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WORKSHEET - 8

Class: 9

Sub: GEOGRAPHY

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TOPIC: CAUSES AND EFFECTS OF EARTHQUAKE

CHAPTER: 6

I. CHOOSE THE CORRECT OPTION.

(1X15=15)

- The Plate Tectonic Theory states that when two plates converge from opposite directions, _____ occurs.**
a. Flood b. Tsunami c. Cyclone d. Earthquake
- The earthquake due to Krakatau Volcanic eruptions took place in the year**
a. 1983 b. 1883 c. 1388 d. 1838
- Dislocation of earth's crust can also cause earthquake.**
a. Yes b. No c. Maybe d. Not sure
- The destructive earthquake of 1950 in Assam changed the course of**
a. Mahanadi river b. Brahmaputra river c. Ganga river d. Yamuna river
- Severe earthquakes can cause**
a. Landslides b. Tsunamis c. Liquefaction d. All
- The expansion and contraction of gases in the interior of the earth causes**
a. Volcanic eruptions b. Tsunami c. Flood d. Earthquake
- When earthquakes are caused due to adjustments in inner rock beds, they are known as**
a. Eruptions b. Plutonic earthquake c. Both a & b d. Only a
- The term earthquake may also mean**
a. Tremor b. Movement c. Sudden shake d. All of them
- The series of sea waves triggered by tremendous seaquakes is called**
a. Earthquake b. Volcanism c. Tsunami d. Drought
- Hazards that are caused by natural phenomena or events is called**
a. Natural hazards b. Manmade hazards c. Terrestrial hazard d. None
- The magnitude of seismic waves is measured by**
a. Richter scale b. Barograph c. Seismograph d. Barometer
- The point where slip or rupture of plates takes place is called**
a. Focus b. Epicenter c. Destruction d. None
- On _____, an earthquake occurred with an epicenter off the west coast of Sumatra, Indonesia in Indian Ocean.**
a. 29th Nov 2006 b. 23rd Dec 2002 c. 25th Sept 2004 d. 26th Dec 2004
- Earthquake is a**
a. Geological hazard b. Manmade hazard c. Natural hazard d. Both a & c
- Buildings, roads, bridges are severely damaged due to earthquake.**
a. True b. Not sure c. False d. Partly correct

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