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Social Study

**Answer Worksheet – 3**

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Topic: The Himalayas

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**A. Fill in the blanks**

1. India can be divided into **five** natural regions
2. The **Himalayas** are the highest mountain ranges in the world
3. The Himalayas form a natural boundary between India and the countries of **China, Nepal** and **Bhutan**
4. The **Himadri** is the highest range in the Himalayas with snow-covered peaks and **glaciers**
5. The highest peaks of the Himalayas are **Mount Everest, Kanchenjunga** and Lhotse
6. The average height of the Greater Himalayas is over **6,000** metres
7. The **Himachal** range lies to the **south** of the Greater Himalayas
8. There are valleys called **Doons** or Duns between the Lower and Middle Himalayas
9. The Himalayas act as a natural line of defence for **India**
10. During winter, the Himalayas stop the cold freezing winds from **Central Asia** from blowing into India

**B. Match the Column**

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|-----------------------|---|---|
| 1. Mount Everest      | 2 | Nepal - China                           |
| 2. Lhotse             | 1 | Nepal                                   |
| 3. Kashmir            | 5 | rise from the glaciers in the Himalayas |
| 4. Darjeeling         | 3 | the beautiful valley                    |
| 5. Ganga, Brahmaputra | 4 | the hill station                        |

**C. Answer in one or two words:**

1. What is the Greater Himalayas also known as? – **The Himadri**
2. What is the Middle Himalayas also known as? – **The Himachal**
3. What is the Lower Himalayas also known as? – **The shiwalik**
4. What is the average height of the Lower Himalayas? – **900-1200 metres**
5. What is a huge mass of ice and rock called which moves slowly over land? – **The glaciers**

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