

CHAPTER 1 - GEOGRAPHY AS A DISCIPLINE

1. Regional geography helps in identifying the

- (a) realms (b) regions (c) distributions (d) problems

Answer : (b) regions

2. Which of the following is not studied under population geography?

- (a) Sex ratio (b) Migration (c) Pollution (d) Population

Answer : (c) Pollution

3. Which one of the following features can be termed as physical features?

- (a) Port (b) Road (c) Plain (d) Waterpark

Answer : (c) Plain

4. Who developed systematic geography?

- (a) Humbolt (b) Karl Ritter (c) Ellen C Semple (d) Alfred Hartner

Answer : (a) Humbolt

5. Who among the following said that 'geography is a concern with the description and explanation of the areal differentiation of the earth's surface

- (a) Herodotus (b) Eratosthenes (c) Richard Hartshorne (d) Galileo

Answer : (c) Richard Hartshorne

6. The regional approach was developed by

- (a) Alexander Von Humboldt. (b) Karl Ritter (c) Ptolemy (d) Ibn-e-Batuta

Answer : (b) Karl Ritter

7. Soils are formed by the process of

- (a) Soil synthesis (b) Pedogenesis (c) Photosynthesis (d) Radio genesis

Answer : (b) Pedogenesis

8. What do we study under physical geography?

- (a) Weather (b) Soil (c) Atmosphere (d) All of the above

Answer : (d) All of the above

9. Physical geography deals with the

- (a) study of settlements (b) study of culture (c) study of physical features (d) study of humans

Answer : (c) study of physical features

10. Which one of the following disciplines attempts temporal synthesis?

- (a) Sociology (b) Geography (c) Anthropology (d) History

Answer : (a) History

11. Which of the following is not a sub-branch of biogeography

- (a) Zoogeography (b) Plant geography (c) Environmental geography (d) Climatology

Answer : (d) Climatology

12. To sustain our life, we use

- (a) transportation (b) industries (c) resources (d) environment

Answer : (c) resources

13. Geo-informatics comprising techniques such as

- (a) Remote sensing, GIS, GPS (b) Map projection (c) Sampling (d) None of these

Answer : (a) Remote sensing, GIS, GPS

14. The major issue for environmental geography is

- (a) scientific study of the habitats.
(b) pollution, land degradation, and conservation of the environment.
(c) geographic characteristics of animals and their habitats.
(d) population explosion.

Answer : (b) pollution, land degradation, and conservation of environment.

15. Which one of the following is associated with biogeography?

- (a) Geology (b) Sociology (c) Zoology (d) Climatology

Answer:(c) Zoology