



# ST. LAWRENCE HIGH SCHOOL



JESUIT MINORITY INSTITUTION

CLASS 5

WORKSHEET NO. :05

SUB: GENERAL SCIENCE

F.M. 15

TOPIC: PLANTS: INCREASING THE NUMBERS

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**A. CHOOSE THE CORRECT OPTION:**

**15x1=15**

- Plants need to be grown on a large scale to feed the entire \_\_\_\_\_ of a country.  
a) area      b) people      c) **population**
- The practice of growing plants on a large scale is called \_\_\_\_\_.  
a) **agriculture**      b) germination      c) plantation
- \_\_\_\_\_ is added to soil to increase the production of crops.  
a) Chemical      b) **Manure**      c) Food
- \_\_\_\_\_ like urea, super phosphate, ammonium sulphate and nitrate are added to the soil to maintain the fertility of the soil.  
a) Pesticides      b) **Fertilizers**      c) Insecticides
- Overuse of chemical fertilizers can be \_\_\_\_\_ for the soil as well as the crops.  
a) **harmful**      b) beneficial      c) useful
- Insecticides and pesticides are \_\_\_\_\_ that are sprayed on standing crops.  
a) manure      b) fertilizers      c) **chemicals**
- \_\_\_\_\_ protect the crops from being destroyed by pests.  
a) Weedicides      b) **Pesticides**      c) Insecticides
- \_\_\_\_\_ means artificially watering the plants.  
a) Plantation      b) Cultivation      c) **Irrigation**
- Insecticides are chemicals used for destroying harmful \_\_\_\_\_.  
a) **insects**      b) pests      c) weeds

10. Excessive use of pesticides and insecticides can be harmful to the human \_\_\_\_\_.
- a) strength                      b) wealth                      c) **health**
11. \_\_\_\_\_ is used to control the growth of the weeds.
- a) Insecticides                      b) **Weedicides**                      c) Pesticides
12. Crops need to be protected against \_\_\_\_\_ animals like cows and goats.
- a) pet                      b) domestic                      c) **grazing**
13. \_\_\_\_\_ such as locusts, grasshoppers and caterpillars need to be kept away from the crops.
- a) Pets                      b) **Pests**                      c) Animals
14. Crops should be prevented from \_\_\_\_\_.
- a) sunlight                      b) growth                      c) **diseases**
15. Bigger animals can be kept away from the agricultural area by proper \_\_\_\_\_.
- a) construction                      b) **fencing**                      c) building

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