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**MAJOR LANDFORMS OF THE EARTH**



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**I FILL IN THE BLANKS:**

- a. The wearing away of the of the earth's surface is called \_\_\_\_\_
- b. The processes of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ are carried out by running water, ice and wind.
- c. Processes that lead to upliftment and sinking of the earth's surface at several places are known as \_\_\_\_\_
- d. The process that is continuously wearing down and rebuilding the land surface is called \_\_\_\_\_
- e. Landforms depending on elevation and slope are \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_
- f. Mountains vary in their \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_
- g. \_\_\_\_\_ in Africa is a volcanic mountain.
- h. The \_\_\_\_\_ in Russia have rounded features and low elevation.

**II NAME THE FOLLOWING:**

- a. A land surface that rises higher than the surrounding area: \_\_\_\_\_
- b. A steep hill with an elevation of more than 600 metres: \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Permanently frozen rivers of ice: \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Mountains arranged in a line: \_\_\_\_\_
- e. An undersea mountain in Pacific Ocean which is higher than Mount Everest: \_\_\_\_\_
- f. One of the oldest fold mountain systems in India: \_\_\_\_\_
- g. Volcanic mountain in Japan: \_\_\_\_\_
- h. Very old fold mountain in North America: \_\_\_\_\_
- i. The oldest plateau in India: \_\_\_\_\_ -
- j. The highest plateau in the world: \_\_\_\_\_.

**III ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS IN 'TWO' POINTS:**

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1. Why are mountainous region thinly populated? 2
2. Write a short note on Block Mountains. 2

**IV ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS IN THREE POINTS:**

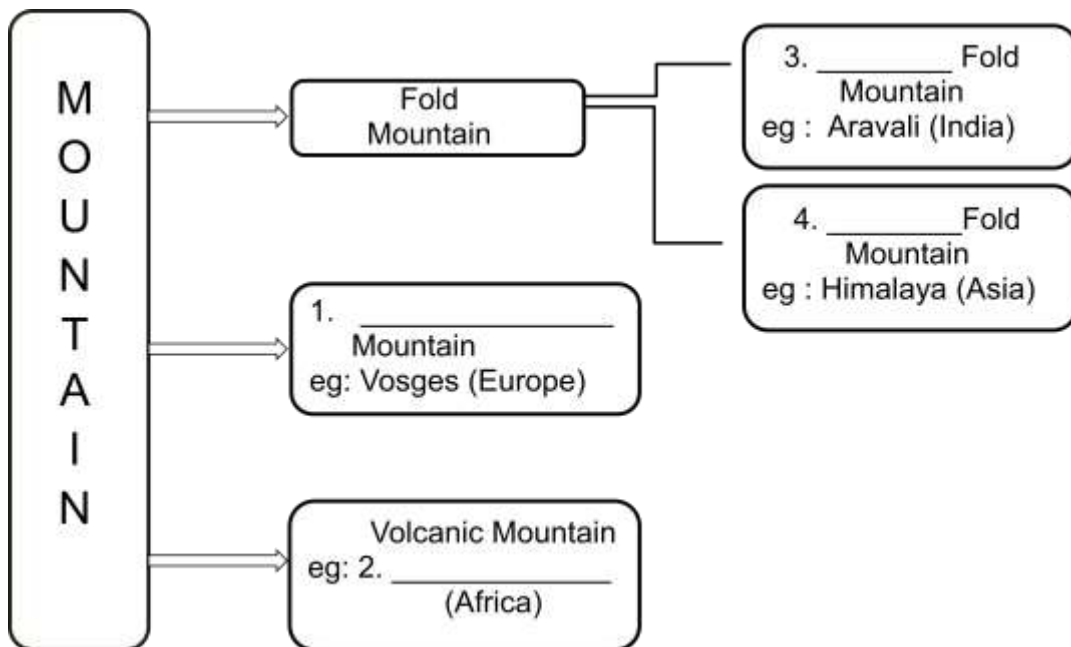
3. 'Most of the plains are formed by rivers and their tributaries'. Explain. 3
4. 'Plains have great concentration of people'. Give reason. 3.

**V ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS IN FOUR POINTS:**

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6. 'The earth has an infinite variety of landforms'. Justify the statement. 4
5. How are mountains useful to us? 4
6. Write a short note on the significance of Plateaus. 4

**VI COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING FLOW CHART ON TYPES OF MOUNTAINS:**



**VII ON THE GIVEN OUTLINE MAP OF THE WORLD, MARK AND LABEL THE FOLLOWING:**

1. Old fold mountains in North America **(brown)**
2. Young fold mountains in Europe **(brown)**
3. Young fold mountains in India **(brown)**
4. The highest plateau in the world **(orange)**
5. African Plateau **(orange)**
6. A densely populated plain in China **(green)**
7. A volcanic mountain in Japan **(circle the peak in red)**

Map Marking Steps :

1. Write the NUMBER of the landform feature as per the map item no. (Eg. 1.)
2. SHADE with appropriate colour.
3. Write the NAME in block letters of the place next to the symbol.  
(Eg. 1. APPALACHIANS)