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JESUIT CHRISTIAN MINORITY INSTITUTION

FIRST TERM WORKSHEET NO. - 4



Class: 9 A, B, C, D

Sub: GEOGRAPHY

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CHAPTER: 2

TOPIC: EARTH AS A PLANET

I. CHOOSE THE CORRECT OPTION

(1x15=15)

- 1. The earth's axis makes an angle of _____ with the vertical. b. $23\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$
- 2. The earth's axis makes an angle of _____ with the plane of the earth's orbit. d. $66\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$
- 3. The earth's axis always remains pointed towards the a. Pole star
- **4.** The surface speed of rotation of the earth is highest at the c. Equator
- 5. The surface speed of rotation of the earth becomes zero at the d. Both south and north poles
- 6. The surface speed at the equator is b. 1630 km/hr
- 7. What are the effects of the speed of rotation?
 - a. Both
- 8. In which year did the famous French scientist, Jean Bernard Foucault gave an excellent proof of earth's rotation?
 d. 1851
- **9.** Which of the following is the effect of earth's rotation? d. All
- **10.** The imaginary line that separates the lit up half from the darkened half is called c. Both
- **11.** The tendency of deflection of wind due to the earth's rotation is known as c. Both a & b
- **12. How many times do each place on the surface of the earth is swept over by the shadow circle?** b. Twice
- 13. The sun rises in the east and sets in the west due to_____.a. Rotation of the earth
- **14.** The time at which the sun stands in vertical position above the horizon of a place on the earth is called c. Noon
- 15. The time at which the upper edge of the sun appears above the apparent horizon of a place on the earth's surface on a clear day is called
 - a. Sunrise