

9th Social Science Lesson 18 Questions in English - Geography

7. Disaster Management: Responding to Disasters

1. Tsunami hit the Andaman and Nicobar Islands on _____
 - a) 26 December 2004
 - b) 25 December 2004
 - c) 23 December 2005
 - d) 24 December 2004
2. What was the magnitude of earthquake at the coast of Sumatra that resulted in Tsunami to Andaman and Nicobar Islands?
 - a) 9.5
 - b) 8.1
 - c) 9.1
 - d) 5.4
3. Which of the following are the works entailed by Disaster response team?
 - 1) Estoring physical facilities
 - 2) Rehabilitation of affected population
 - 3) Restoration of lost livelihoods
 - a) 1, 3
 - b) 2, 3
 - c) 1, 2, 3
 - d) 1, 2
4. Which of the following statement is correct?
 - 1) Disaster management includes Prevention, Mitigation, Preparedness, Response and Recovery
 - 2) Non-governmental and community-based organizations play a vital role in the process
 - a) 1 alone
 - b) 2 alone
 - c) 1, 2
 - d) None
5. Which of the following statement is correct?
 - 1) An earthquake is a sudden vibration of the part of the earth caused by plate movements.
 - 2) It occurs along the plate boundaries
 - a) 1 alone
 - b) 2 alone
 - c) 1, 2
 - d) None
6. Match the following
 - I. Epicentre - 1. Instrument for measuring earthquake
 - II. Focus - 2. Point on the earth's surface above place where earthquake originates
 - III. Seismograph - 3. Unit in which earthquake is recorded
 - IV. Richter scale - 4. Place where earthquake originates
 - a) 3, 2, 1, 4
 - b) 2, 3, 1, 4
 - c) 2, 4, 1, 3
 - d) 4, 3, 1, 2
7. Which of the following area is in very active seismic area?
 - a) China
 - b) USA
 - c) India
 - d) Japan
8. Which country has the most earthquakes per unit area?
 - a) Gujarat
 - b) Tonga
 - c) Hong Kong
 - d) Ladakh
9. Which of the following statement is correct?
 - 1) A tsunami can kill or injure people and damage or destroy buildings and infrastructure as waves come forth and recede

- 2) A tsunami is a series of enormous ocean waves caused by earthquakes, underwater landslides, volcanic eruptions or asteroids
- 1 alone
 - 2 alone
 - 1, 2
 - None
10. At what speed Tsunami can travel per hour?
- 700-800 km
 - 700-800 m
 - 70-80 km
 - 70-80 m
11. Which country tops in riot as per Pew Research Center analysis of 198 countries on April 11, 2015?
- India
 - Syria
 - Iraq
 - German
12. Which of the following wouldn't be better if caught in riot?
- If you are caught up in the crowd, stay clear of glass shop fronts, moreover, move with the flow
 - When leaving the fringe of the demonstration, just walk away – don't run as this will draw attention to you.
 - If shooting breaks out, drop to the ground and cover your head and neck, and lie as flat as you can.
 - In the event that you are arrested by the police/military in riot, do resist them
13. Which of the following statement is correct?
- Wildfires occur when vegetated areas are set alight and are particularly common during hot and dry periods.
 - They can occur in forests, grasslands, bush and deserts, and with blowing wind, can spread rapidly
- 1 alone
 - 2 alone
 - 1, 2
 - None
14. Which of the following is/are common causes forest fire?
- Lightning strikes
 - Sparks during arid conditions
 - Eruption of volcanoes
- 1, 2
 - 2, 3
 - 1, 2, 3
 - 3 alone
15. What percent of female accounts for getting killed in killed in fire accidents?
- 50
 - 33
 - 66
 - 70
16. Stop, Drop, Roll is for_____
- Fire
 - Riot
 - Earthquake
 - Tsunami
17. What we should not do during a fire?
- Stay calm
 - Leave the building immediately
 - Inform others as you pass them to leave the building immediately.
 - Use elevators
18. Drop, cover, and hold on is for_____
- Fire
 - Tsunami
 - Earthquake
 - Riot
19. Which of the following should be done during Earthquake?

- a) DROP to the ground; take COVER by getting under a sturdy table or other piece of furniture and HOLD ON until the shaking stops
- b) Protect yourself by staying under the lintel of an inner door, in the corner of a room, under a table or even under a bed.
- c) Stay inside until the shaking stops and go outside.
- d) All the above
20. Crisis management is the responsibility of_____
- a) Insurance agents
- b) Emergency medical technicians
- c) Disaster Manager
- d) All the above
21. Deflection of winds from their original path due to Earth's rotation is called as_____
- a) Continental drift
- b) Cataclysms
- c) Coriolis Force
- d) Doldrums
22. Doldrums extends between_____
- a) 5°N and 15°N
- b) 5°N and 5°S
- c) 15°N and 5°S
- d) 5°N and 15°
23. Which of the following are correctly matched?
- 1) Asthenosphere- Lower layer of the earth's mantle below the lithosphere.
- 2) Cataclysms- Large scale violent events in the natural world
- a) 1 alone
- b) 2 alone
- c) 1, 2
- d) None