

Chapter-6

Worksheet-2

Choose the correct option:

1. Which among of these has the lowest literacy rate in India?

- (a) Kerala
- (b) Chennai
- (c) West Bengal
- (d) Bihar

2. India is the _____ most populated country in the world.

- (a) fourth
- (b) third
- (c) second
- (d) first

3. Name the union territory of India which has highest population density:

- (a) Chandigarh
- (b) Delhi
- (c) Port Blair
- (d) Lakshadweep

4. What is the population density of India?

- (a) 689 persons per sq. km
- (b) 528 persons per sq. km
- (c) 324 persons per sq. km
- (d) 765 persons per sq. km

5. Which movement of the people across regions and territories does not change the size of the population?

- (a) External
- (b) Internal
- (c) Both (a) and (b)
- (d) None of these

6. Which one of the following state of India has very low population density?

- (a) Arunachal Pradesh
 - (b) Sikkim
 - (c) Orissa
 - (d) All of these
7. In which of the following instances does a natural event like a flood or Tsunami become a 'disaster'?
- (a) Only when they affect a crowded village or town
 - (b) When the natural events are of great intensity
 - (c) When they happen in the environment
 - (d) When they affect large uninhabited areas
8. What is sex ratio?
- (a) Number of females per thousand males
 - (b) Number of females per hundred males
 - (c) The study of population growth
 - (d) Difference between birth rate and death rate
9. Which one of the following is the most significant feature of the Indian population?
- (a) Declining birth rate
 - (b) Improvement in the literacy level
 - (c) The size of its adolescent population
 - (d) Improvement in health conditions
10. The rate or pace of population increase per year is referred to as which of the following?
- (a) Absolute increase
 - (b) Magnitude of increase
 - (c) Annual growth rate
 - (d) Population change

Answer the following Questions.

- 11. Explain any three differences between dependent and productive population.
- 12. Give reasons for low sex ratio in India.

13. “In India, literacy rate among women is still low.” Justify the statement.
14. Who is treated as literate according to the Census of 2001? Why is literacy an important quality of a population?
15. Explain the occupational structure of India.
16. What are the advantages of having a healthy population? In spite of the efforts of the government, the health situation in India is a matter of great concern. Why?
17. Why is too much attention and care required for adolescent population?
18. Explain how the quality of people is more important than quantity of people.
19. Why is population very important in a country?
20. Define the following terms:
 - (a) Population, (b) Census, (c) Million plus cities/Mega Cities