

Human Settlements

Multiple Choice Questions:

Question 1.

Identify the settlement type that develops on either side of a road, a river, a railway line or a canal.

- (a) Cross shaped
- (b) Circular
- (c) Linear
- (d) Square

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Answer: (c) Linear

Question 2.

Which of these economic activities is dominant in rural areas?

- (a) Primary
- (b) Secondary
- (c) Tertiary
- (d) Quaternary

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Answer: (a) Primary

Question 3.

Which one of these regions has documented the oldest urban settlement?

- (a) Indus Valley
- (b) Huang-Ho valley
- (c) Nile Valley
- (d) Mesopotamia

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Answer: (a) Indus Valley

Question 4.

At the beginning of the year 2016, how many cities in India gained the status of a million city?

- (a) 400
- (b) 412
- (c) 500
- (d) 512

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Answer: (d) 512

Question 5.

Which of these resources are most essential for creating adequate social infrastructure to cater to the needs of a large population in developing nations?

- (a) Financial
- (b) Human
- (c) Natural
- (d) Social

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Answer: (a) Financial

Question 6.

Which one of the following settlements is usually located near waterbodies?

- (a) Rural
- (b) Planned
- (c) Urban
- (d) None of these

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Answer: (a) Rural

Question 7.

Places such as Jerusalem and Mecca are known as towns.

- (a) trading
- (b) commercial
- (c) cultural
- (d) administrative

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Answer: (c) cultural

Question 8.

Which capital city was planned by Waiter Burley Griffin?

- (a) London
- (b) Delhi
- (c) Buenos Aires
- (d) Canberra

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Answer: (d) Canberra

Question 9.

Who popularised the Greek word 'megapolis'?

- (a) Walter Burley Griffin
- (b) Jean Gottman
- (c) Patrick Geddes
- (d) Lewis Mumford

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Answer: (b) Jean Gottman

Question 10.

In which of the following years was Addis Ababa established?

- (a) 1800
- (b) 1878
- (c) 1880
- (d) 1778

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Answer: (b) 1878

Question 11.

Settlements in low lying river basins, on terraces and levees are called settlements.

- (a) Dry point settlements
- (b) Plateau villages
- (c) Farming villages
- (d) Wet point settlements

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Answer: (a) Dry point settlements

Question 12.

Which of the following is not a type of village on the basis of function?

- (a) Farming village
- (b) Fishermen's village
- (c) Circular village
- (d) Pastoral village

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Answer: (c) Circular village

Question 13.

Which one of the following does not influence the pattern of rural settlements?

- (a) Site and terrain
- (b) Shape and size

- (c) Surrounding topography
- (d) Population

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Answer: (d) Population

Question 14.

Villages can be identified on the basis of setting. Which one of the following does not fit the category?

- (a) Plain village
- (b) Coastal village
- (c) Desert village
- (d) Double village

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Answer: (d) Double village

Question 15.

Which of the following statements is incorrect?

- (a) Canberra was planned as capital of Australia in 1912.
- (b) Addis Ababa was established in 1878.
- (c) London became a million city in 1800.
- (d) New York became a megacity in 1850.

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Answer: (d) New York became a megacity in 1850.

Question 16.

Which of these is not a problem faced by urban settlements in developing countries?

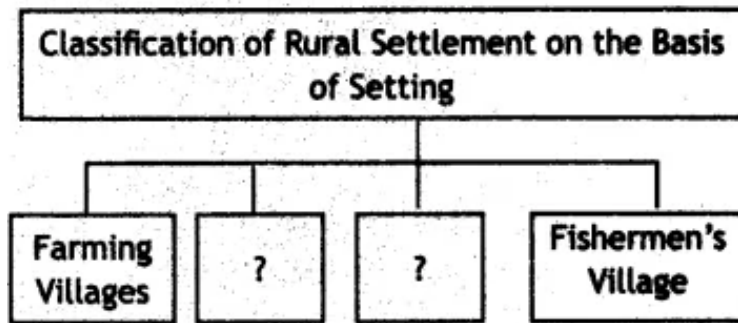
- (a) Pollution
- (b) Poor sewerage
- (c) Housing in surplus
- (d) Urban Slums

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Answer: (c) Housing in surplus

Question 17.

Complete the following table by writing appropriate names in the blank.



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Answer: LumberJack Village, Pastoral Village
