



ST. LAWRENCE HIGH SCHOOL

A JESUIT CHRISTIAN MINORITY INSTITUTION

Second Term Examination - 2018

Class : 8



Sub : Geography

F.M.: 80

DURATION: 2 Hrs 30 Mins

DATE: 30.07.2018

Read the questions carefully and answer them as directed:-

Group - A

1. State whether the following statements are "True" or "False". 3
 - i. Asia comprises about 30% of the Earth's land area.
 - ii. Thailand faced the Typhoon Gay in the year 1999.
 - iii. Rivers Tigris and Euphrates flow into the Persian Gulf.

2. Choose the correct word and complete the sentences. 5
 - i. On May 2001, a major earthquake struck (Bhopal/Bhuj/Bhilai) in Gujarat.
 - ii. The plateau of Anatolia lies between the Pontic and (Elburz/Zagros/Taurus) mountains.
 - iii. The (Kaziranga/Kalesar/Khiringanga) national park was affected largely by the Assam flood.
 - iv. The longest river of Asia is (Yangtze/Huang He/Zhujiang).
 - v. India had the largest diaspora in (2013/2014/2015).

3. Match the words of Column A with that of Column B. 4

"A"	"B"
Russia	East Asia
Maldives	Southeast Asia
Taiwan	North Asia
Vietnam	Southwest Asia
	South Asia

4. Answer in not more than three words. 3
 - i. The uncontrolled expansion of urban areas.
 - ii. The peninsula that connects Asia with Africa.
 - iii. The other name for 1950 Assam-Tibet earthquake.

Group - B

5. Answer in one or two sentences only. 5 x 2 = 10
 - i. What is meteorological hazard?
 - ii. Write about the environmental impacts of migration.
 - iii. Name the four major islands of Japan.
 - iv. Write about the Latin American migration.
 - v. What are inter-montane plateaus? Give example.

6. With the help of a neatly labelled diagram show the 'Continental Collision'. 3

7. Answer in short. (any 4)

4 x 3 = 12

- i. Describe a 'Chang ghor'.
- ii. Define internal migration and state its two types.
- iii. Describe in a nutshell the Andes mountain range.
- iv. Depict the significance of December 1984 and April 1986.
- v. Delineate the 'Hyogo Framework'.
- vi. Describe the various types of man-made hazards..

Group C

8 Answer any seven:

5x7=35

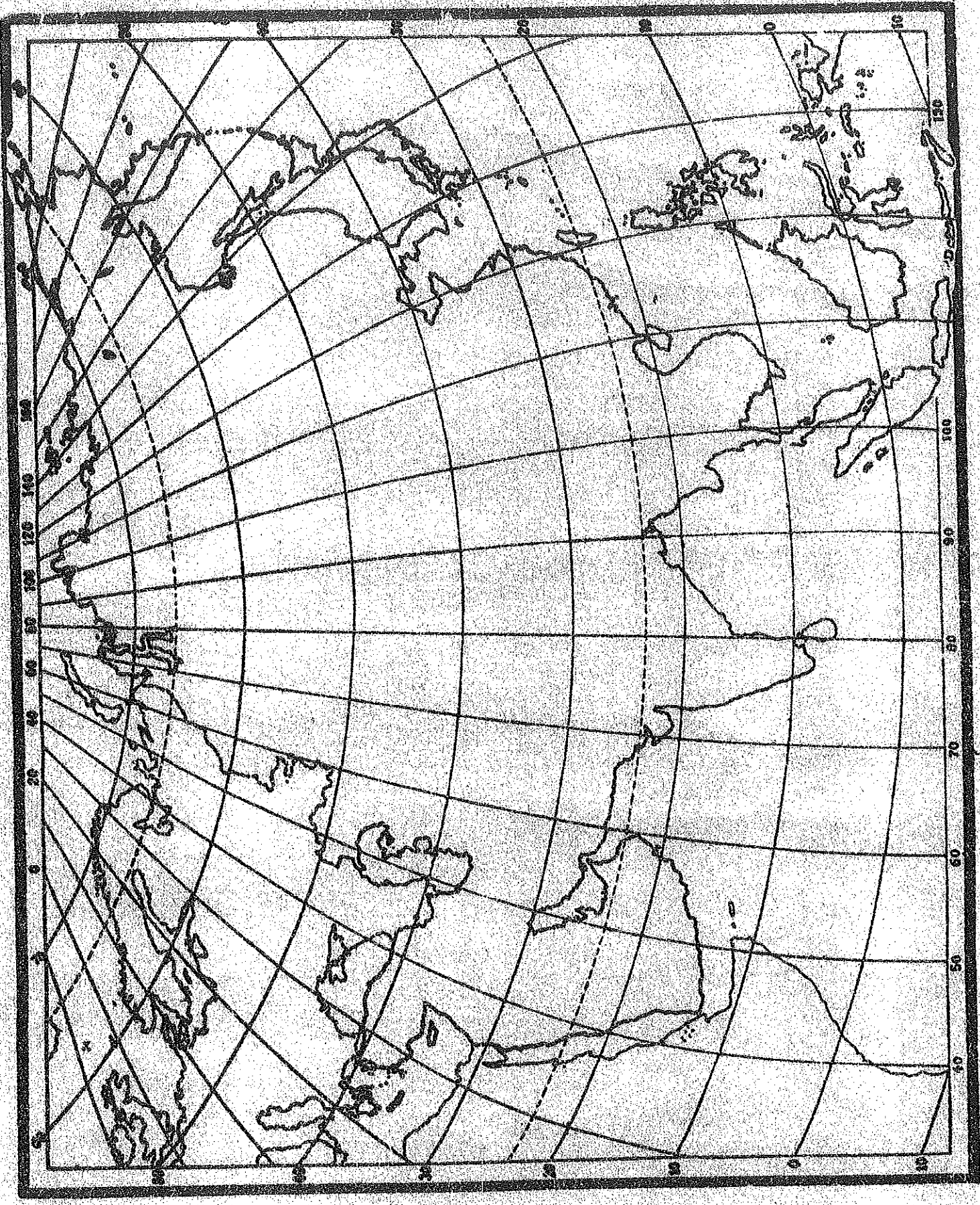
- a. Describe the relief of the Southern Plateaus of Asia.
- b. What are the causes of rural to urban migration?
- c. Discuss any three impacts of earthquake in Nepal.
- d. What is hazard? Define the different types of natural hazards.
- e. Explain vulnerability and capacity.
- f. Differentiate between Col and Gap along with diagrams.
- g. List five preparedness measures of disaster management.
- h. Explain the causes of the Nepal Earthquake in 2015.
- i. What are the different impacts of migration? Discuss about any one impact

9 Point out the followings in the given map of Asia along with proper symbols and index in the map:

1x5=5

- a. Taurus mountains
- b. West Siberian Plain
- c. Sakhalin Island
- d. Cape Kumarika
- e. Manila City

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 - i. The uncontrolled expansion of urban areas. **Ans: Urban sprawl**
 - ii. The peninsula that connects Asia with Africa. **Ans: Sinai Peninsula**
 - iii. The other name for 1950 Assam-Tibet earthquake.
Ans: 1950 Great Earthquake

Group – B

5. Answer in one or two sentences only. 5 x 2 = 10
 - i. What is meteorological hazard?
Ans: Chapter: 6, Page : 68 – 1st definition under Types of Hazards.
 - ii. Write about the environmental impacts of migration.
Ans: Chapter: 4, Page: 51 – paragraph under Environmental Impacts.
 - iii. Name the four major islands of Japan.
Ans: Hokkaido, Honshu, Shikoku & Kyushu.
 - iv. Write about the Latin American migration.
Ans: Chapter: 4, Page: 52 – 2nd paragraph: Latin America.

- v. What are inter-montane plateaus? Give example.
Ans: Chapter: 11, Page: 109 – footnote - e.g. **Plateaus of Tibet, Anatolia, Iran, Mongolia** etc.
6. With the help of a neatly labelled diagram show the '**Continental Collision**'. 3
Ans: Chapter: 9, Page: 92 – Diagram: **Continental Collision**.
7. **Answer in short.** (any 4) 4 x 3 = 12
- i. Describe a 'Chang ghor'.
Ans: Chapter: 8, Page: 88 – **Fact Pedia**.
- ii. Define internal migration and state its two types.
Ans: Chapter: 4, Page: 48 – **Defining Internal Migration – Types: Rural to Urban & Urban to Urban**.
- iii. Describe in a nutshell the Andes mountain range.
Ans: Chapter: 11, Page: 113 – **Geo Connect**.
- iv. Depict the significance of December 1984 and April 1986.
Ans: Chapter: 6, Page: 67 – **Reflect: 2nd & 3rd facts**.
- v. Delineate the 'Hyogo Framework'.
Ans: Chapter: 6, Page: 70 – **Fact Pedia**.
- vi. Describe the various types of man-made hazards.
Ans: Chapter: 6, Page: 68 – 3 criteria under **Types of man-made hazards**.

Group C

- a. Chapter- 11, page: 109-110
- b. chapter 4, page: 48 -> Rural to urban migration
- c. Chapter 9, page: 93-94; any three
- d. Chapter- 6, page 68. Definition of hazard, types of natural hazard
- e. Chapter- 6, page 69. Discussions in vulnerability and capacity
- f. Chapter- 1, page 15. Col and Gap, diagrams on page 15
- g. Chapter -6, page: 70-71. Preparedness
- h. Chapter- 9, page 93. Causes of earthquake, continental collision, diagram on page 92
- i. Chapter- 4, page 51. 1st para, any one of economic, social, demographic, environmental impacts

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