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CLASS –VII

SUBJECT: - SOCIAL SCIENCE

CHAPTER- ENVIRONMENT (Assessment)

GUIDELINES: This is an assessment worksheet to help students recapitulate the learnings from the chapter.

- Read the notes and the Chapter 1 of Geography- 'Environment' and follow the instructions given below.
- The summary mind map is **not** to be copied in the notebook.
- All the questions are to be done in the Social Science notebook.
- Write only the question and the correct answer for the MCQs in the notebook.

REFERENCE BOOK Our Environment (NCERT Geography Book - Class VII)

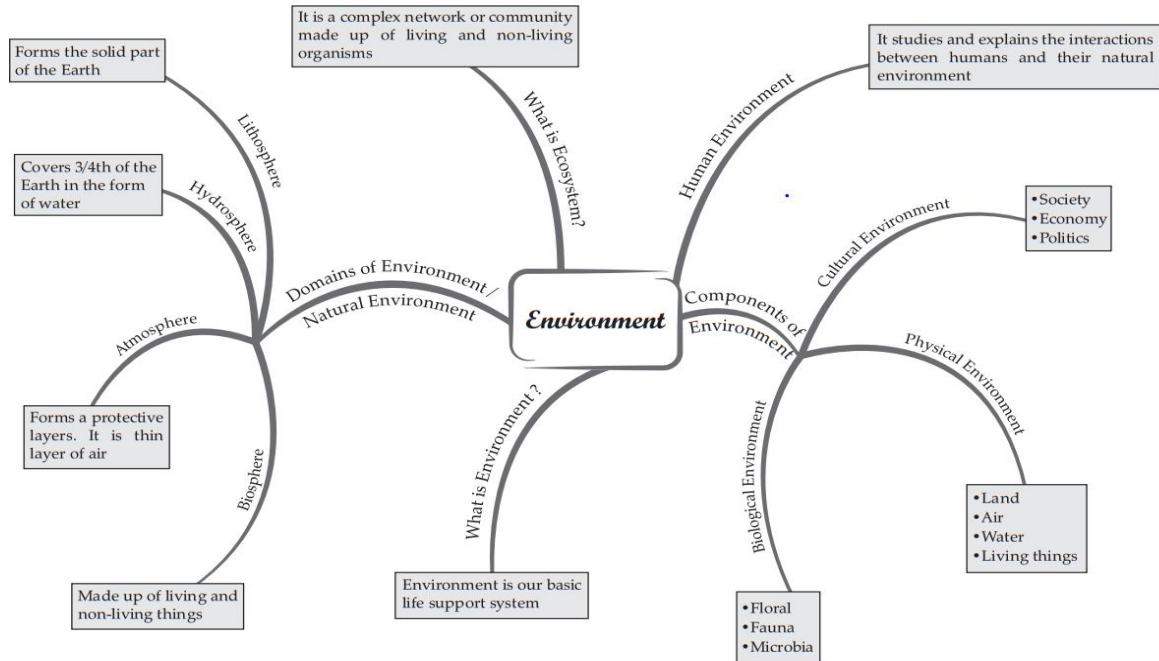
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<http://ncert.nic.in/textbook/textbook.htm?gess2=1-9>

GLOSSARY:

1. Environment-The word environment is derived from the French word 'Environer/ Environner' meaning 'Neighborhood'.
2. Biotic- The world of living organisms
3. Abiotic- The world of non- living elements
4. Lithosphere (Lithos means Land)- Is the solid, outer part of the earth, consisting of the crust and upper mantle.
5. Hydrosphere (Hydra means Water)- Is the part of the Earth that contains water.
6. Atmosphere (Atmos means Air)- Is the thin layer of air that surrounds the earth.
7. Biosphere (Bio means Life)- Is the living component of the environment
8. Ecosystem - The relation between the living organisms as well as the relation between the organisms and their surrounding form the ecosystem.
9. Human environment - Consists of an individual, family and then community.
10. *Human- made* environment-These are the resources made by human being.

SUMMARY:



Q 1. Tick the correct answer -

(i) Which of these is a threat to environment?

- (a) Growing plants
- (b) Growing population
- (c) Growing crops
- (d) None of these

(ii) Which of these is not a component of human environment?

- (a) Land
- (b) Religion
- (c) Community
- (d) Family

(iii) Which of these is an example of human made environment?

- (a) Mountain
- (b) Sea
- (c) Road
- (d) Land

(iv) Which out of these is not a natural ecosystem?

- (a) Desert
- (b) Aquarium
- (c) Forest
- (d) Plains

(v) What is a life support system among the following?

- (a) Transportation
- (b) Music system
- (c) Environment
- (d) Both (a)& (b)

(vi) What, out of the given options, is an abiotic component of the environment?

- (a) Table
- (b) Water
- (c) Human
- (d) None of these

(vii) Which of these is an example of human made environment?

- (a) Mountains
- (b) Road
- (c) Sea

(d) All the above

(viii) Which domain provides us forest, grasslands, for grazing, land for agriculture and human settlement?

(a) Atmosphere

(b) Lithosphere

(c) Biosphere

(d) Hydrosphere

Q 2. Match the following. Write in correct order in the notebook.

(i) Biosphere	(a) blanket of air which surrounds the earth
(ii) Atmosphere	(b) domain of water
(iii) Hydrosphere	(c) narrow zone where the land water and the air interact
(iv) Environment	(d) our surroundings

Q3. Write if the given statements are True/False.

- i. Aquarium is not a natural ecosystem.
- ii. Road is a human made environment.
- iii. The barter system means money is used for buying and selling.
- iv. Religion is part of the human environment.
- v. The environment only consists of the non-living world.
- vi. All plants, animals and human beings depend on their surroundings.

Q4. Fill in the blanks

1. The word environment comes from a French word meaning

2. is an example of human made environment.
3. The domain of the earth which protects us from harmful rays of the sun.....
4. The domain of water is referred to as
5. Land is a component of environment.

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