

## 9th Social Science Lesson 17 Questions in English - Geography

## 6. Man and Environment

1. The French word 'environ' means\_\_\_\_
  - a) Encircled
  - b) Nature
  - c) Biosphere
  - d) Lithosphere
2. Which of the following statement is correct?
  - 1) Early man depended entirely on nature for food, clothing and shelter.
  - 2) Man has enjoyed a dominant position over the other living organisms around him because of his erect posture, hands and intelligence
  - a) 1 alone
  - b) 2 alone
  - c) 1, 2
  - d) None
3. United Nations Conference on Environment and Development (UNCED) held in\_\_\_\_
  - a) Stockholm
  - b) Rio de Janeiro
  - c) London
  - d) New York
4. Match the following
  - I. Natural Environment - 1. Bridges
  - II. Human Environment - 2. Community
  - III. Man Made Environment - 3. Land
  - a) 1, 3, 2
  - b) 2, 3, 1
  - c) 3, 2, 1
  - d) 3, 1, 2
5. The Latin word 'populus' means\_\_\_\_
  - a) Number
  - b) People
  - c) Strength
  - d) Dense
- 6.\_\_\_\_ is the statistical study of human population
  - a) Demography
  - b) Psephology
  - c) Humanology
  - d) Analogy
7. Which of the following statement is correct?
  - 1) Population is a dynamic phenomenon where the number, distribution and composition are constantly changing
  - 2) About the time of Industrial Revolution, it began to increase rapidly
  - a) 1 alone
  - b) 2 alone
  - c) 1, 2
  - d) None
8. Which of the following is natural reason for decrease in population?
  - a) Earthquakes
  - b) Landslides
  - c) Epidemics
  - d) All the above
9. The projected population for 2025 and 2050 is\_\_\_\_ respectively
  - a) 8 billion and 9 billion
  - b) 6 billion and 9 billion
  - c) 8 billion and 8.5 billion
  - d) 7 billion and 8 billion
10. In India, the first census was carried out in\_\_\_\_
  - a) 1882
  - b) 1881
  - c) 1872
  - d) 1884

11. \_\_\_\_\_ was the first country in the modern world to conduct a census
- England
  - Denmark
  - USA
  - India
12. Which of the following characteristics of population are taken into census?
- Age
  - Literacy
  - Occupation
- 1, 3
  - 1, 2, 3
  - 2, 3
  - 1, 2
13. Which of the following is reason for Population increases?
- Birth
  - Immigration
  - Emigration
  - Deaths
- 2, 3
  - 1, 2, 3, 4
  - 1, 2
  - 2, 3, 4
14. The dominant Explanation for black death is attributed to the outbreak of \_\_\_\_\_
- Rabies
  - Plague
  - Corona
  - Swine Flu
15. Which of the following is reason for Distribution of Population?
- Physical Factors
  - Historical Factors
  - Economic Factors
- 1, 3
  - 2, 3
  - 1, 2, 3
  - 1, 2
16. The World Population Day is observed on \_\_\_\_\_
- 11th July
  - 21th June
  - 13th July
  - 11th march
17. The world's population density is divided into \_\_\_\_\_ main groups
- 3
  - 2
  - 4
  - 5
18. Match the following
- I. Areas of high density - 1. Nigeria  
II. Areas of moderate density - 2. Canada  
III. Areas of low density - 3. Eastern North America
- 1, 3, 2
  - 2, 3, 1
  - 3, 1, 2
  - 2, 1, 3
19. India has an official population policy implemented in \_\_\_\_\_
- 1992
  - 1952
  - 1944
  - 1872
20. Which of the following major river basin for were evolution of farming took place?
- Ganges
  - Hwang Ho
  - Nile
  - Indus
- 2, 3, 4

- b) 1, 2, 4  
 c) 1, 2, 3  
 d) 1, 2, 3, 4
21. Match the following
- I. Circular pattern - 1. Roads cut each other at right angles  
 II. Star like pattern - 2. found around the lakes, ponds and sea coasts  
 III. Linear pattern - 3. located along road railway line and along edge of river valley  
 IV. Rectangular pattern - 4. Houses spread out along the sides of roads in all directions
- a) 3, 4, 2, 1  
 b) 2, 4, 3, 1  
 c) 1, 2, 4, 3  
 d) 3, 2, 1, 4
22. Which of the following are the other names of Cruciform settlements?
- 1) T-Shaped  
 2) Y-Shaped  
 3) Cross-Shaped  
 4) X-Shaped
- a) 1, 2, 3  
 b) 2, 3, 4  
 c) 1, 2, 3  
 d) 1, 3, 4
23. Which of the following statement is correct?
- 1) The factors responsible for urbanization are better employment opportunities, suitable conditions for business, education, transport, etc.  
 2) Urban is the term related to cities and towns where people are primarily engaged in non-agricultural activities, such as secondary, tertiary and quaternary activities.
- a) 1 alone  
 b) 2 alone  
 c) 1, 2  
 d) None
24. Arrange the following in increasing order
- 1) Hamlet  
 2) Conurbation  
 3) Small Town  
 4) City
- a) 1, 4, 3, 2  
 b) 1, 3, 4, 2  
 c) 2, 4, 1, 3  
 d) 3, 4, 2, 1
25. Match the following
- I. Metropolitan cities - 1. More than 50 lakhs  
 II. Town - 2. between 10 Lakhs and 50 lakhs  
 III. Megacities - 3. Less than 1 lakh
- a) 2, 1, 3  
 b) 2, 3, 1  
 c) 1, 3, 2  
 d) 3, 2, 1
26. Which of the following is an example of Conurbation?
- a) Delhi  
 b) Kolkata  
 c) Trichy  
 d) Chennai
27. Which is widely believed to be the oldest, continuously inhabited city in the world?
- a) Delhi  
 b) Kolkata  
 c) Damascus  
 d) Tokyo
28. According to the Quality of Living Rankings by Consultancy Mercer, in 2016 which city stands second?
- a) Tokyo  
 b) Delhi  
 c) Zurich  
 d) Vienna
29. Match the following

- I. Primary Activities - 1. Education
- II. Tertiary Activities - 2. Iron and Steel industries
- III. Secondary Activities - 3. Lumbering
- IV. Quaternary Activities - 4. Trade
- a) 3, 4, 2, 1
- b) 2, 3, 4, 1
- c) 3, 4, 1, 2
- d) 2, 4, 1, 3
30. Who among the following comes under Quinary Activities?
- a) Consultation
- b) Scientists
- c) Transport workers
- d) All the above
31. Which of the following are effects of Deforestation?
- 1) Depletion of ozone layer
- 2) Extinction of species
- 3) Floods and droughts
- a) 2, 3
- b) 1, 2
- c) 1, 3
- d) 1, 2, 3
32. UNCED stands for \_\_\_\_\_
- a) United Nations Conference on Environment and Development
- b) United Nations Conference on Economy and Development
- c) United Nations Conference on Environment and its Degradation
- d) United Nations Conference on Ecology and Development
33. Match the following correctly
- I. Brundtland Commission - 1. 1972
- II. Earth Summit Conference held at Brazil - 2. 1992
- III. Stockholm Conference - 3. 1987
- a) 3, 2, 1
- b) 2, 3, 1
- c) 1, 3, 2
- d) 2, 1, 3
34. Which of the following are elements of Sustainable development?
- 1) Economic growth
- 2) Social aspects
- 3) Environmental protection
- a) 1, 3
- b) 2, 3
- c) 1, 2, 3
- d) 1, 2
35. Which of the following statement is correct?
- 1) The ability of a social system such as a country, family or organization to function at a defined level of social well being and harmony is called social sustainability
- 2) Problems like war, endemic poverty, widespread injustice and low education rates are symptoms of a system in socially unsustainable
- a) 1 alone
- b) 2 alone
- c) 1, 2
- d) None