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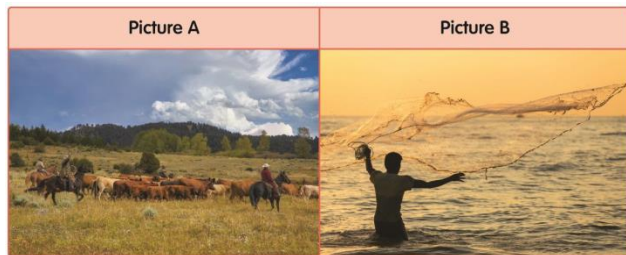
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WORKSHEET: 2

GRADE: 7

SUBJECT: SOCIAL SCIENCE

1. Which of the pictures shows an important occupation of people living in the Prairies? Support your answer with reasons.

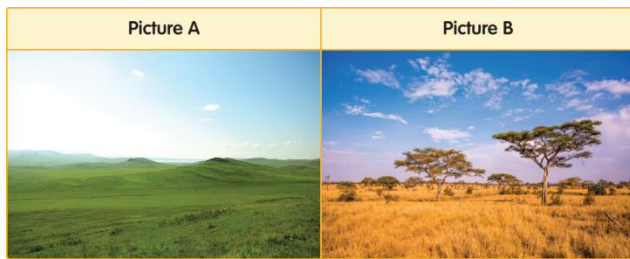


2. Write 2 possible effects on the environment if large parts of the Prairies in North America are converted into farmlands.

3. Jim belongs to an indigenous tribe that lives in the forest of the Amazon Basin. Which of the following things does he do to grow crops in the forest? Choose the correct option.

- a. Uses tractors to plough the land before sowing the seeds
- b. Uses chemical fertilizers to improve soil fertility
- c. Clears small areas of forest land by slashing and burning trees to grow crops
- d. Buys wheat and rice seeds from the city to grow them on forest land

4. Choose all the correct statements about tides.
 - a. Tides occur near coastlines every day.
 - b. Tides are caused by the gravitational pull of the Sun and moon.
 - c. The gravitational force of the Sun exerts a greater pull on water.
 - d. The position of the Sun and moon in relation to the Earth is important for tides.
5. Which picture shows the Steppes in Asia? Give 1 reason for your answer.



6. Although farming is the main occupation of people living in the Prairies, the Prairies is one of the most industrialized regions of the world. Write 2 possible reasons for this.
7. Where are tsunamis most likely to occur? What is the main cause of these tsunamis and how do they affect us?
8. Choose the correct options to complete the sentences

(definite gravity below heat)

Fill in the blanks using words from the passage.

Ocean currents are continuous movements of water in a definite direction. Ocean currents are usually driven by forces like gravity, wind, and water density. There are two types of ocean currents – warm and cold. These ocean currents can be found both at the surface of the ocean and below it. They help in the transfer of heat on Earth.

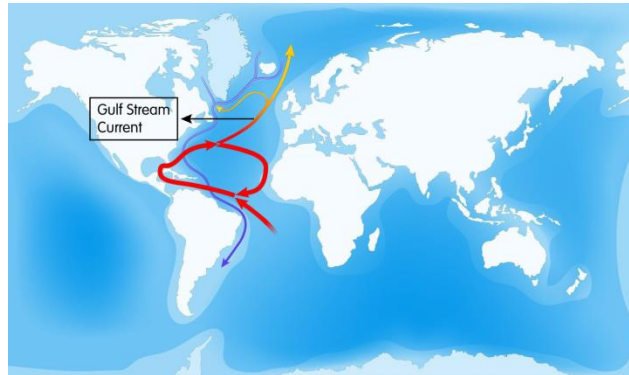
A. Ocean currents can be found at the surface and _____ the surface of the ocean.

B. Ocean currents are movements of water in a _____ direction.

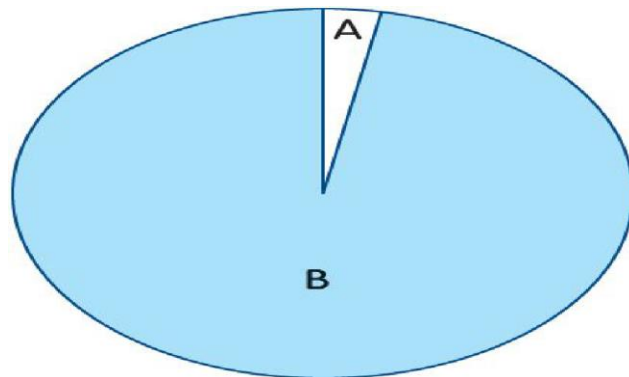
C. Ocean currents are responsible for the transfer of _____ on Earth.

D. Ocean currents are driven by forces like wind, water density, and _____.

9. Look at the map of the world showing the direction of the Gulf Stream. What kind of ocean current do you think it is? Why? How does it affect the climate of North America and Europe?

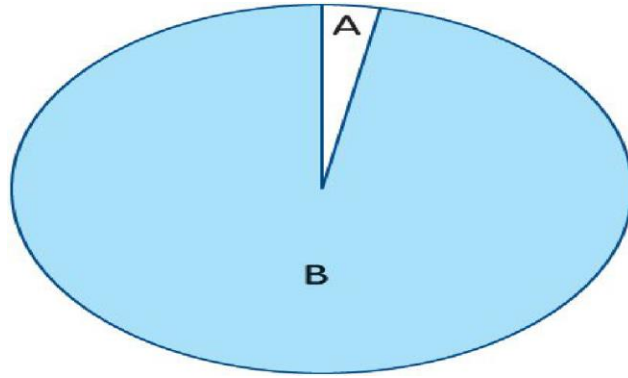


10. Study the pie chart showing the distribution of water carefully. Is there an even distribution of fresh and salt water on Earth? What effect does this have on human life? Why? Explain in



11. One important precaution against tsunamis is paying attention to warning signs, like the rapid draining of sea water. Suggest 2 precautionary measures you would take in the event of a tsunami.

12. Study the pie chart showing the distribution of water on Earth and answer the questions.



A. What type of water is being shown by A?

B. What percentage of water on Earth is covered by A?

C. What type of water is being shown by B?

D. What percentage of water on Earth is covered by B?

13. Why is farming an important occupation in the Ganga-Brahmaputra Basin but not in the Veldt? Write 3 reasons.

14. Choose ALL the correct statements that are describing temperate evergreen forests.

a. They receive enough rainfall to allow evergreen trees to grow.

b. The trees shed their leaves in autumn.

c. They experience distinct summer, autumn, and winter seasons.

d. They experience short, warm, and humid summers and long, cold, and wet winters.

15. Which of the following would you NOT find in tropical evergreen forests? Choose the correct option.

a. A lot of monkeys and birds

b. Tall evergreen hardwood trees

c. Heavy rainfall

d. A dry season

16. Read the sentence and choose the correct answer.

The Prairies receive less rainfall than the Amazon Basin.

- a. This statement is false because agriculture is the main occupation in the Prairies, which is not possible with less rainfall.
- b. This statement is true and that is why grasses mainly grow in the Prairies with very few trees.

17. Read the passage and underline the incorrect sentence. Then, write the correct sentence.

The area covered by the Ganga-Brahmaputra Basin has many big cities, such as Allahabad, Haridwar, Varanasi, and Patna. Agriculture is the main occupation in the Basin. The population is lesser on the plains as compared to the slopes of the Himalayas. There are many industries in the Basin.