



I. CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER TO FILL IN THE BLANKS. (4 x 1/2 =2)

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a. Deciduous	b. Coniferous	c. Evergreen	d. Tidal
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3. Sunderlal Bahuguna led the Chipko Movement in _____ . .

a. Uttar Pradesh	b. Andhra Pradesh	c. Uttarakhand	d. Sikkim
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4. These help increase the fertility of the soil.

a. frogs	b. earthworms	c. butterflies	d. rabbits
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II. MATCH THE FOLLOWING.

(4 x 1/2 =2)

1.	Deciduous Forest	a.	found in the deltas of rivers	1. _____
2.	Laterite Soil	b.	cannot hold much water and is not fertile	2. _____
3.	Tidal Forest	c.	found in the foothills of the Himalayas	3. _____
4.	Desert Soil	d.	red in colour , rich in Iron and Aluminium	4. _____

III. NAME THE FOLLOWING.

(2 x 1 = 2)

1. Cutting down of trees. _____
2. Any one wildlife sanctuary or national park. _____

IV. GIVE REASONS

(2 x 2 = 4)

1. Mountain soil is very fertile.
2. It is important to have wildlife sanctuaries and national parks.

V. ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.

(2 x 2 = 4)

1. How are forests useful to us? (any 4 points)
2. How is soil formed? Why is soil considered to be an important resource?

VI. DIFFERENTIATE BETWEEN

(2 x 1 = 2)

1. Evergreen Forest and Deciduous Forest

VII. ON THE GIVEN SOILS OF INDIA MAP MARK THE FOLLOWING.

(1 x 4 = 4)

1. Alluvial Soil
2. Desert Soil
3. The soil which is especially good for growing cotton and sugarcane.
4. Red Soil



INDIAN SCHOOL MUSCAT

PRIMARY SECTION



PERIODIC TEST –II - 2019-20

SOCIAL STUDIES

SET D (ANSWER KEY)

GRADE IV

DATE : 12.01.20

TOTAL MARKS : 20

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1. Cutting down of trees. **Deforestation**
2. Any one wildlife sanctuary or national park. **Corbett / Gir / Bandipur / Kaziranga etc.**

IV. GIVE REASONS

(2 x 2 = 4)

1. Mountain soil is very fertile.

Ans. **This is because mountain soil is rich in humus which is formed from the remains of dead plants and animals. The minerals present in the humus makes the soil fertile.**

2. It is important to have wildlife sanctuaries and national parks.

Ans. **The importance of having wildlife sanctuaries and national parks is to prevent deforestation and to conserve wildlife.**

V. ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.

(2 x 2 = 4)

1. How are forests useful to us? (any 4 points)

Ans. a. **We get timber, firewood, rubber, medicines, etc.**

b. **It prevents soil erosion and control floods.**

c. **Trees supply oxygen**

d. **Trees increase rainfall**

e. **Communities and tribes depend on forest**

f. **Provides shelter to wild animals**

2. How is soil formed? Why is soil considered to be an important resource?

Ans. **Rocks on the Earth are broken down into small pebbles by rain, flowing water and roots of plants. These pebbles break down further to form tiny pieces of soil.**

Soil is considered as an important natural resource because it is present in nature and is very important for the survival of plants and animals.

VI. DIFFERENTIATE BETWEEN**(2 x 1 = 2)**

2. Evergreen Forest and Deciduous Forest

Ans. (any 2 points)

<u>Evergreen Forest</u>	<u>Deciduous Forest</u>
<u>1) Trees shed their leaves continuously and not all at once.</u>	<u>1) Trees shed their leaves for sometime during dry and warm climate. (Summer in India)</u>
<u>2) Found on the slopes of the Western Ghats and the north- eastern states.</u>	<u>2) Found in the Southern Plateau and in the foothills of the Himalayas.</u>
<u>3) e.g – rosewood, ebony, mahogany</u>	<u>3) e.g – teak, sal, sheesham</u>

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