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( CBCS )

( 2nd Semester )

**GEOGRAPHY**

SECOND PAPER

**( Human Geography )**

*Full Marks : 75*

*Time : 3 hours*

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions*

**( SECTION : A—OBJECTIVE )**

( Marks : 10 )

Tick (✓) the correct answer in the brackets provided :

1×10=10

**1.** The father of the modern Human Geography is

(a) Friedrich Ratzel ( )

(b) Alexander von Humboldt ( )

(c) Carl Ritter ( )

(d) Charles Darwin ( )

**2.** Who has written the famous book, *Influences of Geographic Environment* ?

(a) F. Ratzel ( )

(b) E. Huntington ( )

(c) E. Semple ( )

(d) G. Taylor ( )

**3.** Which of the following races introduces bronze culture?

(a) The Mediterranean ( )

(b) The Nordic ( )

(c) The Negritos ( )

(d) The Mongoloids ( )

**4.** Mongoloid race does not include which one of the following?

(a) Neo-Mongoloid Eskimo ( )

(b) Polynesian ( )

(c) Semitic Arab ( )

(d) Filipino ( )

5. The third stage in the demographic transition is characterized by

- (a) high birthrate and high death rate ( )
- (b) high birthrate and rapidly declining death rate ( )
- (c) low death rate and rapidly declining birthrate ( )
- (d) low birthrate and low death rate ( )

6. Population has a tendency to increase in

- (a) Arithmetic Progression ( )
- (b) Exponential Progression ( )
- (c) Simple Progression ( )
- (d) Geometric Progression ( )

7. The nucleated settlements are commonly found in

- (a) arid regions ( )
- (b) deltas ( )
- (c) mountainous regions ( )
- (d) deserts ( )

**8.** Which of the following is the most important factor of Urbanization?

(a) Industrialization ( )

(b) Unemployment ( )

(c) Modernity ( )

(d) Sports facilities ( )

**9.** The primitive people who live in the Kalahari Desert are known as

(a) Pigmies ( )

(b) Bantus ( )

(c) Bushmen ( )

(d) Masai ( )

**10.** The other name of Eskimos is

(a) Inuits ( )

(b) Sants ( )

(c) Gonds ( )

(d) Yakuts ( )

**( SECTION : B—SHORT ANSWER )**

( Marks : 15 )

Write briefly on the following :

3×5=15

UNIT—I

1. Scope of Human Geography

**OR**

2. Neo-determinism

UNIT—II

3. Global Distribution of Religion

**OR**

4. The Caucasoids

UNIT—III

5. Population composition

**OR**

6. Factors affecting the distribution of population

UNIT—IV

7. Compact settlements

**OR**

8. Dispersed settlements

UNIT—V

9. Transhumance

**OR**

10. Igloos

**( SECTION : C—DESCRIPTIVE )**

( Marks : 50 )

Answer the following questions :

10×5=50

UNIT—I

1. Clearly explain the contemporary relevance of man-environment relationship by giving suitable examples. 10

**OR**

2. Briefly explain the idea of possibilism in the study of Human Geography. Support your answer with examples. 2+8=10

UNIT—II

3. What is Cultural Region? Describe the different cultural regions of the world. 2+8=10

**OR**

4. Write the meaning of language. Describe the distribution of major languages in the world. 2+8=10

UNIT—III

5. Discuss the growth and distribution of world population. 5+5=10

**OR**

6. Briefly explain the theory of demographic transition. 10

UNIT—IV

7. What is Settlement? Describe the different types of urban settlements. 2+8=10

**OR**

8. Explain the trend and pattern of World Urbanization. 5+5=10

UNIT—V

9. Describe the lifestyle and occupation of Masais. 5+5=10

**OR**

10. Discuss the life of the people of Gujjars under the following heads : 5+5=10

(a) Economy

(b) Society

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