# INDIAN SCHOOL MUSCAT
# DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCE
# MIDDLE SECTION
# HUMAN ENVIRONMENT-SETTLEMENT, TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION-WORKSHEET

**NAME- _____ CLASS-VII SEC- ___ ROLL NO.___DATE:___ /01/18**

## I. FILL IN THE BLANKS:

1. _____are places where people build their homes.
2. Settlements can be _____or _____.
3. Rural settlements can be _____ or _____.
4. Invention of the _____ made transport easier.
5. Modern means of transport saves _____ and _____.
6. _____ highway in the Himalayan Mountains is one of the highest roadways in the world.
7. _____are built over raised structures.
8. The train from _____ to _____ runs at an altitude of 4,000m above sea level.
9. Roads can be _____ and _____.
10. In rural areas, people build houses to suit their _____

## II. NAME THE FOLLOWING:

1. Roads built underground-_____
2. Longest railway system in the world- _____
3. The process of conveying messages to others- _____
4. An important port in South America- _____
5. Roadways that connect Delhi, Mumbai, Chennai and Kolkata-_____ _____
6. Seasonal movement of people- _____
7. Largest railway network in Asia- _____

## III. WRITE TRUE OR FALSE:

1. Thick mud walled houses with thatched roofs are found in areas of cold climate:_____
2. In the Andes Mountains of South America, Yaks are used for transport: _____

3. Through television we can communicate to a large number of people:_____
4. Waterways are the cheapest for carrying bulky goods over long distances:_____
5. The Great lakes in North America is an example of Inland waterways:_____

**IV. <u>ANSWER THE FOLLOWING IN TWO POINTS:</u>**

1. What are the two types of waterways?
2. Mention two advantages of Airways over other means of transport.
3. How is satellite communication helpful to us?

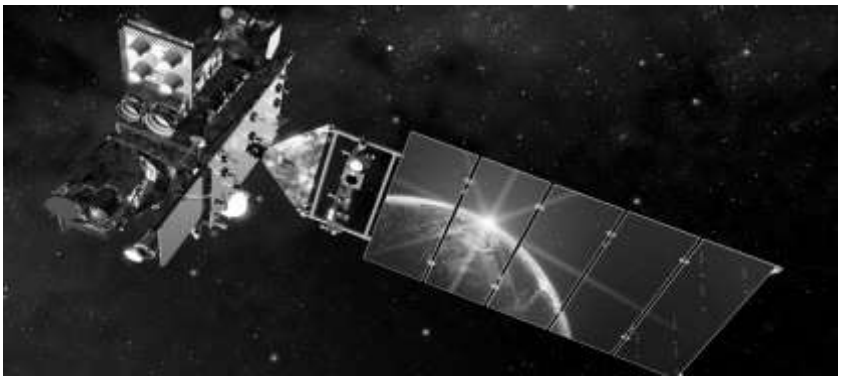
**V. <u>ANSWER THE FOLLOWING IN THREE POINTS:</u>**

4. Write a short note on the development of railways.
5. What kind of advancement do you notice in the field of communication?

**VI. <u>ANSWER THE FOLLOWING IN FOUR POINTS:</u>**

6. What do you know about rural settlement?
7. 'Internet has made our lives more comfortable'. Justify.

**<u>INTERESTING FACT</u>**



The Geostationary Operational Environmental Satellite-R Series (GOES-R) is the next generation of geostationary weather satellites, planned for launch in 2016.The GOES-R series is a collaborative development and acquisition effort between the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration and NASA. The GOES-R satellite, the first of the series, will provide continuous imagery and atmospheric measurements of Earth's Western Hemisphere and space weather monitoring.