literacy rate of a country is an indicator of its socio-economic development.

3) Lumbering is developed on a large scale in Canada.

4) In rural settlements, land use is related to agriculture.

Q.3) Distinguish between. (Any 2)

(6M)

1) Expansive pyramid and Constrictive pyramid

2) Barren and Non-agricultural land.

3) Triangular settlement and Circular settlement.

Q.4.Mark and name the following on the outline Map of the world with suitable index. (Any 4)

(4M)

1) Sparsely populated region in India.

2) Grand Bank fishing area.

3) Fishing area in South West Atlantic Ocean

4) Countries in Stage 5 of Demographic Transition Theory

5) Mining area in Arabian sea

Q.5) Write short notes.(Any 2)

(8M)

1) Mining as a factor affecting population distribution

2) Suburbs

3) Agriculture and animal husbandry

Q.6.A) Read the given passage and answers the following questions. (4M)

Population geography is the study of the spatial distribution of people across the Earth's surface. It examines the patterns, processes, and relationships between population characteristics, such as density, distribution, migration, fertility, and mortality, and the social, economic, cultural, and environmental contexts in which they occur.

Population geographers investigate factors influencing population growth or decline, urbanization, and migration. They analyze data from censuses, surveys, and remote sensing to understand population dynamics and their implications for resource allocation, policy-making, and sustainable development.

Questions:

1. What is population geography?
2. What factors do population geographers investigate?
3. What data sources do population geographers use?
4. Why is population geography important?

B) Draw neat labelled diagram. (4M)

- 1) Compact settlement
- 2) Demographic transition theory

Q.7 Answer in detail. (Any 1) (8M)

- 1) Explain the physical factors affecting distribution of population. Give suitable examples.
- 2) What is primary economic activity? Explain the types of primary economic activities.
