INDIAN SCHOOL NIZWA - WORKSHEET

SOCIAL SCIENCE
GEOGRAPHY
Ch.4. CLIMATE

Name: _____ Date:_____ Class: IX Sec: ___

Very short answers:-

1) What is known as the 'burst' of the monsoon?
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2) What are jet streams?
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3) Define Kaal Baisakhi.
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4) What do you mean by 'mango showers'?
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5) Define the term 'Coriolis Force".
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6) What does monsoon refer to?
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7) What are the elements of climate and weather?
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8) In which part of the country do we see more seasonal contrasts?
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9) Name the six major controls of the climate of any place.
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10) What role do the Himalayas play in the climate of India?
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11) Where is equitable type of climate found?
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12) Give two features of the cold weather season or winter.
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13) What are the thunder storms called in West Bengal?
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14) What is the Inter- Tropical Convergence Zone? (ITCZ)

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15) What phenomena are associated with localised thunderstorms?

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16) What is winter rainfall locally known as?

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17) In which states of India are mango showers common? What is their importance?

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18) What do you mean by 'breaks' in monsoon?

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19) What is known as' October heat'?

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20) Name the two states on the Eastern Coast which are frequently struck by the tropical cyclones.

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Short Answer Type questions:

1) 'India's climate has the characteristics of tropical as well as sub-tropical climates. Explain.
2) What do you mean by climate and weather? What are their elements?
3) Write short notes on 'loo' and 'dust storms'.
4) What is meant by Southern Oscillation? State an important feature of it.
5) What causes rainfall during winters in north-western part of India?
6) What would be the possible dangers in the regions of Eastern Coast of India?
7) "Monsoons are known for their uncertainties and vagaries." Explain.
8) What do you mean by rain-shadow areas?
9) Distinguish between South-West monsoon and North- east monsoon.