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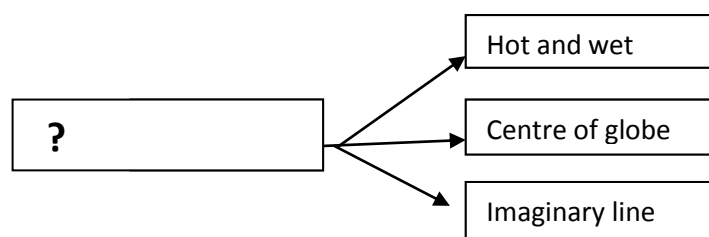
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**I. Circle the correct answer :**

**(1×10=10)**

1. Which of the following is a weather condition?  
a) Summer                                      b) Winter                                      c) Cloudy day
2. Winds coming from the sea make a place,  
a) Humid                                      b) Cold                                      c) Dry
3. The cold zone is also known as  
a) Temperate zone                                      b) Polar zone                                      c) Frigid zone
4. The equatorial region is found in which of the following countries,  
a) Ghana,Columbia,Spain      b) Srilanka, Zaire , Brazil                                      c) Algeria ,China , Ghana
5. The pygmies tribe lives in the forest of  
a) Zaire                                      b) Malaysia                                      c) Sumatra
6. Estancias are  
a) large meat factories                                      b) large cattle ranches                                      c) large wheat farming
7. Down grasslands are found in  
a) North America                                      b) Australia                                      c) South America
8. Between the tropical areas and the polar regions lies the  
a) Temperate zone                                      b) Torrid zone                                      c) Polar zone
9. Choose the correct word in the blank associated with all in the three words on the right.



10. The people who study about climate is known as,  
a) Meteorologists                      b) Climatologists                      c) Zoologists

**II. Anagram (Unscramble the correct word):** **(1 x 3 =3)**

1. WATER HE \_\_\_\_\_
2. MAD NOIC \_\_\_\_\_
3. TUR SAND \_\_\_\_\_

**III. Fill in the Blanks:** **(½x10=5)**

1. The hardwood trees are tall and \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Places at higher \_\_\_\_\_ have colder climate.
3. Gorillas and baboons are animals commonly found in \_\_\_\_\_.
4. The grasslands of the northern hemisphere experience \_\_\_\_\_ climate.
5. The temperate grasslands are located far from the \_\_\_\_\_.
6. The Heat zone between the Tropic of Cancer and Tropic of Capricorn is known as \_\_\_\_\_.
7. The \_\_\_\_\_ sheep yield the softest wool.
8. The Equatorial regions are mainly inhabited by \_\_\_\_\_ people.
9. The amount of moisture present in air is known as \_\_\_\_\_.
10. The Plantation agriculture was introduced by \_\_\_\_\_.

**IV. Analogy:** **(1x6=6)**

1. North America : Prairies :: \_\_\_\_\_ : Velds
2. Cowboys : Gauchos :: Cattle ranches : \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Kubus : \_\_\_\_\_ :: Hottentots : South Africa
4. Tea plantation : \_\_\_\_\_ :: Coffee plantation : India
5. \_\_\_\_\_ : tropical climate :: Frigid zone : Polar climate.
6. Kirghiz : \_\_\_\_\_ :: Hottentots: Velds

**V. State whether the following statements are 'true or 'false'.** **(1x5=5)**

1. Climate is the condition of the atmosphere at a particular place and time.  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. Tropical climate is very hot climate.\_\_\_\_\_.

3. In equatorial regions the trees are tall, hard and evergreen.\_\_\_\_\_.
4. The grasslands in southern hemisphere experience extreme climate.\_\_\_\_\_
5. In Russia the Temperate grasslands are also known as Steppes.\_\_\_\_\_.

**VI. Short Notes:**

**(1x5=5)**

1. Plantation agriculture.

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2. Rainfall in equatorial region.

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3. Climate in Temperate grasslands.

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4. Temperate zone

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5. Altitude

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**VII. Answer the Following:**

**(2x5=10)**

1. Who are Gauchos? What is their work?

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2. Name any four grasslands found in the temperate areas?

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3. Why do different regions have different types of climate?

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4. What is the difference between weather and climate? Why are some areas very humid?

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5. Explain, how latitude and altitude influence climate?

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**VIII. Solve the Crossword using the clues given below:**

**(1x6=6)**

**ACROSS:**

- 1. Gas causing greenhouse effect.
- 2. Hot zone
- 3. Semang tribes found in this place.

**DOWN:**

- 2. Areas with polar climate
- 5. Height above the sea level
- 6. Bread basket of the world.

