

**International Indian School, Dammam**

**Upper primary sections (2018-19)**

**Worksheets for First Term**

**L.5 Weather and climate.**

**Class V: Social Studies**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Roll No:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Section:** \_\_\_\_\_

**I. Define:**

- a. Weather: \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Humidity: \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Altitude: \_\_\_\_\_

**II. Fill in the blanks:**

1. Changes in weather conditions give rise to \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Sun's rays are \_\_\_\_\_ near the equator and \_\_\_\_\_ near the poles.
3. The \_\_\_\_\_ zones remain cold all the year round.

**III. State true or false**

1. Climate changes every day. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Different parts of the world have different type of climate. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Sun is the main source of heat and light. \_\_\_\_\_

**IV. Answer these questions:**

1. Name the five important factors that determine the climate of a place.
2. What type of climate do we have in Chennai and Delhi?
3. Draw, mark and colour the climatic or Heat Zones of the earth.

**V. Match the following:**

	<b>A</b>		<b>B</b>	
<b>1</b>	Areas near the equator		as the height of land decreases	<b>a</b>
<b>2</b>	In higher altitudes		bring cool and moist weather	<b>b</b>
<b>3</b>	Temperature increases		receive more heat than poles	<b>c</b>
<b>4</b>	Winds coming from sea		causes rainfall	<b>d</b>
<b>5</b>	Humid air		there is snowfall	<b>e</b>

**L.7 the Land of snow**

**I. Name the following:**

1. The largest island in the North Pole. \_\_\_\_\_
2. The original inhabitants of Greenland. \_\_\_\_\_
3. The capital city of Greenland. \_\_\_\_\_
4. A house made of snow and ice. \_\_\_\_\_

**II. Fill in the blanks:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ is a narrow boat that is moves with a single paddle, flat at both ends.
2. Greenland has \_\_\_\_\_ type of climate.

**III. True or false:**

1. Greenland is very hot during summer season. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Sisimiut is a big city in Greenland. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Sledges are pulled by polar bears. \_\_\_\_\_

**IV. Give reasons:**

1. Greenland is often called the 'Land of Midnight Sun'. Why?
2. Farming is not possible in Greenland. Why?

**V. Answer these questions:**

1. What is the main occupation of the Inuit?
2. What are icebergs?

**VI. Identify the pictures:**



**L. 17 Means of communication**

**I. Identify the means of communication from the following clues:**

1. Copies of documents sent through machine reach instantly. \_\_\_\_\_
2. The most popular method of sending spoken messages. \_\_\_\_\_
3. The cheapest means of mass communication. \_\_\_\_\_

**II. Fill in the blanks:**

1. The \_\_\_\_\_ Brothers were the first to fly an aeroplane.
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ has the largest railway network in the world.
3. Roads connecting major cities are called \_\_\_\_\_

**III. Name the following:**

1. The world's largest passenger aeroplane. \_\_\_\_\_
2. The fastest train designed by Japan. \_\_\_\_\_
3. The busiest sea route in the world. \_\_\_\_\_

**IV. Write true or false:**

1. India has the second- largest railway network in the world. \_\_\_\_\_
2. Intercom is the latest mean of communication. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Perishable goods are best transported by air. \_\_\_\_\_

**V. Answer these questions:**

1. Name four means of mass communication.
2. Why are waterways the cheapest mode of transport?

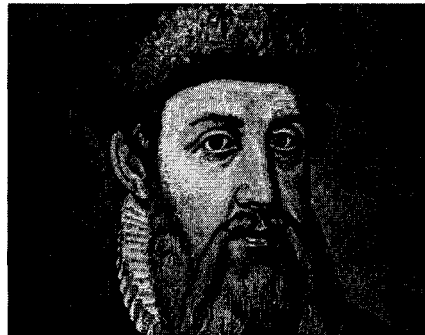
**VI. Identify the pictures:**



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(He invented television)



2.

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(He developed the printing press.)