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INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL  
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## Question bank

### Grade 7- Social Science (Geography)

#### Chapter7 – Human Environment- Settlement, Transport and Communication

1. What do you understand by the term 'settlement'?
2. Which are the activities practiced by the rural people?
3. Mention any two merits of railways.
4. What do you understand by communication?
5. What is the mass media?
6. Why did settlements grow near the river valleys?
7. What are called temporary settlements?
8. What do people living in temporary settlements practice?
9. Why do people who rear animals move from place to place?
10. Differentiate a compact settlement from a scattered settlement.
11. Where are scattered settlements found?
12. Name the materials used in building houses in rural areas?
13. How have satellites proved themselves helpful?

14. Why is air travel very expensive?
15. What do you mean by a site? Mention the natural conditions for the selection of an ideal site?
16. Write down the features of houses built in rural areas.
17. How did people in the early days travel long distances? What changes came with time?
18. Write a short note on the airways.
19. How has Internet made our lives more comfortable?
20. How settlements become a necessity?