

Exercises

A. Tick (✓) the correct option:

1. The water body on the earth is sea.

Ans. a. Sea

2. A piece of land surrounded by water on three sides is peninsula

Ans. c. Peninsula

3. It is easy to build houses on plain.

Ans. b. Plain

4. Camel is an important animal in desert.

Ans. b. Camel

5. Rivers are formed when snow from the mountains melts.

Ans. c. Rivers

B. Short Answer Questions:

1. How is a waterfall formed?

Ans. When water falls from a great height, it forms a waterfall.

2. What is the use of river water?

Ans. River water can be used for drinking, cooking and washing.

3. What are the different landforms on the earth?

Ans. Plains, hills and mountains, valleys, plateau, desert etc.

4. Why are plains so useful for the people?

Ans. Plains are useful because Cities, factories, railways tracks and roads can be easily built in the plains.

5. Which water body has salty water? Which is the cleanest form of fresh water?

Ans. Sea water is salty. Rain water is the cleanest form of fresh water.

C. Fill in the blanks

1. A small model of the earth is called a globe.

2. The peaks of mountain are usually covered with snow.
3. Earth is made up of land and water.
4. Cactus stores water in its fleshy stem.
5. The layer of air surrounding the earth is called atmosphere.

D. State True Or False:

1. The sun moves around the earth. False.
2. Forests are surrounded by water on all sides. False.
3. Water falling from a great height forms waterfalls. True.
4. The tip of a mountain is called peak. True.
5. The earth is square in shape. False.

E. Match the columns:

Column A

1. Forest
2. Island
3. River
4. Plateau
5. Rain water

Column B

- covered with bushes and trees
- land surrounded by water
- formed by melting of snow
- flat table land
- fresh water

F. What am I?

1. I flow in valleys rivers.
2. I am a model of the earth globe
3. I cover very high area with steep slope hills and mountains
4. I am very hot and give heat and light sun
5. I am the level land on top of a mountain plateau
6. I surrounded the earth atmosphere
7. I am the low land between two mountains valley

G. Puzzles and Quiz:

1. Unscramble the jumbled words

LAVLYE	<u>VALLEY</u>	DSINLA	<u>ISLAND</u>
ALEK	<u>LAKE</u>	NOAEC	<u>OCEAN</u>
LHLI	<u>HILL</u>	NPILA	<u>PLAIN</u>
RRIEV	<u>RIVER</u>	EETSDR	<u>DESERT</u>

2. Find the names of landforms and water bodies in the given maze

Ans. a. Forest

b. Hill

c. Plateau

d. Pond

e. Mountain

f. Ocean

g. Lake

h. Island

i. Sea

j. Desert

